

Peru Selectboard Meeting
January 6, 2021

Present: Jon Mowry, Donna Williams, Todd Williams, Chuck Black, Jennie Freeman, Wayne Blanchard, Josh Witkin

Meeting Called to Order: Jon called the meeting to order at 5:05

Review/Approve Minutes: Jon made a motion to approve meeting minutes from December 16, 2020 meeting. Chuck seconded. All in favor; motion passed.

Request to change agenda: None

Public Comment: The Peru Ice Rink is awesome!

Road Foreman Report – Wayne and Brian have managed a few small part issues on trucks. Parts on order and temporarily repaired. Otherwise, no issues. No salt areas seem to be pretty smooth still this year.

NEW BUSINESS:

Town Meeting – One time change of town meeting to Australian Ballot. Jon made a motion that the selectboard approve a one-time change from in person floor vote to Australian ballot. Todd seconded. All in favor; motion passed.

Voter information card will be sent out asap by the town office to inform the towns people of process for town meeting, electing of offices and in person voting that will be held on March 2, 2021. Informational meeting via zoom will be held on Monday, March 1, 2021 at 7:00 pm.

Incumbents will be contacted by the town office to explain the need to complete a consent form.

Discussion regarding town email collection – In order to disseminate information easier to the town, we aim to create a link on the website that will allow community members to add their addresses in order to receive information via email.

Polls will be open from 9:00am -7:00pm on March 2, 2021

Review Draft Warning – Warning was reviewed and revised where needed by selectboard.

Computer Projector for Town Center – The town is looking into purchasing a projector and screen to facilitate remote participation in meetings moving forward. With proper technology, remote involvement could help more people be involved.

OLD BUSINESS: None

OTHER BUSINESS: None

Review Bills and Approve for Payment:

Jon made a motion to approve the pay order and pay roll. All in favor; motion passed.

Adjournment: Jon moved to adjourn meeting at 5:44 pm. Chuck seconded.

Respectfully submitted,
Jennie Freeman
Peru Town Clerk