Meeting Minutes Board of Selectmen

Town of Alstead

The Alstead selectmen met in open session on Tuesday April 19, 2016 at 6:30 at the municipal offices. Chairman Chris Rietmann called the meeting to order at 6:32 pm. Selectmen Rock Wilson and Tim Noonan were present along with 10 residents.

The selectmen reviewed and signed manifest and read correspondences.

Chris announced the meeting would be broadcasted. Chris made a motion to accept minutes with amendments and Tim seconded, motion passed.

Resident guest speaker Rich Nalavenko expressed his concern about the culvert on Hill Rd not being cleaned out in a while and is causing ice buildup in the winter months. Kelly will ask David to look into this.

Barbara Porter was present to discuss the Griffin Hill Logging and the damage being caused to the roads. The selectmen have reviewed the pictures David took and are not able to see any serious damage but offered to all go up and look at it themselves. The decided to all meet and look at it tomorrow morning.

The Fire gear has not been returned after several certified requests. The selectmen will review what the next step will be.

Ambulance Department Head, Jesse Moore was present to review the update policy he has done. He gave each of the selectmen a copy for them to review. Jesse has asked for two new position. These positions will include a stipend and it would change his budget slightly. Chris recommends Jesse can decide who will fill these positions. Jesse is working with Walpole on a letter of agreement to cover Walpole Valley and the village instead of Diluzio responding to these calls. He hopes to negotiate a fixed rate with Walpole. He is also working with Bellows Falls to help cover when a paramedic intercept is needed. Bellows Falls would charge Alstead \$250.00 per call.

Jesse explained how calls were responded to. He will be discussing the ambulance on call service at their meeting tomorrow night. He will be working on his Capital Improvement Plan. Next year the defibulator will no longer be able to be supported and need to be replaced.

Tim Noonan has given the other selectmen and David the winter policy he would like to implement once everyone has a chance to look at it.

Chris asked Kelly if she would check with the department head and see if their still had their emails. He would like to start using them to communicate.

The Fire Station doors was briefly discussed and it was decided Kelly would write a RFP to include four different doors that need to replaced or repaired.

Tim Noonan discussed back taxes and how \$494,000 was owed to the town for multiple years. Chris stated he is against acquiring any town property they are not able to sell. Last year the selectmen encouraged delinquent ones set up payment plans.

Vilas Pool committee member Bobbie Wilson reported Trish O'Brien would be taking over the record keeping. Bobbie also asked about the amount in the Vilas Dam line and the Vilas Bridge Inspection.

Rock Wilson made a motion to adjourn, Chris seconded and meeting adjourned at 8:25. Chris made a motion to go into nonpublic RSA 91-A: 3, III(b).

Respectfully submitted Kelly N Wright