

Tuesday, April 6th 2010

Town of Woodstock
Selectmen's Meeting
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Selectmen: Gil Rand, Joel Bourassa & Jim Fadden
Staff: Sandy Dovholuk
Guests: Alyssa Yolanda, Mike Hyland, and Skip Schurman

Gil called the meeting to order at 6:30pm

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

RE: Kanc Freedom Fest

Mike Hyland stated that there has been a lot of work done since the last meeting. The group has gotten together 3 times in the past 2 weeks and all concerns have been talked about and all has gone well. Everyone involved is in support of the Kanc Freedom Fest.

Mike showed a schematic for the proposed layout of the town parking lot where this will take place. In the schematic it stated a designated place for bike parking only. Chief Moorhead thought this would be no problem as long as they were issued a temporary ordinance that specified the Bike Parking Only and it was well marked with consideration for tenants and business parking with pass.

Mike stated that some of the proposed vendors as of right now are: Rotary Club, Zip Line, Cascade Coffee House, Class of 2011, Hot Dog Vendor, Chair Massage, Pin Stripper, Small Parts for motorcycles, and Pulled Pork. There will be others which will need to go through the Chamber office for acceptance.

The tentative hours are going to be 11:00AM-9:00PM, June 17, 18, and 19. Music will be played with different bands from 12-2, 3-5, and 6-8. All this information needs to be determined for sure and will be placed on the Chamber website once it is finalized.

Electricity for the site will come from the existing pole and the Freedom Fest will be billed for any use. The meter belongs to Skip, but he will not be responsible for any electrical charges. Discussion about wireless credit card machines could be an option as well. This might be the best alternative, and it is still being looked into.

It is Mike's feeling that if all goes well this year that the Chamber will take over the Freedom Fest in future years.

Jim suggested that the town issue the Chamber a permit to sell vending spaces and the board will stipulate what the town does not allow on public property. All vending sales will go to the Chamber for expenses incurred during this event.

It was also suggested that the town issue parking passes for the businesses and tenants that have to park in the public parking lot due to the new ordinance passed in March. These passes would only be for this event.

Joel made a motion to support the Chamber as the host of this event, seconded by Jim.
Affirmative vote-unanimous.

TAX COLLECTOR/DEED NOTICES:

Melissa Sabourn, Tax Collector, handed out the list of possible deeded property as well as the list of some lien noticing. The deeding of property will not be until May so the Tax Collector

will come back at that time with unpaid property taxes to see if the town would like to own these properties due to unpaid taxes and the deed process. No decision was made this night.

REQUEST FROM FRIENDS OF LINCOLN LIBRARY:

A written request from the Friends of Lincoln Library was received for the use of Soldier's Park on May 29th, 2010 in order to have their plant sale as they have in the past. Gil made a motion to accept the use of Soldier's Park to the Friends of Lincoln Library as stated, seconded by Jim, vote in the affirmative-unanimous.

ABATEMENT/SMITH

An abatement request by the Tax Collector for William Smith was signed and approved.

INTENT TO EXCAVATE:

Notice of Intent to Excavate was submitted by Michael Donahue on three separate properties. Notice of intent to excavate were signed and approved.

MINUTES OF 3/23/2010:

Minutes of 3/23/2010 were signed and approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

Paula MacKay asked if the Pavilion could be used during Old New England Day for entertainment. The Selectmen approved use of the Pavilion but not for music.

Jim made a motion to adjourn at 8:15pm, seconded by Gil. Vote in the affirmative-unanimous.

Gil Rand
Joel Bourassa
Jim Fadden