

Town of Brookfield Board of Selectmen Meeting June 20th, 2023

ATTENDANCE: Rich Zacher, Chairman; Brian Robischeau, Selectman; Ed Gauthier, Selectman; Joanne Dolbear, Treasurer; Karen Servacek, Town Clerk; and Chris Kinville, Road Agent.

Also Present: Ed Comeau, Leah Gage, Brad Williamson, Jan Ledbetter, and Kate Kinville.

- Call to Order: Rich Zacher called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Approval of Minutes: Brian Robischeau made a motion to approve the minutes of June 6th, 2023 and Non Public Session meeting June 6th, 2023, seconded by Ed Gauthier. The motion passed unanimously.

Public Comment: Brad Williamson is going to be inserting a fan for the utility room where the computer server is located. He also reported the forest truck did not pass inspection. The estimation given for repairs in order for it to be passable was approximately \$4,800, specifically to fix the poor breakline and bad front suspension. The selectman decided to not spend the money on the truck

Jan Ledbetter stated she made all of the suggested edits for the resource guide and will be starting the process of creating the links.

For the little free library, Nick Laganas, who works with Carol County Construction, will donate his time, money, and materials to create the library. She requested to get together to plan where the library will go.

Town Clerk: Karen Servacek announced how the one check system is a great improvement and is a much better payment. She also stated she will be away next Tuesday and Wednesday. However, she will be available to make meetings by appointment.

Road Agent: Chris Kinville stated that the scheduled pavement projects should be scheduled for either the first or second week of July depending on the weather. He said he does not think tackling Moose Mountain changes are realistic given other pavement priorities. Also noted was the opposition from landowners in wanting to change Moose

Mountain Road. A blast was suggested to be put out to announce when and which parts will be worked on. The estimated cost is around \$200,000.

Brian Robisceau said the Heritage Commission wants to clean out the office in the Town House. Mr. Robisceau will check the items before they are thrown out.

Motion made by Rich Zacher to collect \$500 tax from the Ingles property (Map 43, Lot 1), seconded by Ed Gauthier. Motion passed unanimously

Motion made to accept veteran tax credit for the Taatjes (Map 18, Block 4, Lot C)

The July 4th meeting will be canceled and there will be another meeting if necessary.

Approval of Bills: Joannr Dolbear presented the bills for payment totaling \$263.38 and \$20,923.37.

Brian Robischeau made a motion to approve the bills, seconded by Ed Gauthier. Motion passed unanimously.

Rich Zacher adjourned the meeting at 6:23

Respectfully submitted,

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