

Selectmen's Minutes, Monday, October 5, 1981

Present, Paul Mercier, Chairman, Katherine Ring, Leslie MacNeil, and Betty Shaw, Secretary.

At 7:30 the Selectmen started to sign the checks, and gave approval for the payment of Don Mellen's bill.

Paul received a call from Revenue Admin. to have the tax rate set by the 16th. Secretary will call to check if date has been changed from the 21st to the 16th.

Herbert Wells spoke to the selectmen in regards to Mrs Ann Voss' building on her property without a permit. K. Ring had called a halt to construction and asked Ann to come in with a permit request. She had agreed, but to date has not applied. K. Ring also understood that a lean too of sorts had been removed and that is what has been erected. A shelter for the children's toys. H. Wells spoke to the State attorney and he said that building should be removed unless a permit is issued. H. Wells also asked how she can build so close to the property line. Paul Mercier agreed that if the boundries are in question a variance as well as a permit is in order. She will be told to stop all work until the proper papers are filed and permission granted. This will be in a week as she is out of town at this time.

Brian Brown has had several applieations for special police officer. One application impressed him gratly and would like some interviews to take pbase and should a decision be made soon enough to have the new special as well as Linder Joseph attend the school to be certified. He also spoke about the sewer not being worked upon the past few days. A concer has arrisen since he overheard Pandeliena's men and Anderson Nichols arguing. It is feared that should they dig up any more (as is needed to correct the sewer problem) the State may require that all of Main St. Be resurfaced. (An added expense they do not want to get into) It was agreed by all the selectmen that the error was theirs and that if Pand. need to re-do the road, it is part and parcle of their error to start with.

George Cole was in to discuss the 12% raise that had been asked for this year. To date he and the highway crew were not given the entire raise that was in the budget for them. Paul asked that he be given the N.H. Municipal book with the pay scale for other parts of the State. George took it home and will look it over. He and his crew are due about another 7% increase. Board will decide within the next few weeks.

Bids were opened for the fire station (old) next to the Town hall. Repairs are needed for the roof and windows. Several bids were opened, but a question arose. Clough and Cleary's bid was rather small and a call was placed to see if there was a misunderstanding. It was agreed that they would once again look over the windows and resubmit if need be. He understood there were two windows and not the twelve that are in need of repair. Selectmen will meet with Greg Goff again Tuesday at 6:pm and go over the bids. Selectmen did agree and told Greg that the bid from Sullivan, Jim was the lowest and would be accepted for

needed repairs on the roof.

Eric Tenney was in and went over the formula for Currant Use, with Secretary.

He spoke to the selectmen and agreed to call George Carlson in regards to the work on Main Street not bein completed.

Lloyd Henderson came in and talked about the welfare problems in the town and will send a letter to one applicant who was refused aid from the town after she understood that she would be receiving it. No aid was promised by the town to this applicant. Her file was turned over to Lloyd to get a letter off to her.

Notice from Bankruptcy Court was reviewed and secretary was asked to check to see if the taxes were paid on the property. C. V. Grant confirmed that the taxes were paid in full.

Bob Flemings was in and since he will be away for the special town meeting it was suggested that Ben Pratt who has been sworn in as a depudy Moderator be asked to fill in for Bob. In the event that Ben can not do it, then Lloyd will fill in.

Left at 10:20 while Selectmen and Lloyd were still talking .