

MINUTES OF THE SELECTMEN'S MEETING - June 1, 1992

Present for the meeting which began at 7:00 p.m. were Selectmen Dodge, Johnston and Pimenta with Sandra Gendron taking minutes.

Bo Strong was in to ask permission from the Board of Selectmen to fill in a culvert, if found, in the area of the property now owned by Jean Cummings where he is installing a new septic system. It was determined that should any culvert be found it would not be working nor would it be necessary to put it in working order, thereby granting Bo's request.

It was voted on a motion by Selectman Dodge, seconded by Selectmen Johnston and so voted by all three Selectmen that an Executive Session be entered into discuss a personnel issue.

On a motion by Selectman Dodge, seconded by Selectman Pimenta and so voted by the Board of Selectmen, the Executive Session was exited at 8:00 p.m.

Next in to meet with the Board for his regular monthly meeting was Chief of Police James McLaughlin.

He told the Board that he had received the results of the second water test done on the well at the Police Station. It was recommended that the well be cleaned and disinfected. The Playground Association, owners of the building housing the Police Department, will be notified of the results and asked their intentions. Jim also noted that water is not always available on demand.

The signs on Depot Street were discussed and considered to be somewhat deceiving. Jim recommended that "No Thru Traffic" signs be placed on each end of the street and the "Do Not Enter" signs be removed. Minutes were reviewed and Jim interpreted them to mean it was intended that the street not accommodate thru traffic. The Board agreed with this interpretation and approved the above mentioned sign replacement.

Jim commented that his caseload was increasing, and related the details of a drug confiscation that he would be presenting to the Grand Jury. He also reported that he was investigating a burglary.

Jim requested that the Board enter a Executive Session for the discussion of a Police Department personnel issue. On a motion from Selectman Dodge, seconded by Selectman Johnston and so voted by the Board, Executive Session was entered into at 8:15 p.m.

Upon motion by Selectman Dodge and second by Selectman Johnston, with all Selectmen voting in favor, Executive Session was exited at 9:20 p.m.

Before leaving Jim presented for signature a Safety Grant and reviewed the details with the Board.

Next in to see the Selectmen was George St. John, Old Coach Road, to relate details of a dance that was scheduled for August 8th to be held at his family campground the proceeds of which would benefit the ongoing fund raising for the purchase of Jaws of Life.

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Selectman Johnston stated that since the event was to be held on private property, the particulars were up to George, although he stated that contact must be made with the Police Department so that determination can be made as to whether Police Officers should be present. George questioned the need for a permit and was told no formal permit was required; however, notification of the event was requested and knowledge that the Police Department had been notified was necessary. George having met these requirements received the blessings of the Board of Selectmen.

Selectman Johnston moved that Jonathan Stout be appointed to serve on the Forestry Committee, having been interviewed the previous week, this was seconded by Selectman Pimenta and so voted by the Board.

Checks were signed, mail was reviewed and the meeting was adjourned at approximately 10:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sandra Gendron", written in black ink. The signature is fluid and extends across the width of the text area below it.

Sandra Gendron
Administrative Assistant