

Minutes of the Selectmen's Work Session April 27, 2021

Members present: Scott Young, Chairman, Brian Monahan and Lynn Sweet
In attendance: Joann Brown, Historical Society President

The Selectmen's Work Session was called to order at 5:20PM.

Payment of bills were reviewed and approved. Minutes from the April 20th Selectmen's Meeting were read and approved.

The Selectmen reviewed applications for Zoning Board and Conservation Commission alternate positions Ms. Sweet motioned to appoint and Jean Chartrand and Charlie Burnham as Zoning Board alternates and JoAnn Brown and Liz Evans as Conservation Commission alternates. Mr. Monahan seconded the motion. The vote to accept the appointments was unanimous in support. Appointment slips were signed.

Historical Society President JoAnn Brown was in attendance to discuss plans for the Bicentennial Parade. It, along with other Bicentennial celebrations, was cancelled last summer due to Covid. Mrs. Brown would like to have the Bicentennial Parade this year and has chosen Saturday, July 10th as the date. The parade will begin in Beaver Dam Estates and continue on the same route the Memorial Day parade has traditionally followed, ending in Bow Lake Village. Mrs. Brown is hoping that the Selectmen along with Town organizations will participate. She would like the Recycling center to be closed for the day. Mrs. Brown will be working out some of the details with Police Chief Mike Richard and Fire Chief Scott Whitehouse. No other Bicentennial events are planned, though the Historical Society may hold a ham and bean supper later in the summer.

Bob Durfee from Dubois and King continues to work with NE Earth and the State on behalf of the Town toward progress on the repair of the Barn Door Gap bridge.

The Selectmen read and approved the notice for the Tri-Board Meeting to be held on May 18th following the regular Selectmen's Meeting. All members of the Planning Board and Zoning Board have been invited to attend, along with department heads. A representative from Strafford Regional Planning Commission, who will be assisting with Planning and Zoning matters in the near future, will also be in attendance. Each board will be contributing to the meeting's agenda.

The summer beach program and the use of the dam were briefly discussed.

Ms. Sweet will be the Town's voting member with regard to NRRRA matters.

At this time a motion was made by and seconded by Brian Monahan to enter into a non-public session pursuant to RSA 91-A:3 II (e). Roll call was taken as follows:

Scott Young - Aye, Brian Monahan – Aye, Lynn Sweet – Aye,

The Board entered non-public session at 5:48PM.

A motion was made by Lynn Sweet to leave non-public session and seconded by Brian Monahan to return to public session. Roll call was taken as follows:

Scott Young - Aye, Brian Monahan – Aye, Lynn Sweet – Aye

Public session reconvened at 6:16PM.

Two votes were taken/decisions made during the non-public session.

A motion was made by Brian Monahan and seconded by Lynn Sweet to seal the minutes of the non-public session. Roll call was taken as follows:

Scott Young - Aye, Brian Monahan – Aye, Lynn Sweet – Aye

There being no further business to address, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn. The work session was adjourned at 6:19PM.