

**Minutes of Selectmen's Meeting, Town of Freedom, NH 03836  
Monday, November 6, 2017**

Present: Neal E. Boyle, Ernest F. Day, Jr., Selectmen; (Leslie Babb absent) Kevin Well, Emergency Management Director; Karen Hatch, Town Adm.; Arlene Knight and Larry Claveau.

Meeting was called to order at 6:30pm manifests were signed and mail was reviewed.

An inquiry had been received from the Chairman of the School Board inquiring if they would like to meet at their board meeting next week. The Selectmen agreed that they would prefer the School Board meet here due to the agenda they have that night. This meeting is to discuss budget, capital reserve funds and other financial issues.

Day asked for public comment and Wells gave an update on the storm event on October 29<sup>th</sup> which downed trees and caused power outages scattered throughout town. He stated that the electric companies fail us. There were plenty of tree crews but limited line crews. This included both Eversource and NH Electric Co-op. He detailed some of the issues but reported that damage overall in Freedom was not excessive.

Claveau who lives on West Danforth Road is reporting his concern with the personal golf carts that travel up and down the road. The campground doesn't police their site owners and he doesn't see the town cruiser up there much. Claveau is concerned for their safety including meeting a FedEx or UPS truck. He is now complaining because he has had an incident where a cart cut in front of him. Day stated that he would contact the police department regarding this issue.

Hatch reported that the office was having issues with the septic tank which McKinley will be addressing. The tax rate has been set and the Tax Collector hopes to print bills Thursday.

Being no other business the meeting adjourned at 7:26pm.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Karen Hatch  
Town Administrator

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Neal E. Boyle

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Ernest F. Day, Jr.