**TOWN OF PERU**

Selectboard Meeting

September 21, 2022

**Present:** Todd Williams, Chuck Black, Barbara Petra, Melinda Beebe, Wayne Blanchard

**Meeting Called to Order:** Called to order at 6:30 pm

**Review/Approve Minutes:** After review Todd motioned to accept the previous minutes. Chuck seconded; all in favor; motion passed.

**Request to Change Agenda**: None

**Public Comment:** None

**Road Foreman Report**: Wayne reported that the stump on Lovers Lane has been ground up. He has had to order a new fuel pump for Truck #1.

The road mower keeps throwing belts, he will order new bearings and belts. Todd advised that the price for gravel from David Chaves has gone up to $21.00 per yard delivered

**New Business**: None

**Old Business:** Barbara gave an update on the progress at the Peru Park. Stump removal and leveling of the ground is done. Discussion on having a meeting to set installation date(s), create assembly crews and to go over the installation plans. Barbara has created a flyer that will go out to households. This meeting is set for October 5th at 6:00pm at the Town Hall. Barbara also let the selectboard know that the folding machine has arrived, is set up and ready to go.

O**ther Business:** Discussion on whether to continue to fill the propane tank for the stove in the kitchen. Blue Flame came to fill the tank and advised that they would have to do a leak test as the tank itself was turned off. It was decided that we will not continue with propane deliveries as the stove does not get used right now. A leak was discovered under the kitchen sink and has since been repaired. While the Plumber, Mark Roberts, was here he discussed with Donna the possibility of tying the current dehumidifier in the vault to a pipe, that is already in place in the downstairs, so that it can drain and run continuously. Todd requests Barbara reaches out to GSK for an estimate on what is needed to bring the downstairs moisture levels down to utilize that space.

**Review Bills/Approve Payments:** All bills were reviewed and approved

**Adjournment:** Meeting Adjourned at 7:05pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Melinda M. Beebe

Town Clerk