

Minutes

Selectmen's Meeting

July 9, 2019

Opening:

Meeting opened at 6:33pm.

People present were:

Selectmen: Penny Sampson, Daniel McCormick, Tony Avila

Employee: Kari Hunt

Guest: Leon Huard, Pat Haley, Blaine Parsons, Melissa Sanborn & Jim Porter

Minutes: Minutes from the June 18th were reviewed and accepted.

Public Feedback:

None

Treasurer:

Warrants were reviewed and signed.

Taxes are going out in August

Old Business:

Public Works: No Prospects, there were a couple people that expressed interest, but nothing has come about.

Calcium was delivered and will put down next week.

Cornshop Road will be done before fall.

New Business:

Selectmen opened the bids for the boat docks. Denise Whitney \$301.00 and Leon Huard \$213.00. Selectmen award the boat docks to Denise Whitney.

We received a call about the Boston Post Cane. Could the cane be displayed and then a place awarded to the oldest Person in town? Penny will research it.

Fire Department:

Ladder Truck possible blew a head gasket, had to have it towed back while on a call. Blaine is looking to what the issue is and will report back.

Rescue 5 locked the break up, break pedal is not releasing

Due to unexpected expenses, the Fire House Maintenance budget may be over.

Tony reached out to Terry Shorey about the paint on the back side of the Fire House. Tony has not heard back from him.

Blaine is going to continue to work on Grants for the Fire Department.

Dan spoke with the State Assistant Fire Marshall about contracts, and strongly warned us not to get into contracts because the Fire Department could be found liable if an issue were to arise. Donations were fine to accept. Pat Haley said at this point the inspection contracts for Unity College are a moot point. Fire Chief wants to know what they should do about the college? Dan said he would contact the Fire Marshall as ask. Another concern the Fire Marshall mentioned was concentrating on one business over others. Fire Department an inspected Mac's Hardware, Mammie's, Envirem. If there concern about concentrating on one place it could be a liability. The Fire Department gave Unity College an outline of what they found during their inspection. Pat and Blaine have asked for a written directive as to their next step.

Unity College sent the Fire Department \$200 for working at the Commencement.

Constable is curious if funds could be used for purchase 911 signs for house sign for Unity Residents. Kari will ask MMA if the funds can be used.

Penny would like to work on a public works analysis, what the actual cost, to plow, mow, ditch etc...

Other Business:

Meeting Adjourned: 8:00 p.m.