

Selectman's Meeting Minutes
June 22, 2023
5:30 PM
Irving Tanning Community Center

Present: Jerry Martin, John Hikel, Mark Brooks

Staff: Christopher Littlefield

Guest: Matt Drost Maine DOT
Several Citizens

Mark Brooks read the minutes of June 5, 2023, Motion to approve as read. Voted 3-0 accept.

Motion to suspend the reading of the minutes of the Special Town Meeting held June 5, 2023 and accept as presented Voted 3-0 accept

Matt Drost spoke several minutes about partnering with the Town on a downtown plan

Main points: Public Engagement
Cost Share
Scope of project

Mostly infrastructure related...roads and sidewalks....no facades

Unfinished Business: NONE

New Business:

Discussion about adjusting sewer rates...Chris to bring back to next meeting
Read Susan Collins letter supporting the request of the ITCC \$238,000 and
Town \$5,000,000 for congressional appropriations

Motion to accept the Computer Use Policy presented voted 3-0 accept

Motion to Appoint James Dennis for a three-year term on the planning board
voted 3-0 accept

Motion to Appoint Dana Littlefield for a three-year term on the planning board
voted 3-0 accept

Motion to Appoint Randy Butler for a three-year term on the planning board
voted 3-0 accept

Motion to appoint Russell Wilson for a two-year term on the planning board
voted 3-0 accept

Motion to appoint Timothy Boulanger for a two-year term on the planning
board voted 3-0 accept

Motion to appoint Terry McGee for a three-year term as an alternate planning
board member voted 3-0 accept

Motion to appoint Daniel Piasecki for a three-year term as an alternate
planning board member voted 3-0 accept

Motion to appoint Christopher Littlefield as Cemetery Supervisor voted 3-0 accept

Motion to appoint Christopher Littlefield as Grant Administrator voted 3-0 accept

Motion to appoint Christopher Littlefield as Town/HPCF/Landfill manager voted 3-0 accept

Motion to appoint Charles Gould as Animal Control Officer voted 3-0 accept

Audit done...Hard copies to the Selectmen next meeting

Selectmen deferred to Chris to find the best APR for the Cemetery fund money...John asked that we research I-bonds...John said they are easy to obtain and returning 9%.

Other:

- Motion to accept the HPCF and Landfill expense budgets presented for the 2023/2024 fiscal year voted 3-0 accept
- Signed the Shoreland Zone Ordinance
- Signed the Building and Maintenance Ordinance
- Signed the Planning Board Ordinance
- Jerry Martin read a letter from Karen Towle accusing Jerry offending the Jewish community of Hartland. Jerry made a public apology to the Jewish community and gave a lengthy explanation on his perspective of the phrase "little ditty" which was the basis of the complaint

Public Forum

Tom Kuespert asked Chris why nothing had been done about the Street light that is out near the Downtown bridge? Chris to have staff call CMP

Signed Warrants

Motion to adjourn at 7:20 pm. Voted 3-0 accept

Respectfully Submitted, *Chris Littlefield Town Manager*