

Town of Sweden, Maine
Selectmen's Meeting
June 10, 2014

Attendance: Kristin Venza, Lori Bennett, Stephen Bennett, Eric Gulbrandsen, Corin Meehan, Sarah Rose and DJ Curtis.

Lori Bennett called for the Pledge of Allegiance at 6:04 pm and then called the meeting to order.

Lori made a motion to accept the minutes of May 27, 2014 with corrections. Kristin Venza 2nd the motion; it was passed 2 -0.

Report of officers and committees:

Animal Control Officer- Jacqueline Frye:

No report

CEO- Eric Gulbrandsen:

Eric Gulbrandsen reported two permits, Howell project on Haskell Hill Road and Stephen Bennett project on Lovell Road, to the Selectmen.

Eric also reported that he met with Tim Kelly regarding a Conditional Use permit.

Eric and the Selectmen discussed the continued correspondence with Mr. Tynan.

Clerk – Alberta Ridlon:

Kristin made a motion to increase the election clerk compensation rate to \$8.00 per hour, Lori 2nd the motion and approved 2-0.

The meeting house rental agreement for Keyes Pond Environmental Protection Agency on August 6 was discussed and tabled. The Hall rental needs to be revised.

SVFD - Corin Meehan:

Kristin reported that the furniture has been removed from the Town Hall for the floor refinishing process.

Corin reported to the Selectmen about calls from Steve Cady regarding apron paving in front of fire station. The culvert is collapsed and apron wearing away. Corin will keep trying to get in touch with him.

In July the fire department will have another firefighter. Turkey dinner is scheduled for August 30, 2014 and hope for a good turnout Corin said.

Lori asked if the frequency issue was all straightened out, Corin said yes.

Road Commissioner – Stephen Bennett:

Stephen Bennett asked the Selectmen about paving, how much, when and where needs to be done. Stephen discussed quotes given by F. R. Carroll.

The Selectmen discussed with Stephen which sections where the most needy. Stephen recommended doing ¼ mile on Hardscrabble Road and 3400 ft on Plummers School Road.

Lori mentioned that they purchased culverts and dropped them off at the salt shed. She noticed the doors were wide open. The doors have been opened all winter, said Lori. She said the door needs to be fixed. The inside door handle is missing.

Stephen asked what do we want Molloy to clean up at the salt shed. Kristin asked about where they were on the contract situation. We will have something in writing within a week, reported Lori. Kristin said we still need to put it out to bid and Lori agreed.

Sarah Rose asked the Selectmen about the quit claim notice for Ms Sanderson. Lori said she was all set. Sarah also said that Chris Destafano has not made a payment, Lori said she spoke with him and he would pay by the end of this week.

Admin. Assistant – Diana Curtis (DJ):

DJ Curtis distributed to the Selectmen the current financial reports, cash sheet and road expense report.

Lori made a motion to approve the Annual Town Meeting Minutes. The motion was 2nd by Kristin and approved 2-0.

Old Business:

None.

New business:

None.

Communications:

Mail:

Update notices from Maine Business, employees
Chalmers Ins. Workman's Compensation policy, given to Sarah for research.

The next meeting will be Tuesday June 24, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.

Lori made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:10 pm. Kristin 2nd the motion, approved 2-0 and the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully,
Diana J. Curtis
Adm. Asst. to Board of Selectmen