

Town of Stoddard
Selectmen's Meeting
Monday, September 26, 2022
Town Hall – 7 PM

MINUTES

Pledge of Allegiance

Attendees include Christopher Madden – Selectmen, Robert Fee – Selectmen, Michelle Pong – Town Administrator, Vickie Williams – Secretary and Harry Power- Compliance Officer.

Excused Stephen McGerty – Chair

Guests include Trevor Anderson, Joe Traniello, Ray & Noreen Durand, Jim Anderson, Bobbie Ewels and Patty Marotta.

Appointments:

Cemetery Commission – Jim Anderson & Bobbie Ewels

Activities/Updates – have been 2 burials in July & August

Change to ownership of lots – 3 lots being sold back to the Town. Reassignment of lots within the family members. There are 27 open plots available including the 3 being sold back to the Town.

New Deeds for plots – Changed terminology to “Right for Internment” as recommended by the NHCA(New Hampshire Cemetery Association). Who will sign the deeds for the town plots?

Bob Motioned for the Cemetery Commission to continue signing the deeds by the Select Board of Stoddard. Chris Seconded. Motion Carried.

Compliance Officer – Harry Power

Update on the former Busto property on Stone Road. The deck has been removed, the hot tub remains. The new owners of the property will be removing the bathroom facilities located in the cold storage shed.

Stoddard Fire & Rescue – Trevor Anderson – Fire Chief

There have been 6 new members in the 5 months, that have joined the department.

New Rescue Truck bill for \$1,200.00 to create a pass through for communication of those on the new truck.

Approved & Signed by the Select Board.

To Be Signed/Approved:

1. A/R and/or P/R Manifests
2. Minutes of 9/12/2022
3. Non Public Minutes of 9/12/2022

Bob Motioned to Accept the Minutes and Non-Public Minutes of 9/12/2022. Chris Seconded. Motion Carried.

All above Signed & Approved by the Select Board.

Old Business:

Appoint Emergency Management Director – Daniel Eaton
Postponed til the next Selectmen’s Meeting

New Business:

North Shore Road Culvert/Bridge – Cold River Bridge sent a quote for \$115,795.00 for twin culvert replacement. The money will come from the unanticipated funds received by the Town for Bridges and Culverts, as well as additional Highway Block Grant Funds. Will start the project in November if approved.

Chris Motioned to Accept the Cold River Bridges proposal. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Powerwashing of the Town Hall, Gould House and Police Station – Todd Renshaw sent a quote in for \$2,000.00 to do all 3 buildings.

Chris Motioned to accept the bid and have the buildings power washed. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Town Administrator – Michelle Pong - The BSMI upgrade will take place in the next few weeks, waiting on BSMI to set the date for upgrade.

Public Comment –

Bob Maden – Set date for Public Hearing on the Transfer Station Presentation – Set for Wednesday, October 12, 2022 will take place at 7PM in the Town Hall of Stoddard. All are welcome to attend.

Sam Lampier – Having issues with his neighbor about repair work in front of his driveway on Shedd Hill Road. Dave has told him he can do this work. On September 7 he placed 3 calls to Dave and never heard back. Neighbor has threatened him with a 3 prong hoe getting into his face and making him feel threatened. Wife is not comfortable going down their driveway to get the mail. Told him his no trespassing signs were illegal and he would start throwing lead at him(meaning a gun). The Board and Michelle will speak to Dave about this situation and have him talk to Mr. Lampier within 24 hours.

Chris Motioned to leave the Public Meeting @7:32 PM. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Chris Motioned to go into Non-Public RSA 91-A:3, II(a) at 7:33 PM. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Chris Motioned to close Non-Public RSA 91-A:3, II(a) @ 8:00PM. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Chris Motioned to go back into Public Meeting Session @ 8:00PM. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Chris Motioned to seal the Non-Public Minutes for 30 days. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Town Administrator – Michelle Pong

March 16, 2023 the school will have a field trip to the Town Hall and Offices. Can one of the Select Board be there to answer questions of the students?

Mr Nelevanko was very rude to Michelle when he was told he could not poll within the Town Transfer Station. Rule #7 of the Station is that there will be no loitering within the Transfer Station.

Bob Motioned to Adjourn the Public Meeting @8:10PM. Chris Seconded. Motion Carried.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:10PM

Submitted

Vickie Williams – Secretary

Christopher Madden_____

Robert Fee _____

Stephen McGerty_____