

Selectmen's Meeting, Monday, August 31, 1981

Present, Paul Mercier, Chairman, Leslie MacNeil, Katherine Ring, Betty Shaw, Secretary and a rep. from the Messinger.

Permission was granted to store logs for the dispatch in the basement.

Since a deposit is needed for Public Service and not just the hook up fee, Paul said the town is not in the lending business and therefore no hook up fee will be sent for S.C. Miller.

It was agreed that Mr. Edwards speak to George Cole and have George fo the work on Meeting House road on his own time. Being paid by Mr. Edwards.

Gregg Goff submitted a bid for the work on the Fire Station.

Estimate of repairs for the Gregg Lake Dam to go into the 1982 Warrant

Since the office will be closed on Labor Day, checks will be made out on Friday and left in the safe to be signed by selectmen over the week-end.

Secretary told to set up appointment to go to Concord with selectmen to determine the tax rate for the year.

K. Ring & B. Shaw will attend the workshop for budgeting on Sept. 24.

Selectmen spoke of the new law in regards to trailers. Lloyd was told to speak to Barton L. Mayer Legal Council and come up with a determination of the new law since everyone has a different opinion of just what the law says.

Hank Cutter, Aden Ring and Leslie MacNeil met to discuss the repairs on the old fire station in North Branch. Estimate of \$29,282 plus \$4,000 to finish the inside was given. If nothing is done to prepare for the repairs the figure could go up to \$33,000. If firemen want it finished inside, they will have to do the clean up and the cost for the shell including insulation would go down to \$17,000. The cost of the survey will be added into Warrant article. Over \$900.

There is a problem in housing machines while fire station is being repaired. The College will be called and asked if the equipment can be stored there while repairs are being made.

Paul will be on vacation from Oct. 9 toe 20. Special town meeting is set for October 13, 1981 in the town Hall.