

**TOWN OF STODDARD
SELECTMEN'S MEETING**

Monday, April 22, 2024
Town Hall-7pm

MINUTES

Chris call the meeting to order @ 7:00 PM

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ATTENDEES INCLUDE – Chris Madden – Chair, Robert Fee – Selectmen, Terri LaRoche – Selectmen, Michelle Pong – Town Administrator, Vickie Williams -Secretary and Harry Power – Compliance Officer

GUESTS INCLUDE – Joe Traniello, Trevor Anderson, David Vaillencourt, Bob Maden, Pixie & Ray Durand and Tammy King

Accept resignation of Geoff Jones – Conservation Commission

Chris Motioned to Accept Geoff Jones Resignation from the Conservation Commission.

Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

APPOINTMENTS

Compliance Officer –Harry Power - Open Issues and permits

424-34 – McLaughlin – ADU – needs septic system – want approval for operation & construction.

105 – 2 – Lamanski – Lake front property, tree came down on house. Put a deck on the front needs approval from NHDES

Gunn – need to take out the ADU in the basement, kitchenette. Needs septic approval. No permit on Barn.

Fire Chief – Trevor Anderson

Board Approved & Signed his Purchase Orders.

Will have end of the year expenditures coming up. Might be a good idea to buy truck with a plow for the fire station.

TO BE SIGNED/APPROVED

1. A/R and/or P/R Manifest
2. Minutes
3. Budget Hearing Minutes
4. Pistol Permit
5. Warrant

6. Budget
7. Elderly Exemption

ALL ABOVE SIGNED & APPROVED

Chris Motioned to Approve the Budget Hearing Minutes 04-08-2024. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Chris Motioned to Approve the Minutes of the Selectmen's Meeting 04-08-2024. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Gunn Property – Building Issues – Discussed above.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Landscaping Proposals
3 proposals
True Nature for \$8,700.00
Chase for \$11,125.00
Pathways for \$11,691.00

Bob Motioned to Accept the Proposal from True Nature. Chris Seconded. Motion Carried. Terri abstained from voting on this Motion.

2. Transportation Project Nominees – ideas for a 10 year plan. Work on Juniper Hill Road, Center Pond Road drainage and Bailey Brook Road drainage.
3. Paving proposal – pave Granite Lake Road to the bridge. Will get quotes on the cost of this project.
4. Town Hall Rental Waiver for Candidates Night hosted by League of Women Voters Tentative for May 6, 2024

Chris Motioned to Waive the Rental fee. The deposit must be paid. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

5. Timber Tax Abatement Request – Non-Public

MISC. CORRESPONDENCE

Conservation Commission is getting plaque for Paul Crosby.

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR NOTES – Reminder to Selectmen to sign up for Eversource Webinar.

The Sheriff reached out to Michelle to let her know that the Sheriff's Dept. can not give a contract if we have a police dept/part-time police officer.

Speed Signs – good for this year.

Lacroucier property will remove what is there.

Chris Motioned to go into NON-PUBLIC SESSION – RSA 91A:3II(c) @ 8:15 PM. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.: PM

Chris Motined to leave the NON-PUBLIC SESSION – RSA 91A:3II(c) @

Chris Motioned to return to the Public Meeting @ 8:29 PM. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Chris Motioned to Deny the Tax Abatement Request. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Chris Motioned to Adjourn the Public Meeting @ 8:29 PM. Bob Seconded. Motion Carried.

Submitted

Vickie Williams – Secretary

Chris Madden _____

Robert Fee_____

Terri LaRoche _____