Selectmen's Meeting, Monday, January 24, 1994

Present: Phil Dwight, Chairman, Dave Boule', Tom Davis and Betty Shaw, Secretary.

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM

Bob Allison and Carter Proctor, representatives of the American Legion, discussed a warrant article to fund monuments to honor the veterans of WW II and the Korean Wars. After some discussion the original request for \$2,475 was raised to \$3,600 as the Selectmen felt strongly that it would be best to have a warrant with appropriations enough to cover the cost of a monument to honor the Vietnam vets as well as a monument for all other conflicts and not just the two wars. The names of veterans from Antrim who served during any war or conflict should be sent to either Bob or Carter to insure their names are on the monuments.

Selectmen reviewed the warrant article for the Celebration Committee and agreed to limit the funds requested be used to defray the cost of the bandstand, lighting and bridge. The committee will have to raise the funds for the celebration by other means.

Brian Brown, Police Chief, and the Selectmen reviewed the Hillsboro Dispatch contract. Although it was agreed to sign with minor modifications, all were concerned over the increase in cost for this year..

Brian will also get estimates for repairs to the cruiser.

Phil Dwight requested executive session to discuss personnel matters. Second, Dave. All in Favor.

Selectmen reconvened their regular meeting. It was agreed that no adjustment will be made to an employees wages as had been requested.

A warrant article to accept the road to the Post Office and name it Post Road was reviewed. Since the road is not completed as set out on the registered plans or planning board plans, Phil and Dave asked to consider accepting the paved portion of the road. Tom wants time to do some research before making a decision on supporting the warrant article. Phil or Dave will let Dave Cutter know in order for him to get the required 25 signatures if the selectmen decide not to support the article. A decision will be made next Monday.

A question was raised as to the number of members on the Parks and Recreation. The selectmen have not received letters of resignations from two members who have not been attending meetings and therefore are unsure if they wish to continue on the board. Secretary will check with Pat Beers this week. The selectmen unanimously agreed to authorize up to 20 hours a week for the Gym coordinator. Pay Maynard would like to split

the time with another person. Selectmen are in agreement with this and will interview and hire the second person.

Dave Boule' has contacted Hancock regarding the hazardous material pick up. Last year 20 Antrim people took advantage of the pick up, 10 from Bennington and 78 from Hancock. This year Antrim has agreed to be the host town. Hancock will assist in filing the forms to receive matching funds for the towns. It was agreed the selectmen will ask Martha Pinello of the Conservation Committee to oversee the program.

Selectmen will meet at 1 PM on Wednesday to go over more of the abatements.

Meeting adjourned 9PM

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