Minutes of the Selectmen's Meeting April 4, 2023

Members Present: Lynn Sweet, Chairman, Brian Monahan, Chris Garcia

In Attendance: Ashley Rowe and Matt Messenger

The business portion of the Selectmen's Meeting was called to order at 5:30PM. The Selectmen reviewed and approved payroll and the payment of bills. Minutes of the March 28th Work Session were considered and approved. Some notices of pay rate were approved and signed. The Board is in search of the Town's oldest citizen to award them with the Boston Post Cane and discussed potential recipients. Two current use tax bills were approved. Miscellaneous correspondence was read and discussed.

Ashley Rowe of Norway Plains and Matt Messenger were in attendance to discuss a resident's concerns with a stone wall being pushed back and/or moved. The Town hired Norway Plains to survey the property and has found that the section of wall in question has not been compromised. The Board will be sending the survey and a letter to the resident with their findings. The Board feels if proof cannot be supplied to the Town of the stonewall being moved, the Selectmen consider this matter closed. The Board thanked Mr. Rowe for his time and effort in this matter.

The Town has received a quote for another backhoe. Mr. Messenger and Ms. Sweet will be inspecting and looking over the backhoe in Concord later this week.

The Board considered several tax refunds and will decide on these at the next meeting.

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

Lynn Sweet - Aye, Brian Monahan - Aye, Chris Garcia - Aye

The Board entered non-public session at 6:40PM.

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:

Lynn Sweet - Aye, Brian Monahan – Aye, Chris Garcia - Aye

Public session reconvened at 6:51PM.

No votes were taken or decisions were 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:

Lynn Sweet - Aye, Brian Monahan - Aye, Chris Garcia - Aye

The Selectmen continue working on the Class VI Road Policy. A brief update on the Barn Door Gap Bridge project was given.

The Selectmen were very pleased at the news of a historical marker being placed where Snackity* Meetinghouse, built in the early 1800s, once stood. In 1956, the Meetinghouse was disassembled and then reassembled on the campus of Concord Academy in Concord, Massachusetts. The structure now serves as the Academy's Chapel. There is no scheduled date as to when that the marker will be placed. *The spelling of the name of the Meetinghouse is still being discussed amongst local historians.

With no further business to discuss, a motion was made, seconded and voted on to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 7:04PM.