

approved Minutes May 14, 2018 Selectmen's Meeting **Motions

Call to Order: 6:10

Present: Chair Ron Price, Selectmen Steve Bennett, Brian Jones, Treasurer Erna Keller, Town Clerk Cindy Abbott, Fire Chief Jim Waterman, Derrick Spaulding, Marilyn Perry, Mike Bailey, Tayven Bailey, Sallyann Hadyniak, Secretary.

The Board was in agreement to change the order of the agenda to hearing from those in attendance according to order first, so they don't have to sit through the whole meeting.

Fire Chief: Jim reported that on tonight's warrant a bill of sale will be listed from South West Fire Department in the amount of \$2,800.00 for the two scott air packs and four bottles. He announced the two CBQ this coming weekend, and Jon Is available to work. Regarding the 3rd party insurance some are being denied and is waiting for a report from Angie Robotelle five has been denied and one is outstanding. The department responded to 6 acres that burned in Palermo, and a farming accident on Nelson Lane in Palermo. Jim met the new fire chief of Palermo, Josh Webb.

***Review of Minutes:** Brian made a motion to accept the minutes of May 7th as amended and to be placed on file. Steve Bennett seconded the motion. All in favor,

****Treasurers Report:** Brian made a motion to accept the Payroll Warrant in the amount of \$4,580.16 and the A/P Warrant in the amount of \$12, 683.38 and the second A/P Warrant In the amount of \$812.50 (IF&W), Steve seconded the motion and all were in favor.

GA: \$887.00 this week

Correspondence: Brian set up an appointment with Christi Gould (Health Trust Services) who is filling in for Susan Smith on Wednesday, May 23rd at 9:00 a.m. in the Town Office Travis Price and Mike Bailey have to be there with one Selectman, namely Ron Price. Steve will try to make it.

****Brian:** Regarding the deed for Charlotte Shaw, Brian made motion, that the quit claim deed and the transfer tax form be dated, notarized by Cindy and signed. Steve seconded the motion. All in favor.

Brian got information from the Data Base on the Skidgel property and determined that the well is a great well It produces 8 gallons a minute. Steve and Ron met with Mike Parker and walked the property.

Public Works: Mike Bailey gave a brief report. Wanning Road is done,

Steve sent Marie Luggi all the deeds of the Post Office lots.

Steve also mentioned that he thinks we should send our garbage to Perc. Ron stated that we should give it another week and we should think about it.

****Taxes:** After a discussion, Brian made a motion that the Town of Freedom raise and appropriate the Mill rate be set at 19.9. and make the tax rate calculation form a part of the minutes and that we direct the Tax Collector send out tax bills with an accompanying letter from the Selectmen. Steve seconded the motion. All in favor of making the commitment. It is an increase of 7%.

Town Clerk: Joe picked up the flags and will start putting them up on the poles.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, May 21, 2018.

Brian made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:06 p.m. Steve seconded the motion, all in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Sallyann Hadyniak, Secretary