

Selectmen's Meeting Minutes

Monday, April 24, 2017

Present: Chairman Diorio, Selectmen Darcy, Gallagher, McCosker and Rideout; and T.A. Collins.

6:00 p.m. At the site of the Hinsdale Shooting Range, Chairman Diorio called the meeting to order. He explained that this was open to the public but this was an on-site inspection for Selectmen to ask questions. Comments from the public, pro or con can be heard at next week's public hearing. Selectmen did a tour of the site with Chief Faulkner. Chief Faulkner showed Selectmen where the 14' high berms would be placed on the inside area and back area. They would be in a horseshoe shape going back at least 75'. They would be at least 5 to 6 feet deep per NRA Standards. There will be back line fencing on the rail trail side with signage. There probably won't be fencing on the river side as there is a lot of overgrowth. Chief Faulkner answered questions. Chair Diorio asked how long it would take to complete barriers. Completion could be June 1st if this moves forward.

6:55 p.m. The board arrived back at Town Hall. Selectman McCosker made a **motion** to sign the Manifest of 4/24/17, second by Rideout. Motion passes unanimously. The Minutes for 4/17 will be tabled until next week.

T.A. Collins discussed the \$500 payment from Healthtrust to begin a Wellness Program for employees. Selectman Darcy made a **motion** to accept the \$500 from Healthtrust for a Wellness Program, second by Rideout. Motion passes unanimously.

There was an Open Container Permit from the Lion's Club Annual Picnic to be held June 17, 2016 at the Pavilion between 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. Selectman Darcy made a **motion** for the Chair to approve the Open Container Permit for the Lion's Club, second by Gallagher. Motion passes unanimously.

Water Abatements were presented: An abatement for Dawn Santor of 48 Highland Avenue in the amount of \$271.44 was discussed. The new meter installed added a 0 to usage, resulting in abatement. An abatement for Shamus McAlister of 38 Brattleboro Road in the amount of \$12.45 due to an incorrect rate on the account at time of meter changeover. Selectman Gallagher made a **motion** to sign the two abatements, second by McCosker. Motion passed unanimously.

T.A. Collins had an appointment of Maureen Lee Bloesch to the Planning Board as an Alternate. Selectman Darcy made a **motion** to appoint Maureen Bloesch as Alternate to the Planning Board, second by McCosker. Motion passes unanimously.

T.A. Collins asked if there were any changes to the Financial Policies. With no further discussion, Selectman Gallagher made a **motion** to accept the financial policies as written, second by Darcy. Motion passes unanimously.

Selectman Rideout has an upcoming Rec Meeting on Thursday.

Selectman Gallagher mentioned that the Conservation and Beautification Committees had a cleanup on Saturday the 21st. He was unable to make it but noticed many bags along the side of the road.

Selectman McCosker attended the Library Trustees meeting.

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Selectman Darcy attended the Planning Board Meeting and noted that A-1 Pizza will be moving to the old bakery property soon and Smokey will be turning space on Main Street from an apartment back to commercial.

Selectman Diorio attended a Bridge Meeting today. He felt good progress was made. They discussed piers, shapes and textures. It appears on schedule to start in 2019. Discussion included that lighting would be discussed next and who will maintain the two bridges. Jill will send Selectmen the Bridge Meeting Minutes.

Dodi Bevis noted that she was happy to see that the new bridge will be a flat bridge. She had concerns about littering along Route 63 South. She noted a lot of dumping was going on there including at the "snowmobile parking lot". DOT supplied her with bags and a reflective vest to pick up bottles and trash. DOT later told her to stop as a certain property owner didn't want her picking up trash near their property. Discussion followed. Jill will have Frank check with DOT on putting stakes back in on Route 119 where there has been dumping.

Megan Bassett was here in case there were any questions. She also noted that the Beautification Committee would like to get on the Agenda. As they are going through the process to become a non-profit, they are concerned that it is more costly than anticipated and that they need insurance. They want to see about staying on as a town committee, at least for next year, and the options for that. Selectman Darcy noted current Primex requirements for insurance. They will be on next weeks' Agenda for 6:00.

T.A. Collins informed the Board she will be away for the May 8th meeting. The Board decided to go over policies during that meeting.

7:28 p.m. Selectman Darcy made a **motion to enter into non-public meeting** under RSA 91-A:3, II (b) hiring, second by McCosker. The vote is as follows: Gallagher-I, Darcy-I, Diorio-I, McCosker-I, and Rideout-I. Motion passes unanimously.

8:02 p.m. Regular meeting reconvened.

Selectman Gallagher made a **motion** to seal the minutes of the non-public meeting, second by Darcy. The vote is as follows: Gallagher-I, Darcy-I, Diorio-I, McCosker-I, and Rideout-I. Motion passes unanimously.

8:07 p.m. Selectman Darcy made a **motion to go back into non-public meeting** under RSA 91-A:3, II (b) hiring, second by McCosker. The vote is as follows: Gallagher-I, Darcy-I, Diorio-I, McCosker-I, and Rideout-I. Motion passes unanimously.

8:14 p.m. Regular meeting reconvened.

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Selectman Darcy made a **motion** to hire Joshua Webster for summer camp, and make position changes, second by McCosker. The vote is as follows: Gallagher-I, Darcy-I, Diorio-I, McCosker-I, and Rideout-I. Motion passes unanimously.

8:15 p.m. Selectman Darcy made a **motion into non-public meeting** under RSA 91-A:3, II (c) reputation, second by Gallagher. The vote is as follows: Gallagher-I, Darcy-I, Diorio-I, McCosker-I, and Rideout-I. Motion passes unanimously.

8:20 p.m. Regular meeting reconvened.

Selectman Darcy made a **motion** to seal the minutes of the non-public meeting, second by Gallagher. The vote is as follows: Gallagher-I, Darcy-I, Diorio-I, McCosker-I, and Rideout-I. Motion passes unanimously.

8:21 p.m. Selectman Darcy made a **motion** to adjourn, second by Gallagher. Motion passes unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kim P. Worden
Secretary