

Town of Fairfield Select Board Minutes

September 23, 2019

In Attendance: Tom Howrigan, Gavin Ryan, Gene Archambault, and Norm Menard

Road Foreman: Maurice Jettie

Visitors: Max and Meagan Rose

Town Administrator: Amanda Forbes

Secretary: Melissa Manson

1. Max and Meagan Rose – Hill Rd came to discuss a dig across Hill Rd to install their power underground. Agreement reviewed. Moe to do final inspection. Tom moves to approve, Norm seconds as long as they adhere to the agreement. Tom signed agreement for entry limited release and the VEC agreement to work in the Town right-of-way
2. Minutes from 9.09.19 move to approve Gavin, second Norm. All in favor
3. Maurice said they still need to do some trimming at the end of Pond Rd. Installed a “STOP Ahead” sign and that helps.
4. Discussion re siding on Chesters. Bill received and is quite a bit over the estimate for labor. Much more work than expected. Billed much less than they worked. Addition on the back needs a lot of work. Try to do some cost saving there and with doors. Amanda to talk to contractor.
5. Black top all done.
6. Gavin made a motion to approve the warrants. Norm seconded. All in favor.
7. Tom made a motion to appoint Melissa Manson as the grant administrator. Gavin seconded. All in favor.
8. Amanda said the Board of Libraries (who are in charge of naming things in Vermont) was presented with a petition to name the stream that goes from Bakersfield to Whiteland Dairy Road – Paige Brook. That name will be voted on October 8 at 10am at 60 Washington St. in Barre. All good with us.
9. Lamoille Valley Rail Trail meeting by invitation only on October 1st 4-6pm.
10. Listers requested something be removed from the grand list. Personal property with a value of \$2K. Tax bill of \$17. Tom moved to approve. Gavin seconded. Ok.
11. Cargill gave salt quote. \$86.51/ton (2019 \$82.72)(2018 \$71.80) Estimated tonnage is 625. (2019-402)(2018-515)
12. Lt. Jerry Partin is the new commander of the VSP barracks. Will see us in October.
13. Tom made a motion to enter executive session to discuss a legal matter. Gavin seconded. Ongoing legal discussion. No action taken.
14. Tom made a motion to adjourn. Gene seconded. All in favor.

These minutes exist in draft form until approved by the Select Board.