

Town of Westmore
Selectboard Meeting Minutes
May 18, 2015

In attendance: Bill Perkins, Chair, Burton Hinton and David Stevens, Selectmen, Greg Gallagher, Town Clerk, Steve Davenport, Road Foreman, Gerald Saindon, Cathi Wasklewicz, Marium Simonds, Ray Lanier, Carroll, Guitar and Vince and Louisa Dotoli.

Bill called the meeting to order at 6:02.

Burton moved and David seconded to add the following to the agenda:

- Garbage/Recycle update
- Excess Weight Permit-Brown Logging
- NorthWoods invoice
- ROW request for Theotokas Gravel Pit
- ATVs on Town roads

Passed

Steve presented four proposals for lining the garage chimney.

Burton moved and David seconded to accept the bid from Nelson Enterprises for \$2,800. Passed.

Steve reported that he was cutting brush on Long Pond Road when Vince came along and objected. Vince responded by saying he absolutely did not object. Bill and Steve will meet Vince at 6:30 AM to review work to be done.

David brought up the question of when the Town should have “Stop” signs versus “Yield” signs. Steve will ask Chris Emmons of VTrans.

Greg explained that the Town’s Emergency Management Plan needs to be updated. Bruce Melendy, NVDA is working on updating some of it. Greg will ask Chris McCarthy for an inventory of Fire Department equipment.

Greg briefly reviewed the new trash bag order.

David moved and Burton seconded to authorize Bill to sign an Excess Weight Permit for Brown Logging. Passed.

Greg brought up an unexpected invoice for \$1100 from NorthWoods Stewardship Center for a new sign for the Town Forest. Ray Lanier said the Westmore Association will pay it.

Greg presented an e-mail from Jim Sparrell asking for continued ROW to his spring which is on the gravel pit the Town leases from the Mary Theotokas Center. Greg will ask Steve if he knows anything about the water line. Greg will send Mr. Sparrell Burton’s phone number and ask him to call him.

Greg reported that the new game warden in town asked if ATVs are allowed on Town roads. There were mixed opinions of this issue, but no one could say for sure.

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Ray Lanier addressed the Board about the WA/FW Greeter Grant. Ray said there were no need for matching funds and since the plan equipment for the power washer has not been finalized, that portion could be withdrawn.

Burton moved and David seconded to accept the \$6,000 Fish and Wild Life Grant for additional Greeter hours and with no matching funds required. Passed.

One Milfoil proposal was presented from AE Divers.

Burton moved and David seconded to accept AE Divers for \$1100 per day with the total hours to be determined as the season goes on. Passed.

Burton moved and David seconded to table the Vacation Policy discussion until the new VLCT policy is received in June. Passed.

Burton moved and David seconded to schedule the new hearing on Overlook Lane for 5:30 prior to the first July meeting. Passed.

David moved and Burton seconded to approve the May 4th Minutes. Passed.

Burton moved and David seconded to approve Select Orders and Payroll #10. Passed.

There was no correspondence.

Burton moved and David seconded to adjourn at 8:06. Passed.

Signed by,

Greg Gallagher
Westmore Town Clerk

Bill Perkins (Chair)

David Stevens

Burton Hinton