

Selectmen's Meeting, Monday, April 20, 1992

Present: Dave Boule' Acting Chairman, Michael Oldershaw, Betty Shaw, Secretary.

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM

Mike Oldershaw suggested checking the grade of timber cut before a warrant is issued for the collection of yield taxes.

Brian Brown, Police Chief, reported having many comments on the appearance of the old cruiser. While the cruiser was in for repairs to one side after having been backed into by an unobservant driver, Brian had the cruiser painted blue and white. This resulted in people thinking it was a new cruiser.

Brian received a complementary letter regarding Cameron Brown from a person Cameron stopped for a possible violation.

Brian reported the dispatch budget will possible have to be increased next year due to some changes being made.

Mike asked Brian to put together a plan as to how he is working to prevent further damage to the Goodell property.

Ben Pratt was sworn in as an Alternate Moderator for the Special Town Meeting.

Selectmen met with Bob Varnum, Road Agent, to discuss the possible use of the Town Barn property for the recycling/transfer station. The importance of having the property free of any unusable material was stressed.

Peter Beblowski joined the meeting at 7:45.

Selectmen discussed having a containment wall for the tanks that hold the waste oil put in at the same time as work will be done for the salt shed. They will also look into having a line and pump installed to eliminate having to pour oil into a container and risking spillage.

Although Peter Beblowski made mention of some things needing to be removed from the property, he commented on the well maintained barn and grounds.

Mike asked that Bob do a plan for the reconstruction of roads. He has heard complaints on the condition of Elm Ave. since it was repaired. Mike pointed out it would be best to do less of a road and have it hold up. Bob explained Elm Ave was the first road reconstructed and he realized after the chip seal surface did not stand up under weather conditions. He now uses hot top after the road has been ~~bulmaged~~ ^{damaged} which is the accepted way throughout the Country.

Recycling was discussed.

Mr. Marshall voiced his concern over the condition of some property in the Town. He asked that garbage be removed. Selectmen will check with attorney to see what they can do to enforce property owners to clean up their property.

Selectmen voted to put the care of the cemeteries out to bid.

Late inventories were discussed.

Mike made the motion to approve the minutes of April 13th as written. Second Dave. So moved.

Selectmen agreed to have the Town clock maintained by Tower Clock Specialists at a cost of \$85.

Meeting Adjourned 9.15 p.m.