SELECTMEN'S MEETING – April 5, 2021

Present: Richard Bielefield, John Strasser, Margo Connors

Jennifer Gaudette

Guests: None

Correspondence was read and acted upon.

• Town Business Meeting will be held on May 11, 2021 at 6:00pm at the Sugar Hill Fire Station. This will be a regular town meeting (although masks and social distancing will be required) where we will vote on warrant articles 3-18 which includes the 2021 budget. Budget information can be found on the town website www.sugarhillnh.org.

The North Country Chamber Players inquired as to the use of the Meetinghouse this summer. The board is not scheduling events in the town buildings at this time. The Players may use the Meetinghouse for rehearsals with a limited number of musicians.

Rose Ellms inquired as to the thoughts of the board on July 4th activities. The board is in favor of the annual fireworks display and an outdoor picnic activity with perhaps some grilled food. There would be no indoor use of the Crapo Building.

The board approved a septic design for Nathan Lovas, Map 221, Lot 4.2 on Carpenter Road.

MARGO CONNORS updated the board on a broadband meeting she attended with Carol Miller. Jennifer will resend RFP's to spectrum and consolidated and add NH Electric Coop.

The board will follow recommendations from the NH Municipal Association in regard to several bills before the legislature that are important to municipalities especial HB 111 in regard to immunity. Jennifer will contact Representatives Egan and Simon and Senator Hennessey.

The Willing Worker's requested and the board approved the use of the Meetinghouse lawn on May 22-23 with a rain date of June 5-6 to participate in a town wide yard sale.

The following building permits:
Greg & Margo Connors – Barn Repair Map 214, Lot 23
Harry Robertson – Barn Repair Map 221, Lot 4.1
Industrial Communications – adding antennas Map 206, Lot 20

Priestly Lightning Rods will start work in June on the Meetinghouse installation.

Pemi-Baker Announced that Hazardous Household disposal day is Sunday August 8th at the Littleton Transfer Station.

The board discussed a concern in regard to outdoor lighting that shines in a neighboring home.

The board received information from DOT in regard to the paving of Route 117 from Route 18 to Center District Road. The crosswalk in front of Crapo will be moved westerly and the state will install crosswalk signs. The State also recommends installation of additional lighting. Jennifer will talk with the Road Agent and Chief Ho-Sing-Loy if there are any questions.

Kevin Lally asked if the board would allow additional space on their rebuild on Streeter Pond Drive. The board will advise that they will need to apply for two variances.

JOHN STRASSER notified the board of his intent to resign from the Select Board in June as he will be relocating out of the area. The board is very sorry to lose John who has given the town 21 years of service.

MR. BIELEFIELD made a motion to approve the meeting regular minutes and non-public minutes of March 22, 2021, seconded by MR. STRASSER. The motion passed unanimously.

With no more business before the Board, MR. STRASSER made a motion to adjourn, seconded by MR. BIELEFIELD, the meeting was adjourned at 6:15 PM. The next regular scheduled meeting is Monday April 12, 2021 at the Carolina Crapo Building at 5:00 pm. Social distancing and face masks required.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Gaudette Administrative Assistant