

# Peru Select Board Meeting Minutes

## October 21, 2015

**Present:** Todd Williams, Gail Acosta, Wayne Blanchard, Barbara Petra

**Call to Order:** Todd called meeting to order at 6:31 pm.

**Request to Change Agenda/Public Comment:** Barbara Petra wanted to be included to the agenda.

**Review/Approve Minutes from Previous Meeting:** Gail made a motion to accept the minutes; Todd seconded; all in favor; motion passed.

### New Business

**Barbara Petra:** Barbara wanted to ask about forming a committee to look into developing a plan to better use the Peru Town Green. Discussion was about funding of the project, involving others in the plan, approaching the Planning Commission regarding the process, etc. It was recommended that a well advertised special meeting of the Select Board be called inviting people to voice their thoughts and sign up for the committee to start a plan in motion.

**Planning Commission Appointment:** Stewart Beattie advised the Select board Lucas Hughes would accept Todd Williams' position on the Planning Commission immediately. Todd made a motion to appoint Lucas Hughes to the Planning Commission; Gail seconded; all in favor; motion passed.

### Old Business

**Town Garage Heat:** Three propane heaters were delivered and set up by John Carroll. The electric work still needs to be completed. Cota & Cota will set propane tanks and do the lines. The system will be fired up the following week.

**Town Center Maintenance:** There was one bid for shoveling of the Town Centers walkways. The bid was from Williams Construction at \$40. per shovel. The Select Board will take under advisement at this time.

## Other Business

**Excess Weight Permit:** A permit has been requested by BN Logging to do work on Adams Lane. An approval was given contingent on a certificate of liability being sent.

**Road Foreman Report:** Wayne reported that work was being completed on leaves, leaves and more leaves at this time. The Ford 550 is again having problems with its back-up lights. Sand pile is being finished. There was discussion on right of way on South Road for tree cutting. Wayne will be coming into the office to see if a sign needs to be ordered for a town road. He wanted to know if there was policy on what constitutes a town or private road. Research will be done.

**Review Bills and Approve Payments:** The Select Board reviewed and approved bills for payment.

**Adjournment:** Todd adjourned meeting at 7:23 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara A. Petra  
Assistant Town Clerk  
Town of Peru Vermont