

SELECTMEN'S MEETING – May 13, 2013

Present: Dick Bielefield, Margo Connors, John J. Strasser
Jennifer Gaudette

Guests: Chief Wentworth, Gary Emerson, Road Agent Doug Glover

Correspondence was read and acted upon.

The Board will not meet on Monday May 27, 2013 and the Town Offices will be closed as well.

The Select Board met at 4:00PM at the Franconia Transfer Station to review the facilities with the Easton and Franconia Boards. At 5:00 PM the board attended the Franconia Town Hall for a public hearing on the posting of Bickford Hill Road as “No Through Trucks”. The board reconvened at the Crapo Building at 5:30 PM.

ROAD AGENT DOUG GLOVER met with the board to discuss the designation of No Through Trucks on Bickford Hill Road and Grandview Road. Mr. Glover noted the cost of maintaining the section of Bickford Hill Road in Sugar Hill and also maintaining Grand View Road. Mr. Glover discussed returning Bickford Hill to gravel and grinding it. MR. STRASSER made a motion to post Bickford Hill Road and Grandview Road as “No Through Trucks” with a weight limit of 26,000 pounds, seconded by MR. BIELEFIELD. The motion passed unanimously.

CHIEF WENTWORTH introduced Gary Emerson to the Board. Mr. Emerson will be attending the part time police academy and will then be available for part time employment with the Town.

MR. BIELEFIELD made a motion to appoint Margaret Connors as Health Officer, seconded by MR. STRASSER. The motion passed.

The Select Board reviewed the estimate for the additional window replacement on the lower level of the Crapo Building by Carl S. Dunn. The monies will come from the Capital Reserve Fund.

CHIEF WENTWORTH shared a thank you note from Barbara Serafini for the department's assistance during the recent auction at the Homestead.

The board discussed signage on the islands at the intersection of Streeter Pond Road and Route 117 and Easton Road/South Road. Will attempt to get clarification as to what is allowed.

The board signed the pole permit with PSNH so that SHIA can attach American Flags.

MS. CONNORS is going to approach Peter Anderson in regard to his interest in participating on the Energy Committee.

The board read a resignation/retirement letter from Peter Szawlowski for the Sugar Hill Fire Department.

Jennifer reported that the Town of Franconia has not received any application from Kiril Roianov for a voluntary merger of his Sugar Hill and Franconia property. The board will notify Mr. Roianov that he will be in violation of the zoning ordinance.

MR. STRASSER made a motion to approve the minutes of May 6, 2013, seconded by MS. CONNORS. The motion passed unanimously.

With no more business and no appointments before the Board, MR. STRASSER made a motion to adjourn; seconded by MS. CONNORS the meeting was adjourned at 6:50 PM. The next regular scheduled meeting will be on Monday May 20, 2013 at the Carolina Crapo Building at 6:00PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer P. Gaudette
Administrative Assistant