

Selectmen's Meeting, Monday, September 16, 1991

Meeting called to order at 7:30

Present: Edwin Rowehl, Chairman, Phil Dwight, Dave Boule', Betty Shaw, Secretary.

Phil moved to accept the minutes of Sept. 9th. Second, Dave. All in favor. So moved.

Bob Varnum, Road Agent, requested permission to open the portion of Stacy Hill Road from Liberty Farm to the College. It will require about a day and a half to repair about 300 feet of the road. Bob wants to be sure when the Liberty Farm Bridge is put into place, property owners will have a safe egress while work is going on as well as making the road accessible to emergency vehicles.

This work will not change the class of road. It will remain a class VI road.

Bob reviewed his budget. Since another major repair costing \$1,000 had to be done on the Ford dump body, in order to stay close to his allotted budget, he will have to cancel plans for road sealing this year.

He hopes the salt budget will be cut back as several roads have been turned back to gravel.

Ed suggested Silas Little represent the Planning Board on the order of notice from Norman Laplante, et al. Silas is familiar with the subdivision proceedings since he was involved throughout the Laplante, Cloutier subdivision. Dave and Phil agreed ~~to~~ ^{by} Silas take the case.

Selectmen discussed the coming years budget.

Brian Brown, Police Chief, reported five illegal cuts having taken place in the Town. Road performance bonds will be required for those applying for intent to cuts. Selectmen will draft an ordinance, with the road agents help, setting the cost per foot for a road bond. The bond required will be used in the event the roads used by the logger are damaged.

Brian has had the brakes replaced on both cruisers. Two of his officers will receive training on CAPS in order to be certified to carry the weapon. Lisa Olson who being certified will train the men.

Selectmen signed a permit for the disbursement of alcohol beverages by the Chamber of Commerce at a function they plan on Shea Field. Brian spoke to Steve Schacht and cautioned the possibility of liability to the Chamber if juveniles are found drinking as well as the need to monitor adults who will be driving.

After consulting with Bart Mayer, Phil moved to accept the deed presented to the Town from Mr. Edward, and Richard Winslow. Second Dave. All in favor. So moved.

Mutual Aid agreement between the Town of Hillsboro and the Antrim Fire Dept. was signed.

Ed and Dave greatly appreciated Phil's offer to represent the selectmen on the school advisory committee.

Selectmen authorized increasing the land value on Map 5 Lot 290 to include the S/W assessment.

Use of comp time and vacation time approved.

Phil moved to adjourn at 10:00 PM. Second Dave. ALL in favor. So moved. ems

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This year you may have received notices after you had made commitments for hiring some personnel. In order to prevent any problems next year, the selectmen have asked me to remind department heads and committee chairpersons that ALL hiring of personnel will be done by the Board of Selectmen. This includes not only persons to fill positions on the police department, highway, and office, but any persons hired to do mowing in the Town, lifeguards, firemen, etc.

Applications for the positions are to be turned into the selectmen. They will review them, hold interviews and listen to your suggestions and recommendations before decisions are made on filling the position.

The liability on the Towns has become of great concern to the insurance companies. Proper procedures must be followed to reduce the liability risk to the Town.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely

for Board of Selectmen