

Minutes of Selectmen's Meeting, Town of Freedom, NH 03836
Monday May 13, 2013

Present: Neal Boyle, Ernest Day, Jr., Selectmen; Justin Brooks, Fire Chief; Road Agent Scott Brooks; Karen Hatch, Town Administrator; and several citizens. Selectmen Babb was unable to attend.

Meeting opened at 6:30pm. Manifests were signed and general mail was reviewed.

Being no public comment department head updates were next.

Chief Brooks reported that he hopes to have Engine 7 back by the end of the week. The Seagraves has gone to Lakes Region Fire Apparatus to be repaired with the hopes of being available for Rubber Ducky Day. The fire danger has dropped due to the rain.

Highway crew will start road grading Wednesday/Thursday for dust control application.

Brooks reported that he had a price from All States Asphalt for the magnesium which was the same as last year \$1.03/gal. He had contacted Gorham Group in New York and Innovations in Massachusetts for prices but neither had given a price. Brooks stated that he would like the first load on Friday. Brooks also said that because we have no storage or way to apply the product we could not take a bulk delivery.

Day made a motion to accept the price with All States Asphalt, Boyle seconded.

Brooks next presented the prices for long line stripping:

Industrial Traffic Lines, Inc.	\$5,595.80
L & D Safety Marking Corp.	6,852.00
Sir Lines-A-Lot, LLC	6,377.00

Day made a motion to accept Industrial Traffic Lines, Boyle seconded.

J. Brooks had presented materials and prices for the recycling contract which were the Town of Madison's from 2 years ago. These were reviewed and discussed. Brooks prefers to keep the single stream and had polled the users at the station over the weekend and they would like to keep that in place.

Brooks indicated that he would like to put out to bid and decide by the end of June, this would allow a transition period or if necessary time to rebid the contract. He and Hatch will work on the Request for Proposal and notice.

Boyle has spoken with Principal Karen Schroeder and the tentative date of the Memorial Day Service will be May 24th at 9:30am in front of the Town Hall. They are also looking at Monday June 3rd for a Selectmen's meeting at the school. Boyle to firm up the date.

Boyle also would like to have Les arrange to have someone in from the tower company next week for an update and then every other week.

Also discussed was shorefront tree cutting and the ongoing issue of beach erosion.

Brooks questioned the proposed policies progress, however, Babb was not present and he was still working on a draft of the purchasing policy.

Day made a motion to adjourn at 7:58pm.

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Neal E. Boyle

Ernest F. Day, Jr.