

Selectman's Meeting Minutes
Monday November 19, 2018
Town Office, 5:00 pm

Present: Shirley Humphrey, Hadley Buker, Absent Judy Alton
Staff: Chris Littlefield, Town Manager, Several Citizens

1) Minutes of Previous Meetings

Hadley read minutes aloud for November 5, 2018

Motion to accept minutes as read voted 2-0 accept

2) Public Forum

The Heat group handed out a request to the Board of Selectman, and would like a response by December 7th. It is titled Request to close the Landfill.

Michele Cole from Blake Street stated that the Town is doing nothing with the trash and animals on Blake St, her children can't go outside to play and the animals have no food or water. Al is very rude when she calls. She doesn't understand why nothing can be done. The Town is working on a Ordinance, it requires a Town Meeting to approve. Hadley said we will accelerate the process for an ordinance.

3) Unfinished Business

The heat is on at the Hartland Consolidated School. The Town received the deed today and have forward to our lawyer. Cal Warner volunteered his time to plow the school yard as they had functions going on. The Town will do the plowing when we legally own it.

Sold more items from the Town Hall, still no solid plan on taking it down.

4) New Business

2019 Health Insurance Rates – 7 Employees are on the Health Plan. Voted 2-0 to increase the town coverage from \$957.00 to \$995.24. A question was asked if we shop around for prices. No, we participate with MMA.

Holiday Schedule for Town Office will be Closed on 12/24 & 12/25, 12/31 & 1/1/19, Voted 2-0

Reviewed and Signed Audit

Reviewed notice from MMA on Cable Franchises changes

5) Other

Eric Tuttle proposal for updating our current web site, the board to review and put on next agenda under unfinished business.

Resident asked who do we have plowing for us, Chris said: Bruce Munn, Bill Ramsdell, Terry Hughes, Keith Badger, Jim Russ and Kendal Davis.

Resident asked how many days is the transfer station closed, Hadley stated 3. Make an ordinance to protect the citizens concerning trash . The Board needs to step up and start protecting the citizens of this town.

Last meeting the Board wouldn't pay an exterminator bill for Marie and Debbie thought there was something that could be done to help like, an abatement, since we did one back in the spring. Municipal government does not pay for rat infestation and abatements are not used like that.

6) Signed Warrants

*Respectfully Submitted,
Susan Frost, Administrative Assistant*

APPROVED