

Peru Selectboard Meeting Minutes

August 2, 2017

Present: Todd Williams, Chuck Black and Jill Braddish.

Meeting Called to Order: Todd called the meeting to order at 6:30pm.

Review/Approve Minutes: Chuck made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 19, 2017 meeting as written; Todd seconded; all in favor; motion passed.

Request to Change Agenda/Public Comment: None

New Business

GMP Power Run Along North Road: Gene Bourne from GMP inquired about the Town's opinion on relocating the power lines on Batchelders Barn Road to North Road. The Selectboard discussed and agreed this plan would result in fewer power outages. Todd will contact Gene to inform him that the Town is receptive to the idea.

Old Business:

Berman Fill Letter: A letter has been drafted and will be signed at the next Selectboard meeting on August 19, 2017.

Resident in Need of Assistance: Chuck filed an Environmental Violation Report against Roland Williams/Andean.

Other Business

Flowers for Margaret: Todd made a motion to use Selectboard discretionary funds to send flowers to Margaret; Chuck seconded; all in favor; motion passed.

Permit Violation: The Selectboard was made aware that Juliette Britton proceeded and completed work in regard to filling in the cellar hole at The JJ Hapgood Store before her permit was approved. The Selectboard reviewed the application and confirmed a permit was never granted. They will follow up with Hal Wilkins on filing a Notice of Violation.

Personnel: Todd called an executive session at 6:57pm to discuss personnel. The Selectboard came out of executive session at 7:02pm. Chuck made a motion to pay Margaret Cobb for the normal hours the Town is open during her recovery; Todd seconded; all in favor; motion passed.

Application to DLC: Chuck made a motion to approve an application submitted by Alley Cat to cater a conference at the Lodge at Bromley on September 8th and 9th 2017; Todd seconded; all in favor; motion passed.

Road Foreman Report: Todd provided an update in Wayne's absence. The roads are in good shape. Wayne received another delivery of molasses for dust control as it is less costly than chloride. Wayne is getting estimates from HP Fairfield on used mowers for road side cutting. Todd has left messages with Bruce Orchitt regarding road side mowing for this year.

Review Bills and Approve Payment: The Selectboard reviewed all bills and approved payment.

Adjournment: Todd adjourned the meeting at 7:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Jill Braddish
Assistant Town Clerk