

Selectmen's Meeting, Monday, June 10, 1985

Present: Katherine M. Ring, chairman, Rachel C. Reinstein, John J. Jones.

Meeting called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 7:30PM.

Minutes of May 27 accepted with amendment. Minutes of June 3 accepted as written.

Bob Varnum, road agent and Selectmen met with representatives from Whitcomb Const. and agreed the Town will pay for half the expense of finishing West St. About \$1,600. Town crew will see the road is swept in order for Whitcomb to put the finishing touch on it.

Selectmen agreed to go over the highway budget with Bob on Wednesday.

White Birch Point is completed. Re-ditched and removed the broken pavement, graded the road so it usable and will be able to plow in the winter. Once all the fill was removed from the ditches, it was found to require only one culvert. All others were in good repair. Road has already dried out a lot since the ditches were opened. In the Fall the road crew will go up and see the ditches are all open. The top side of White Birch Point needs more work but there is no time available to do it. The road has been widened. Road Crew will be working on Craig Road pulling stones. Smith Harriman hopes to start West St. within the next two weeks.

A salt shed will be constructed for the Town Barn. A question as to the type of roof was raised. It was agreed to put a plywood roof on and have double coverage with tar paper.

New tank is in for diesel fuel. Once the pump is in the tank will be filled. Before this is done. Bob will get all agreements in writing with Rymes Heating Oil.

New truck is expected in about two weeks.

Once Bob has the compressor running, he will sand blast the sander and paint any equipment which is in need of paint.

Bob will also check with Saw Sense to see about having the Town's small equipment checked out.

Bennington bought the old rake for \$400.

Bob will open up the old gravel pit. He checked Salmon Brook Rd. and found the beaver are out. NO comment on the snake situation.

Building permits for Mr. Blakely and Mr. Felsman were approved. Mr. Felsman's was approved with the new sketch showing the deck as just squaring off the house.

Pat Beers spoke to the Selectmen about the need, by the Farm team, of a catchers mask. She said the only equipment they received was one ball and bat. She has ordered the mask and will be picking it up tomorrow. She also saw a need for a mit. She did not understand why the Farm team does not receive any funding from the Park Dept. K. Ring called Pat Webber, park board, and found he was not available. R. Reinstein agreed to write a personal check and they would have to reimburse her. John Jones ended giving her \$30 in cash with the understanding the team will look for donations or run a bake sale to repay him for the cash outlay. Selectmen will speak to the Park Board to find out if and why the Farm team does not receive help.

Brian Brown, Police Chief gave his weekly report. He plans to paint the cross walks if the weather holds out.

Brian and Lloyd Henderson will be filing complaints in district court on offenders.

The cruiser is in need of repairs and Brian hopes the new cruiser will be in within two weeks.

Mary Allen and Ella Davies met with Selectmen and went over the agreements in regard to the rental of the upper part of the old fire station for use as a costume room. It was agreed to charge *annually* \$100 rental. Town will pay for all but \$50 of the materials to do the stairs. Players will pay \$50 and do the work under the direction of Bruce Kierstead. Any charges by Bruce will be paid by the Players. Agreement in Town Hall file.

Lloyd informed the Selectmen of a court child placement. Bill will be coming into the Town for payment in the amounts of \$12,000 to \$15,000.

Selectmen and Lloyd talked over the coming meeting with the Selectmen of Hillsboro. Executive Session was called.

Meeting adjourned 10:30

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*On Park Board -
Farm team has
received \$180
per Pat McArthur*