

TOWN OF MARLBORO
REGULAR SELECT BOARD MEETING
Thursday, October 23, 2014

ATTENDANCE:

Present were select board members Pieter van Loon, chair; Andy Reichsman and Tyler Gibbons. Also present were Patty Smith, Planning Commission member but representing herself during the unscheduled open public comment period; and Marcia Hamilton, Select Board Assistant

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting came to order at 5:03 PM.

IDENTIFY ANY CHANGES TO AGENDA:

There were no changes made to the agenda. There were items of information added at the end of the agenda.

Patti Smith was present during the unscheduled open public comment period. She proposed the Town consider some beaver proofing projects for roads. David Elliott provided a list of places in Marlboro that might be applicable, including the following roads: Church Hollow Road and the Mill Pond, Larrabee Road, Adams Crossroad, Grant Road. She recommends Skip Lisle, President of Beaver Deceivers LLC, to do a model project at one of these sites. Patti works for Bonnyvale Environmental Education Center and is interested in helping the Town find funding for such a project. The board will discuss these issues with David at an upcoming meeting

The board approved and signed Pay Orders.

The board voted (Reichsman/Gibbons) to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of 10/09/2014.

OLD BUSINESS:

There was no old business to come before the board.

NEW BUSINESS:

The board changed the November and December select board meetings to the first and third Thursdays instead of the second and fourth Thursdays. The dates are November 6 and 20; December 4 and 18.

The board discussed the workshop on Act 148, Universal Recycling Law/Pay-As-You-Throw to be held November 6, 6:30 PM, at Townshend Town Hall. This is not applicable to Marlboro because the Town does not provide the services involved. No action was taken.

The board discussed road projects planning for 2015. Andy will be in touch with Stevens & Associates about applying for another \$4,000 planning grant. Piet suggested considering the Vermont Agency of Transportation structures grant program in 2015. David will join discussions on these and other budget issues in November and December

INFORMATION ITEMS AND MAIL:

Disability Rights Vermont submitted a Polling Place Accessibility Survey Report showing the Town is out of compliance with the front door access. The report suggested an automatic door opener be installed. Forrest Holzapfel, Town Clerk, indicated in a note to the select board that the non-compliance is not a problem and he proposed to file the report as a point of information. He requested feedback from the select board. The board inspected the site and requests clarification from Disability Rights Vermont through Forrest because the board's inspection did not show a problem.

ADJOURN:

The meeting adjourned at 6:14 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Marcia Hamilton, Select Board Assistant