

Minutes of Selectmen's Meeting, Town of Freedom, NH 03836
Monday, April 7, 2014

Present: Leslie Babb, Neal Boyle, Ernest Day, Jr., Selectmen; Police Chief Josh Shackford; Karen Hatch, Town Administrator, and several citizens.

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

Babb commented on the minutes of the March 31st meeting regarding Carol Demore; he had not understood what she was asking and thought that she just wanted the board's position on recording not that she wanted the Planning Board's minutes changed. Those changes would have to come from Planning Board not the Board of Selectmen.

The board appointed Lee Fritz to the Heritage Commission as an alternate for a three year term.

The board met downstairs with the Trustee of Trusts fund; Kimberly Reis, Pat McCoy and newly elected Paul Olzerowicz. The board had requested the meeting as the latest request to return funds to a Capital Reserve Fund had been denied. After much discussion Olzerowicz will work with Hatch to get necessary paperwork for the bank to get these funds deposited.

There was also discussion on the Village Precinct state mandated Capital Reserve Fund that the Trustees are to establish. There is still confusion on that; this will also be reviewed by Olzerowicz to have his questions resolved.

The trustees were also asked to submit their meeting notice to the office for posting and upload to the website.

Babb asked for public comment and Bill Elliott inquired about the old Fire Chief's vehicle. Babb stated that it would be put out to bid.

The Fire Chief was unable to make the meeting so the Emergency Management Director was not discussed.

Chief Shackford did want to remind everyone that Madison would be hosting a seminar on the Right to Know Law; he was uncertain if they had set a date yet.

A letter had been received from an interested party wanting to purchase the town acquired lot on Cold Brook Road; letter to be placed in the file until a decision is made.

Hatch inquired about having some type of markings on the parking lot. Since the paving of the center of the travelled way people are now unsure how or where to park and is causing potential safety hazards. Board instructed to contact the Mason's as this was their parking lot to see if they would allow this or to welcome any input they may have.

Babb made a motion to enter non public session at 8:05pm under RSA 91-A:3 II(a) with the Police Chief.

Returned to open session at 8:35pm and meeting was adjourned.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Leslie R. Babb

Neal E. Boyle

Ernest F. Day, Jr.