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SELECTBOARD MEETING MINUTES

**July 8, 2025 @6pm**

Present at the meeting were Tim Bullard, Ricky Morin, Clayton Whittemore, Molly Morin, Julie Gates, Alec Jones, Jared Lilly, Kristina Brown, Dan Lathrop, Leslie White, Pam Uhlendorff

1. Tim opened the meeting at 6:01pm.
2. Additions and Deletions to the Agenda: None
3. Citizens Input: None
4. Planning Commission: Alec came in to talk about chapters 8 and 9 which have not been edited yet. They will update all the data with the newest data that has been given to them. Concerns about the new education laws that are at the state house was brought up and was recommended that we add the language explaining what they would like Eden education plan to look like. Alec will get the Selectboard the chapters once they are edited for them to review before the next meeting.
5. Beach Update: The campers did come back with some questions before they would agree to paying for the internet. Tim answered the questions which will be brought back to the campers. We will hold on making the choice to order it until next meeting after we hear back from the campers.

The shelter rental question on the event that will be happening this coming weekend is fine as they have personal insurance for the event already. But with this being brought up it was recommended that we come up with an agreement they will have to fill out prior to renting the shelters. A copy was drafted but some changes were asked to be made before it would be finalized.

The boat launch has been shut down by the State of Vermont for dredging of the lake by the boat launch. The greeters were asking if Monday-Friday they could move the greeters to the town beach for them to check the kayaks that are wanting to be launched. The selectboard said that would be fine but non-residents of Eden will need to pay to enter the beach.

6. Health Officer Update: None
7. Animal Control Update: None
8. Signed six (6) orders.
9. Minutes: Review minutes of 6/24/25. Clayton motioned to approved the minutes as written. Ricky seconded. Motion approved.
10. Highway Dept. Update: Showed the selectboard the responses to the letters mailed out to them about the different options. Most residents on that road would prefer the shorter option one. The Selectboard would like to move forward on ordering the stakes we can cut in half as it will make them the shortest, they can get them.
  - a. Permits: Ricky motioned to approve overweight permits to town specs for Consolidated Communication and Beacon Sales Acquisition, Tim seconded, motion approved.
  - b. Other- Sweeping has been completed for the year. The 2018 Freightliner at Charlebois had an incident while they were painting it but it will be fixed by Charlebois before it is returned. The 2024 Western Star has a recall that needs to be corrected, an appointment has been set up to have it corrected.
11. Ratify Additions and Deletions: None
12. Grant Update/Discussion: We have received the grant agreements for 4 different grants. North Road paving, Engineering for the Mary Deuso bridge, White Road ditching and culvert replacement, and unknown project that will be picked out in the spring. Ricky motioned to sign all four (4) grant agreements. Clayton seconded. Motion approved.
13. Other Business:

- a. Kofile/GoVos Contract Renewal: We received the answers that Selectboard had asked from the company and were satisfied with the answers. The contract was signed.
  - b. The audit contract from Sullivan, Powers & Co., P.C. was signed.
  - c. Other- non-employee work agreement was signed for Dale's Welding and Repair.
14. Office Addition: Ricky has put a couple of calls in and is waiting to hear from them about getting a price on concrete work. Clayton has gotten the information on the air conditioner for the office which will be reviewed.
15. FYI: None
16. Adjourn. Clayton motioned to adjourn at 7:51pm. Ricky seconded the motion, adjourned.