

TOWN OF JEFFERSON
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
April 4, 2016

The regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen for the Town of Jefferson was held at the Selectmen Office Monday April 4, 2016 at 6:30 pm

PRESENT: Kevin Meehan, Chair; Tom Brady and Cindy Silver, members comprising a quorum of the Board.

OTHERS PRESENT: Linda Cushman, Assistant to Selectmen; Mary Gross, Library Committee & Tax Collector

Kevin Meehan opened the regular meeting at 6:45 pm. The Board reviewed and approved the bills for payment next week. The Highway and Transfer Station report was reviewed. The warrants were signed. Terri Larcomb was in to pickup signed warrants and sign checks.

Cindy Silver made a motion to accept the minutes of the March 28, 2016 Selectmen Meeting as written. Tom Brady seconded the motion. Motion carries.

In reviewing the bills for payment Cindy asked if the Town bid out services, specifically the hauling from the Transfer Station. Kevin said that quotes were gotten and Beattie was the best quote and they have serviced the Town for some time with a good working relation.

Mary Gross asked the Board if the Highway crew would be able to remove the old shed that is on the site of the future library. It is a small shed and the Town has the equipment to get it cleaned up. The Board agreed that the Highway crew should be able to get the shed cleaned up.

Mary said that back in October she had extended the deeding period to March 31, 2016, for the estate of William Flavin as they thought the property had been sold. Mary said that she has not heard any more from the family, certified mail and regular mail has been sent. Mary stated that she would now deed this property as there has been no response.

The Board reviewed the veteran applications that DRA reviewed and determined had not been signed. Most of the applications are on old forms that just need to be signed. The applications were reviewed and signed.

The Board reviewed the application of Stuart Hotchkiss for elderly disability deferral. There was a lengthy discussion of the information that was provided by Mr. Hotchkiss and Town council. Tom made a motion not to grant the deferral based on the conditions set forth by RSA 72:38-a, the applicant is not at least 65 and is not eligible under Title II or Title XVI of the federal Social Security Act. Cindy seconded the motion. The motion carries.

Donald Saucier had delivered a letter to Cindy's home for the Board. Mr. Saucier is concerned with changes that he says took place with the OHRV snow-machine system. In reviewing the letter the Board said that to their knowledge there had been no changes to the snow-machine trail unless it was on private property. Several years back the Selectmen granted permission to use the Chambers Road to access the Agnew State Forest because the snow-machine bridge had washed out. As for OHRV trails

the Town has not given any permission to date. There are still a lot of information that needs to be presented before any decision is made with regards to OHRV trails. Linda was asked to put a letter together for signing at next weeks meeting.

The next meeting will be held Monday April 11, 2016 6:30 pm.

Tom made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Cindy seconded the motion, motion carries.

Being no further business the meeting adjourned at 7:25 pm.

Respectfully submitted,