

Town of Knox

Selectmen's Meeting Minutes May 9, 2017

Present: 1st Selectman Galen Larrabee, 2nd Selectman Jeffrey Stevens, 3rd Selectman William Ingraham, Town Clerk Carol Hamblet, Treasurer Dorrit Emerson, Planning Board Chair Walter Thompson and Justin Morton

Meeting called to order by G. Larrabee at 6:30PM.

Motion, Second and Vote 3-0 to accept minutes of the April 25, 2017 Selectmen's meeting as written.

The Board has chosen Clinton "Sonny" Holmes to honor with the Knox 2017 Spirit of America award.

J. Morton had a discussion with the Board concerning minor road, building and cemetery work in the town. No action taken. It was noted that a test needs to be done on the town generator.

G. Larrabee reported that he consulted the town attorney and the Board has the right to extend the Marijuana Moratorium for an additional six months. W. Thompson requested that a straw poll vote be taken at the upcoming special town meeting, so that the Planning Board has feedback from the townspeople about what kind of marijuana ordinances they would like to have in place. He also requested the use of comprehensive plan monies to purchase a projector. No decision on the request.

The Board approved a list of recipients for the Curravale Farms produce program.

The Board reviewed the 2016 Bridge Report received from the Maine Local Roads Center.

The Board signed the warrants for the RSU3 Budget Validation Referendum to be held on June 13, 2017.

Motion, Second and Vote 3-0 to sell Tax Map 6 Lot 65 located at 121 Kenney Road by sealed bid. It will be advertised in the Republican Journal for two weeks (May 18 & May 25). It will also be put on the town's website along with a note about the sale in the town news column in the Republican Journal and Village Soup. The bids will be opened June 13, 2017 at 6:30PM at the selectmen's meeting.

The firm that will be restoring the town's old record books will be picking up the first two volumes on May 10.


The DOT software for the program that will assist in forming a five year road plan will be available soon.

A special town meeting will be held soon. A tentative date is set for May 31st. A warrant will be drafted that includes articles for additional road work, paving, hearse house repairs, snow plow contract and a straw poll on marijuana ordinances. A special selectmen's meeting will be held to sign an official warrant.

Treasurer's Warrant was reviewed and signed by the Board.

Motion, Second and Vote 3-0 to adjourn the meeting at 7:52PM.

Respectfully submitted,


Carol E. Hamblet, Town Clerk