

# Selectmen's Work Session

## April 4, 2022

Those Present – Selectmen, Milinazzo, Redman, and Staples.

The meeting began at 4:30 PM.

Also present: Contessa Mancini, Michael Sirota, Steven Lucas, Kathy Hoey

### Topics of Discussion

- Discussion on sweeping intersections, they will be swept after winter is over.
- Discussion on the Fire Station toilets. Selectman Milinazzo will send James Ames, Fire Chief a letter to address the iron in the water.
- Discussion on a letter regarding a dog in Searsmont. The Selectmen will contact the Sheriff Department to ask for guidance on this issue.
- Discussion on the possible grants for the 63 acre property. Michael Sirota will discuss the two grants with the Selectmen at a different time. Discussion on motorized and nonnotarized trail usage.
- Discussion with Steven Lucas on grading the dirt roads. There will be rain later this week, next week Peters Road, Pond Road South, Crie Road, Lime Kiln Road and Walker Road.
- Discussion with Steven Lucas on moving heavy equipment on Thompson Road early in the morning while the road is still cold.
- Discussion on pulling the shoulders in and blending the dirt in on the road. The Selectmen will speak with Rodney on how they would like the grading of the shoulders done.
- Discussion on sand storage and possible locations for the sand shed. Selectman Milinazzo will contact Chris Corson, Ecocor, about land by Pond Road in the business park.
- Discussion on moving the dumpster from the Community Building to Crie Road on April 11, 2022.
- The Selectmen will ask Christian Halsted for a map of the Main Street North property for setbacks and distance to the river, Old Fire Station.
- Discussion on the roads, Morrow Hill, Borough Road, Thompson Ridge Road, Pond Road South, West Appleton, Magog Road, and Buck Road.
- Discussion on measuring Morrow Hill Road at the driveway for 30 Morrow Hill. The culvert may be out of the right of way.
- Discussion on trees around town. True Bragg will be asked to look at the downed trees on Crie Road, Magog Road, Moody Mountain Road, and Lawry Road.
- Discussion on the April 2, 2022 Town Meeting. Approximately 75 people attended.
- Discussion on Article 12, the 63 acre parcel, suggested that a Selectman should provide an overview of project before question and answer.

- Discussion on a Special Town Meeting in 2023 to spend the approved money for the 63 acre parcel. Kathy Hoey, Town Clerk, will contact MMA to confirm.
- Tax Club is open to join until April 30, 2022.
- Searsmont Scholarship applications are available until May 30, 2022.
- Discussion on Village Partnership for Sidewalks in Searsmont. The Selectmen do not feel this is a good fit for Searsmont.
- Discussion on "End of Public Road" sign, 12 x 18, two will be ordered.
- Discussion on the length of Pond Road South, Selectmen Redman will measure the distance to Albin Road.
- Discussion on the State Salt Bid form. Selectman Redman will contact Peter Coughlin, Maine DOT, to schedule meeting/discussion on sand/salt application, mix ratios, spreading rate.

The meeting ended at 6:20 p.m.

Transcribed by,

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