Town of Woodstock Selectmen's Meeting Tuesday, May 14, 2013

Selectmen: Jim Fadden Jr., Gil Rand, Joel Bourassa Staff: Kelley Whitman, Steve Welch, Doug Moorhead, Ryan Oleson Public: Patrick Griffin, Tanya Lopez, Terry Whipple, Stephanie MacKay-Oleson, Michael Tamulonis

Gil called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Jim seconded the motion and the vote was affirmative.

[b]Public Participation:

[b]Terry Whipple/Blasting/Daniel Webster Highway:

Terry expressed his concerns about the blasting that is going to take place on Daniel Webster Highway. Terry stated that the property is adjacent to his property and questioned why he hadn't been notice.

The Board informed Terry that the owner hadn't submitted anything other than a driveway permit, issued by the State of NH DOT, to the Town. The Board noted that it is the blasting company's responsibility to notify the abutters and all emergency response.

[b]Police Department/Sergeant Promotion/Ryan Oleson:

The Board signed an appointment that promoted Ryan Oleson from his current Corporal position to a Sergeant position. The following appointment was read aloud:

To Ryan F. Oleson of Thornton NH, in the County of Grafton.

Whereas, there is a vacancy in the office of Police Sergeant in the Town of

Woodstock New Hampshire and whereas we, the subscribers, have confidence in your

ability and integrity to perform the duties of said office, we do hereby appoint you the

said Ryan F. Oleson of Thornton NH as Police Sergeant of said town, and upon taking

the oath of office, having this appointment and certificate of said oath of office recorded

by the Town Clerk, you shall have the powers, perform the duties, and be subject to the

liabilities of said office, until another person shall be chosen and qualified in your stead.

Given under our hands this 14th day of May, 2013

[b]Minutes of the April 30, 2013 Meeting:

Joel motioned to accept the minutes of the April 30, 2013 Selectmen's Meeting. Jim seconded the motion and the vote was affirmative

[b]Sign Letter/Old Fairfield Road/James & Susan Young: The Board reviewed and signed a letter addressed to James & Susan Young, regarding Old Fairfield Road. The letter read as follows:

Your request to plow, "smooth up, back drag" and add gravel where needed to Old Fairfield Road, a Class VI Road, is granted.

We understand you want to repair and maintain the Class VI portion of Old Fairfield Road. We ask that before you do any maintenance; make any repairs, or modifications you check with our Director of Public Works first.

Please note: this road is a Class VI Road and the Town "Does Not" maintain this or any Class VI Roads.

[b]Sign/Deputy Town Clerk Appointment/Judith Boyle: The Board appointed Judith Boyle to the part-time Deputy Town Clerk position. Appointment was signed.

[b]Old Business:

[b]Furnace/Office Enclosure:

Joel questioned the status of the furnace building and the office enclosure. Jim will draw up specifications for the bid process before the May 28th meeting.

[b]Ice Pigging:

Ice Pigging has been set for May 22, 2013 between 9am-12pm. A public notice will be issued to the residents on that section of water line.

[b]Stone Wall/Curbing:

JD Granite came to look at the stone walls. They are preparing estimates to repair and/or replace of all the stone walls and the curbing by Alpine Village.

[b]Parker Ledge Road: Steve will begin accepting bids to pave Parker Ledge Road.

[b]Reservoir Road: Work will begin on the Reservoir Road after Memorial Day Weekend.

[b]New Business: Signed Checks. Discussion was held concerning the preservation of town records. The Board decided to establish a capital reserve account in 2014.

Joel motioned to adjourn the Selectmen's Meeting at 7:10 p.m. Jim seconded the motion and the vote was affirmative.