SELECTMEN'S MEETING – May 14, 2012

Present: Richard Bielefield, Margo Connors, John Strasser

Jennifer Gaudette

Guests: Alex Aaron, Road Agent Doug Glover, Sid Regen, Brad Whipple,

Nancy & Roger Aldrich

Correspondence was read and acted upon.

The Fire Chief wanted the Select Board to know that they requested pricing from four contractors. There was not response from any local companies. Chief Clark and Deputy Chief Amsbary will meet with EF Wall and Reis Construction. The bids received are in the cost range that was estimated for the roof project. The department has been asked about taking over the Cannon, currently owned by Roger Aldrich. The Chief would like to know if the department can accept the Cannon and the liability coverage. Jennifer will follow up with LGC Property Liability.

ALEX AARON met with the Board to submit a new septic plan for Map 202, Lot 12. Since the house location must be moved a new septic plan was also needed.

Jennifer has contacted Lincoln Sign, Marvel Sign and Littleton Sign for estimates.

DOUG GLOVER advised the Select Board on bids for the paving of the upper portion of Sunset Hill Road and also bids for the sidewalk removal. Mr. Glover extended the bid process to four companies for the sidewalk removal and received bids from Presby Construction and Dodge Contracting. Mr. Glover is waiting on additional bid information on the paving project. The board will make decisions on the projects next week. Mr. Glover hopes to have the playground work completed this week, pending weather.

BRAD WHIPPLE, SID REGEN & ROGER ALDRICH met with the Board in regard to the Veterans' Memorial. All agreed that a simple design that fit within the Town would be the way to go. The Meetinghouse location was discussed, as was using the granite pieces from the Meetinghouse foundation. It was also discussed to have a list of the names located in the Meetinghouse where names would be able to be added. Mr. Regen had a new design that was scaled down and used the granite pieces. The group felt that the space below the time capsule and between the row of maple trees would be a good location. There was some question as to whether using the granite is cost effective. The granite is from the original foundation in 1831. Mr. Glover noted that the Museum would be a great location for a monument as more people would see it. All at the table thought it would be a great location and the Select Board will send a letter to the Museum Director inquiring if they would allow the memorial at their location. Mr. Glover offered to assist with staking out a location if and when the museum gets back to the Board.

MR. BIELEFIELD made a motion to accept the minutes of May 7, 2012 seconded by MR. STRASSER, the motion was approved unanimously.

With no more business before the Board, MR. STRASSER made a motion to adjourn; seconded by MR. BIELEFIELD the meeting was adjourned at 7:10 PM. The next regular scheduled meeting will be on Monday, May 21, 2012 at the Carolina Crapo Building at 6:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer P. Gaudette Administrative Assistant