

UNAPPROVED  
SELECT BOARD MINUTES  
MARCH 23, 2021

MEMBERS PRESENT: Thomas Wilson, Linda Montague, Deborah Baker, Philip E. Mazzucco and Charles Rockwell.

OTHERS PRESENT: Andrea Lenhardt, Jane Davies, Robert and Paula DiCrosta, Greg and Lynn Vail, Arlene Bentley, Jed Rubin and Brett Lourie.

Meeting called to order at 6:55 p.m.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT:

1. A household hazardous waste day will be held in Bennington on May 8<sup>th</sup> starting at 9:00 a.m.
2. There are troubles with the printer when recording documents. NEMRC has a program to do four cards at a time. It is \$695.00 to purchase the program. It was the consensus of the Board to buy the program.

COMMUNICATIONS:

1. From Governor's office there are now more people being vaccinated for COVID-19.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Highway Report: Been cutting brush and trees. Removed trees on Lang Road for slate work this year. Tom applied for a sidewalk grant and got it, with up to \$20,000.00 for the Town. Will start to grade roads.
2. Town Green land sale is to be soon.
3. Town Office heat will be installed tomorrow and then the new flooring.
4. Hazard Mitigation Plan revisions sent here by Michael Batchner of Bennington County Regional Commission are being reviewed by Debbie, Linda and Tom.
5. New Town Plan hearing needs to be published in the newspaper fifteen days in advance.
6. Linda read her thank you letter written to Mrs. Hatch concerning her annual gifts of \$5,000.00 each to the Town. Consensus to approve the letter.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Greg Vail of Mount Antone View Road has made inquiries about getting good internet access on his road, and other areas near his home. If a twenty-four inch satellite was mounted on the Town Highway Garage it could supply up to fifty homes. The satellite would be aimed at Mount Antone View Road. The Highway Garage would also have internet at no cost to the Town.
2. The stumps from the cut trees near the road on Route 153 were recently ground down.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

1. First Constable Brett Lourie received a complaint about the Road Crew not having "men working" signs to warn motorists.

Orders were signed by Linda and Phil

Motion by Linda, seconded by Phil to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:48 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Linda Montague  
Select Board Clerk and Co-Chair