

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE – TOWN OF SURRY

SELECTMEN

MEETING MINUTES OCTOBER 19, 2015

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

The selectmen will invite Dave Lawrence in next week to discuss the change over to the new website.

Jay Croteau has added some information to the new website about the data verification by Avitar in process. Bruce Smith will write an informational letter for the website about the overall assessing process.

Bruce Smith spoke on the abatement request from Public Service. The selectmen have elected to have Avitar include the Town of Surry in their defense instead of having Gary Kinyon represent the town.

Jay Croteau responded to the email about the use of the continual use of original ballot box for elections. The Town of Surry will be recognized for its efforts to use the ballot box in its elections.

The selectmen will include a tribute in the town report for both Beulah and Ken Smith for their dedicated effort and lifelong commitment to the government of the town.

The selectmen signed the letter to Eversource asking them to correct the word usage to correspond with the town's wording on the pole license agreement.

The next Hazard Mitigation meeting will be held on November 18, 2015 at 7:00 at the town hall.

The selectmen discussed the culvert corrections extracted from the culvert survey by SWRPC. There were eight major culverts  $\frac{3}{4}$  to totally plugged proposed for correction including two on the Mine Ledge Road which had already been in discussion. Jay Croteau will speak to Durwin Clark about which ones could be fixed by hand and which would need a backhoe.

The selectmen discussed attending the Keene meeting on the Silvio O Conte CCP Draft on November 5, 2015. Bruce Smith had determined the number of acres and percentage of the town currently held by the Army Corp of Engineers as flood control property.

The selectmen signed payroll.

The NH Association of Assessing Officials election of officers was signed.

The closing for the Jason Marin will be held on November 9, 2015 at Attorney Kinyon's office at 11:00 A.M. Mr. Marin is working on the title insurance questions on the property.

Eric Eichner motioned to accept the minutes. Bruce Smith seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed to accept the minutes as presented.

The tenant in John Davis's house has complained about a dog chasing her at 112 Farm Rd. Jay Croteau will contact the owner.

The selectmen discussed the Surry Building permit process and have elected to leave the process as is for now instead of changing the zoning law.

Bruce Smith has asked if the site plan regulations, site plan checklist and driveway regulations could be added to the website.

Bruce Smith will contact Laura Barrett about the oldest Surry resident.

Jay Croteau will contact Williams Construction about the addition plans.

The selectmen agreed to donate \$601.00 to the Community Kitchen.

The selectmen discussed the level of importance to the lower Pond road and other large culvert repairs in preparation for town meeting.

The selectmen discussed the upcoming budget process.

The selectmen discussed the condition of the London Road and the compliance to the DES letters for Conroy.

Bruce Smith motioned to adjourn. Eric Eichner seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed to adjourn.

The meeting adjourned at 9:00 P.M.