TOWN OF ANTRIM BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING MINUTES DECEMBER 3, 2001

PRESENT: Selectman Phil Dwight, Selectman Dave Penny and Sherry Miller.

6:30 p.m. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER -

7:00 p.m. Marshall Gale

Deputy Fire Chief Marshall Gale stated that as the result of Bob Bethel retiring there is an opening for a Deputy Fire Warden. Mr. Gale recommended appointing Barbra Beauchamp to this position as she has over 18 years experience in the Fire Department. Selectmen Dwight and Penny agreed and signed the necessary papers for Mr. Gale to submit to the State of New Hampshire.

Library Contract -

We have received a proposed contract for a site layout and elevations involving the Library, Aiken Barn property and the Aiken House from SVE Associates. Len Pagano did receive a proposal from Don Mellen, which was slightly higher. Len Pagano recommended going with SVE Associates. The cost for SVE Associates is estimated at about \$3000. It was agreed to split the costs between the three properties.

Arthur Allison -

Selectman Dwight checked with Bob Varnum regarding the two issues that Mr. Allison brought up at the last meeting. Bob stated that the highway crew did make some repairs to the end of Mr. Dunlap's driveway, however, it had nothing to do with the paving of Goodell Road. Last winter the plow dug up some of the end of the driveway so Bob applied some cold patch. As for fill being brought to Mr. Booth, Bob stated that they did not bring any fill to Mr. Booth. Bob believes that Mr. Booth had Landsite use fill to upgrade his right of way from Goodell Road. Bob did point out that it's not uncommon to give fill to Town residents after ditching as a way of getting rid of it.

Northern Lights Dance Theatre -

The Selectmen received a formal request for use of the Town Hall from the Northern Lights Dance Theatre for rehearsals and a big performance in February. The Selectmen unanimously agreed to allow her to use the upstairs for rehearsals at a rate of \$50.00 per week and for the week of February 4-11 for \$350.00.

Administration budget -

The Administration/General Government budget was reviewed.

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Goodell Park -

Selectman Dwight stated that the State of NH Transportation Dept. has advised him that the bridge portion of fence in Goodell Park is their responsibility and they will take care of repairing this section. We are still waiting for an estimate from Stu Gross for the remainder.

Fire Department request -

The Fire Department has requested permission to serve alcohol at their annual Christmas party December 8, 2001. The Selectmen unanimously agreed to allow the consumption of alcohol on Town property.

Review and approve minutes -

Thomas Co.

The minutes of November 26, 2001 were reviewed and approved.

The next meeting will be December 10, 2001 at 6:30 p.m.