

SELECTMEN'S MEETING MINUTES

June 23, 2003

PRESENT: Doug Foglio, Willis Lord, Eric Herrle, Nancy Brandt, Pam Witman, Clint Andrews, Deb Wentworth, Richard Pinette, Jason L'Heureux, Bob Fay, Brenda Charland, Pam L'Heureux, Ralph Bowley, Dean Look, Teresa Lowell, Frank & Lorraine Birkemose, John & Wendy Carter, Donald & Darthea Drew, Patti McIntyre, Mike DeAngelis, Alton Woodsome, Russ Lowell, Bob Gobeil, Paul Kussman, Fred Fay, Kevin Nelson, Frank Allen, Bob Powers, David Benton, Dick Bateman, Ernest Roberge, Sr., Ernie & Marybeth Roberge, Jr., Ed Chamberlain & Larry Jacobsen.

Selectman Foglio opened the meeting at 7:01 p.m. announcing the need for drivers to deliver Meals on Wheels.

APPOINTMENTS

7:00 - Selectman Foglio opened the Public Hearing on the Fraternal Order of Eagles Liquor License Renewal at 7:02 p.m. After no public comment the hearing was closed at 7:03 p.m. Motion by Willis and seconded by Eric to approve the Liquor License Renewal for the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Voted. Passed.

7:15 - Opened the Special Town Meeting. Reopened the Selectmen's Meeting at 7:25 p.m.

Ernie Roberge, Jr. addressed the board regarding a complaint directed at a town employee working at the Transfer Station. Has been questioned when he goes to the Transfer Station as to where the things are coming from as he is currently renting in Limerick but does own property in Waterboro and has a commercial permit. Eric stated that they have the complaint and will look into it. Doug stated that residency doesn't matter as long as you have a Commercial Haulers Permit.

Rob Ryder returned for the decision on his request for a Consent Decree. Eric stated that he did visit the site and it appears to be an honest mistake. Mr. Ryder stated that in the future, if he is doing winter construction, he will have a survey done right off. Discussed the fine amount at length. Motion by Eric and seconded by Willis to grant with a fine of \$350.00. Voted. Passed. Mr. Ryder stated that this will not happen again.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Discussed Massabesic Television and the meeting to be held on Thursday evening regarding this subject at SRCTV on Plains Road in Hollis. There are strong concerns regarding the lack of information on this channel and the amount of funding that has been given to SAD #57 for the development of this channel. Dick Bateman explained the reason for the meeting on Thursday evening. Explained how such a channel is operated where his son is an educator in Ohio. Willis and Eric both hope to attend the meeting. Eric stated that it is a sad commentary when the residents of this town prefer to watch the SAD #6 channel.
2. Discussed changing the Selectmen's Meetings back to Tuesday. Will be on next weeks agenda and make a decision then.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Patti McIntyre, CEO, addressed the board regarding a Consent Decree that was granted a while ago with a fine. Stated that the lot line was in question from before the applicant applied for a building permit. The applicant did come back in when he hit ledge and the CEO inspected and approved moving the location of the house. The Code Enforcement Office had three (3) opportunities to catch this problem and did not. Feels that the town is partially at fault and should not fine them such a large amount. Doug stated that he will not be opposed to revisiting this once there is a court decision. Patti stated that they do now know where the property line is and that she feels when the town has played a part in the problem they should look at it a little bit differently. Doug felt that they should have a time limit on how long someone has to record a consent decree. Requested that Patti find out where it is within the court system. Will wait to see what the result is within the court system.
2. Kevin reported that he has a balance of \$9,784.94 and is requesting to spend \$4,138.64 on equipment and

\$750.00 to \$800.00 for uniforms. Still not sure about the insurance. Discussed at length the net gun and Eric stated that he would feel better if he was sure it works. Doug made the motion that if he can find a place that has one of these guns that Kevin be paid to go see it and that Willis go with him. Seconded by Willis. Voted. Passed. Discussed chemical capture. Kevin agreed to have two (2) people here next week to discuss chemical capture. Motion by Eric and seconded by Willis to approve the purchase of the cage and uniforms. Voted. Passed.

OTHER

1. Doug read the announcements.
2. Doug reported that he had talked with the individual in charge of the Wells Transfer Station and how they operate. Suggested that the Transfer Station Committee talk with this person.
3. Willis explained that the redistricting has been completed and that the town will be going in with Sanford for State Senator.
4. Motion by Willis and seconded by Eric to accept the minutes of 6/16/03 as written. Voted. Passed.
5. Doug reported that he did attend the meeting on Saturday in Alfred regarding the reapportionment of SAD #57. The other five (5) towns will be writing a letter to the Commissioner of Education and the state requesting that this not go through. Reported that thirty five (35) SAD's have been reapportioned and currently six (6) are up for reapportionment and we are number six (6). He was questioned why the town did not do a petition requiring 10% of the voters in the last gubernatorial election. Eric explained that we did not request reapportionment only made the facts known and by law they have to reapportion according to the census. Doug explained that Fred Bechard had done an example reapportionment and how that would work as well as explaining the point system. They also discussed regionalization and the proposed casino in Sanford along with it's impact on the area. Requested that the Selectmen of the six (6) towns get together to discuss universal issues not SAD #57.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Willis and seconded by Eric to adjourn at 9:10 p.m..

SIGNED:

Warrant for Bills and Payroll

1. Minutes of 6/16/03
2. Consent Decree
3. Eagles Liquor License Renewal Application

APPROVED

Date _____
