

TOWN OF RANDOLPH
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
Tuesday, September 27, 2016
PUBLIC HEARING – ACCEPTANCE OF G.A. ORDINANCE
APPENDICES A-D
5:00 p.m.

BOS PRESENT:

Mark Roberts, Chair
Bob Henderson
Matthew Drost

OTHERS PRESENT:

Lynn Mealey, Town Clerk,
Marge Gilman, Resident
Art Forand, Public Works
Dan Nadeau, Nadeau Construction
Richard Harriman, Town Historian

Meeting commenced at 5:00 p.m. Public Hearing for General Assistance Ordinance Appendices A-D for the period of October 1, 2016 through September 30, 2017 was opened. There was no comment from the public.

Bob Henderson made a motion to adopt the Ordinance Appendices. Matt Drost seconded the motion. **VOTE – UNANIMOUS.**

The Board closed the hearing at 5:07 p.m.

Members of the Wellness Public Lake Association were at the meeting to inform the board of alewife stocking and work on the Togus Dam. They will send contact information shortly. They left the meeting at 5:15 p.m.

Marge Gilman was on the agenda with a request for the Board. She is requesting use of the **Town Office** for a political “meet and greet” on November 4, 2016 from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. for candidates **Shenna Bellows and Wendy Ross** who are running for **State Senator and Representative to the Legislature** respectively in Randolph’s district. The Board gave permission for this use of the Town Office at the designated time. Marge left the meeting at 5:19 p.m.

Art Forand gave the Board the “estimate/bill” from Lucas Striping (\$225) for work on the Town Office parking lot which contains a guarantee for the paint sticking to the pavement.

Art and Dan gave the Board a drawing of the work that is scheduled to be done on **Meadowview Drive**. It will be done soon. They also narrowed down the houses that may be involved in putting grease in the system. They will inform the residents of Meadowview before the work is started. The cost will be between \$13,000 and \$15,000 which has already been figured in the cost of the project and is going to come out of Capital Improvement Sewers. This is the very next project to be done.

Art said that the town should have a policy or ordinance in place dealing with “deadly fixed objects” to protect the town such as mailboxes, granite posts etc., that when hit do not break off and are in the right of way while plowing etc. Peter Coughlan has a “generic” form for this and he will send it to us. If these objects are found there are procedures in place to notify the homeowner.

Kinderhook Street signs and vehicle weight was discussed again. Peter Coughlan will help with wording of signs etc, regarding what trucks are allowed. “No Thru Trucks” was discussed as well as gross vehicle weight.

Art said that the **flushing on Water Street** will be done on October 21, 2016 and the “work zone” should not affect traffic so they will just have one flagger with a “slow” sign on site.

Art and Danny left the meeting at 6:02 p.m.

The Board read an e-mail from Teresa C. Hamlin School asking if they would be allowed to use the Town Office as a “**parent meeting area**” in case of a disaster at the school. The Board agreed that this would be acceptable. The school will be informed of the decision.

Matt Drost made a motion to accept the **minutes of the September 20, 2016** meeting. Bob Henderson seconded the motion. **VOTE – UNANIMOUS.**

The Board members signed accounts payable and payroll warrants and one quitclaim deed.

Mark reported that Gerry from **Department of Human Services** would be coming to the Town Office on October 19, 2016 at 8:30 for General Assistance training. The new hire, some of the selectboard members and office staff will be there for the training.

A representative from the **American Red Cross** will be at the meeting on October 11, 2016 to discuss the smoke detector program.

Angie Ellis from **Ellis Construction** will be asked to come to the next meeting to provide a list of equipment for this upcoming plowing season.

New traffic plans and No Parking Zones for Jones, Third & Second Streets will be fixed and signs will be ordered by the end of October.

Matt Drost made a **motion to adjourn** the meeting. Mark Roberts seconded the motion. **VOTE – UNANIMOUS.**

Meeting was **adjourned at 6:24 p.m.** Next regular meeting will be Tuesday, October 4, 2016 @ 5:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lynn R. Mealey, Town Clerk