

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE – TOWN OF SURRY

SELECTMEN

MEETING MINUTES DECEMBER

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. Present were Jay Croteau, Bruce Smith and Eric Eichner.

The selectmen discussed the sale of the Bergevin lot to Mark Gross.

John Davis asked if there had been any information from DES on the complaints filed. There were no responses

Hamblet electric submitted an estimate of \$615.00 to replace the electrical panel at the library. They will replace the fuse and work on the outside light on Wednesday morning.

Mary Fosher requested a copy of the Veteran Exemption denial letter for her records.

Josh Brooks and Tim Bievenu spoke with the selectmen about the upcoming budget request for the establishment of a capital reserve fund of \$7000.00 per year for equipment, to significantly increase the capital reserve fund for additional fire trucks, and to establish a capitol reserve fund for the fire house addition of approximately \$200,000.00. It was brought to the selectmen's attention the need to replace twenty air tanks at \$1000.00 apiece before their expiration date. The selectmen discussed the type of trucks that would fill the towns upcoming needs and the regionalization of EMT response in the Keene area. The fire department is pleased with the squad car for the first responders and feel it has been a benefit to the community.

John Mann spoke with the selectmen about the regionalization of the EMT response in the Keene area, the problems the outlying towns have with ambulance coverage and the cost to Keene for responding for fire and ambulance. He also spoke with the selectmen about the ongoing utility pole court case and also the ways to improve energy efficiency for the town. He had been contacted by Brian Lord about the disagreement on the London Road with his neighbor.

The selectmen signed and paid bills.

The selectmen signed payroll.

The selectmen signed the EFPS payment.

John Berglund spoke with the selectmen about enforcing the driveway regulations.

The selectmen discussed the cellar hole being dug at the Smith's house and the state of the subdivision with the Planning Board. Bruce Smith has left a print for Becky Russo.

Eric Eichner motioned to accept the minutes. Jay Croteau seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed to accept the minutes as presented.

The selectmen agreed to accept the quote from Hamblet Electrical for the library.

Jay Croteau motioned to adjourn. Eric Eichner seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed to adjourn.

The meeting adjourned at 9:00 P.M.