

STOCKBRIDGE SELECT BOARD MEETING MINUTES
Thursday, July 16, 2020
9:00 a.m.
TOWN OFFICES, 50 MAIN STREET

Present:

Chuck Cardillo, Roxanne McCaffrey, Patrick White and Mark Webber

Call to Order:

Chuck called the meeting to order.

First Chuck made a motion to approve the minutes for June 18, 2020. Patrick seconded; all were in favor.

Chris Marsden was out therefore the facilities updates were postponed.

Mark noted that the public auction for 6 Castle Hill Road will be held on August 7th at 1:00 p.m. Karen is working with Sullivan & Sullivan who will be holding the auction on site. Mark said that the property is currently overgrown to the extent that highway will need to clear the surrounding area. A minimum bid is not being required.

Chuck mentioned that he felt the painting at the intersection seems to be working well and he welcomed input. Patrick felt that there were issues with left hand turns for people coming from South Street and from Prospect Hill as with the current drawing both cannot be done at the same time. Mark said that he did ask Van from VHB to put together a cost proposal for the next step.

Annual appointments will be done at a later date as Chuck had not reviewed the list.

Next discussion was on Sunday hours at the transfer station and weekend trash pick-up throughout the town. Mark said that if the highway were to pick up on Friday afternoons, during the summer Sunday pick up is still necessary. In the past it had been the highway department at overtime at a considerable expense and there could be a better way to do this. Roxanne noted that the weekend pick-up is at the discretion of the Select Board per the highway contract. The question would be due to the cost (a four-hour minimum at time and a half pay for highway personnel) would they assign someone specifically for Sunday pick up. Patrick voiced that he did not want trash piling up over the weekend. Roxanne suggested asking Thor to pick up the Sunday hours. For the additional compactor opening; Nancy is available one day a week to fill in for Ralph's day off. She can also do three hours on Sunday or another week day. Another option would be for Ralph to close early on Saturday and pick up the trash. The Board agreed to open for three hours on Sunday; 12:00 p.m. to 3:00

p.m. Patrick suggested instead of changing Saturday hours to give Ralph an hour overtime on Saturday to pick up Town garbage.

Next was discussion on the request for a second homeowner meeting. With the need to bring in department heads it was decided to hold a 9:00 a.m. meeting on July 30th and add the discussion to the agenda.

Patrick asked again about the issue of having several docks on one property. Mark said that he should speak to Ned on his resolution.

Mark noted that the Finance Committee held their baby town meeting on Wednesday night and it went well.

Adjournment:

With no further business, Chuck adjourned the meeting.