

Town of Eddington

906 Main Road Eddington, Maine 04428

SELECTMEN'S MEETING TUESDAY October 20th, 2020 6:00 P.M. MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER & FLAG SALUTE: Chairman, M. Carreira, opened the meeting at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Mark Carreira, David McCluskey, Pam Chapman and Deana Doughty. Ray Wood, Jr. had an excused absence.

MINUTES: Minutes of September 29th, 2020 - Motion was made, seconded & passed to accept as written.

P. Chapman / D. Doughty

Vote 3-0.

PUBLIC SAFETY REPORTS:

Fire: September Report submitted by Interim Chief, Ryan Davis. The month was very steady with calls. There were four instances when the department had two calls at the same time. D/C Russell informed the board that annual truck maintenance is done this time of year if they notice more bills than usual. Chief Ellis made several promotions before he went out for Medical Leave. Captain Craig Russell was promoted to Deputy Fire Chief and Lieutenant Alan Boynton to Captain. Holden's Fire Chief, Ryan Davis, was appointed as Acting Fire Chief for Eddington until Chief Ellis can return. Ryan said his first week or so went well and gave credit to D/C Russell for making things go as smoothly as can be. They both thanked the board for the support with night coverage and said it was going great so far.

Police: September Report submitted by PCSO. Deputy Dan Davis was introduced and spoke to the Board. He started September 28th, has been getting familiar with the town and hopes to visit the School soon to get aquatinted there as well.

NEW BUSINESS: LRAP – A motion was made, seconded and passed authorizing S. Hinkley to accept funds from the Dept. of Transportation for Local Road Assistance (FY 2020) in the amount of \$11,275.00

D. McCluskey / P. Chapman

Vote 4-0.

Mark Carreira, Chairman	Pamela Chapman, Selectmen
Ray Wood, Jr. Vice- Chairman	Deana Doughty, Selectmen
David McCluskey, Selectmen	

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New Business continued

General Assistance Form - Motion to accept new maximums. A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the new maximums as presented. D. McCluskey / D. Doughty Vote 4-0. New 911 Road Name - Craig Russell presented the request. A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept Shakedown Street as proposed. D. McCluskey / D. Doughty Vote 4-0. AFG Grant for Fire Department - A motion was made, seconded and passed to approve the bid for the PPE Washer & Drying Cabinet, from Bergeron Protective Clothing, in the amount of \$15,341.00. D. McCluskey / P. Chapman Vote 4-0. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Posting Bridge Weight - After a brief discussion, a motion was made, seconded and passed to set a weight limit of 56,000 GVW on the Clewleyville Road Bridge until the bridge is replaced in 2021. D. McCluskey / P. Chapman Vote 4-0. OTHER BUSINESS: Scholarship request from January 2020 - A Motion was made seconded and passed to donate \$100.00 for the next three consecutive years, in Memory of Mark Jarvis, the son of long time Regional Rec. Director, Ken Jarvis who passed away in November, 2019. To be revisited in three years. D. McCluskey / M. Carreira Vote 4-0. Zoning Ordinance - Town Road Acceptance process. Shawna reviewed the subject with the Code Enforcement Officer, Dean Bennet. With the current structure, Selectmen / Town Meeting form of government, he didn't believe there was a way for Selectmen to approve or accept a road without a vote by the townspeople. Dean Bennet strongly suggested a legal opinion in the form of a workshop to include the Towns attorney, Planning Board, and Selectmen. The board directed Shawna to ask the Planning Board to research how other Towns handle this process between the developer and the town. PUBLIC ACCESS: Tracy Bigney, a resident on Moonlight River Drive, expressed interested in the road acceptance process. WARRANTS: A motion was made, seconded and passed to sign. D. McCluskey / P. Chapman Vote 4-0. ADJOURNMENT: A motion was made, seconded and passed to adjourn at 6:50 pm. D. McCluskey / D. Doughty Vote 5-0. Mark Carreira, Chairman Pamela Chapman, Selectmen Ray Wood, Jr. Vice- Chairman Deana Doughty, Selectmen David McCluskey

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