

Selectmen's Meeting, Monday, May 18, 1992

Meeting called to order at 7:00.

Present: Philip Dwight, Chairman, Dave Boule', Michael Oldershaw, and Betty Shaw secretary.

Brian Brown, Police Chief reviewed some police matters with the selectmen.

Sewer & Water Commissioners, (Eric Tenney, Ben Pratt, Bill Ruoff, and Barbara Elia, Secretary), discussed the need for the purchase of four collars which may be needed when North Main Street is repaved. Selectmen agreed if the collars are required due to the road improvement, the cost will be carried by the road improvement budget.

Selectmen and Commissioners discussed plowing the road into the Water department by the highway crew and not having to have the Sewer & Water hire someone else to do the work. Commissioners would like the plow to make one straight clear path into the area when the gate is left open. If the gate is closed the truck can turn around just before the gate. It is understood this would not be a priority for the highway. If they will attend to it as soon as possible after the roads are taken care of, it would save the added expense to the S&W. Eric Tenney mentioned this had been suggested in the past as an off set to billing the Town buildings for Sewer & Water. In the past the Town was billed for S&W because there were two renters in the Town Hall. (L. Henderson and the Post Office.)

Commissioners explained the hydrants are maintained and replaced when required by the S&W department for \$2,700 which is in keeping with the policy of other Towns in the area.

Scheduled road repairs was discussed. It was agreed the best approach was to let the S&W know when the Highway was going to do a road to see if they can coordinate with the S&W repair to lines.

While flushing the hydrants some breakup resulted on the side of the roads. The S&W usually puts crushed stone into the damaged area.

Commissioners discussed having the Highway Dept. do repairs to roads after the S&W Department completes repairs, then billing the S&W Dept. would eliminate the S&W Dept. getting into the purchasing and storing of road material.

Mr. Quackenbush met to discuss a complaint from a neighbor over his having a sawmill on his property. He assured the Selectmen the mill was a portable one and expects to move it from one property to another. He has sold no wood from his property and although it is not a daily operation he has used the mill no more

than one or two hours in a day. He reported the mill makes no more noise than a mower at top speed or a chain saw.

Selectmen approve the hiring of Byron Beers, Liz Proctor and Erin Proctor. There will be no increases in their pay from last year. If one of the guards can not complete the summer season the Selectmen will hire the replacement.

Clark Craig, Jr. was given permission to set his refreshment stand at the lake this year.

Selectmen had no problem if there is a run over of hardtop onto the Town parking lot when Mr. Hardwick has his driveway resurfaced.

A property owner on Pierce Lake complained of boats gathering off his property on the lake. They become loud as the party progresses. Selectmen will send a letter to the Marine Patrol advising them of the complaint. The Police Chief will also be notified of the complaint.

Mike checked out the Antrim Gym after receiving complaints as to the condition of the gym. He reported it to be in need of repairs and cleaning. Phil will follow up on this.

Mike moved to accept the minutes of May 11th as written. Second, Dave. All in favor. So moved.

Meeting adjourned 9:45

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