

**Minutes of Selectmen's Meeting, Town of Freedom, NH 03836
Monday, October 7, 2019; Freedom Town Hall**

Present: Leslie R. Babb, Ernest F. Day, Jr., Alan G. Fall, Selectmen; Janice Zecher, Administrative Assistant; Rob Cunio, Fire Chief; Josh Shackford, Police Chief; Justin Brooks, Transfer Station Manager; Kevin Wells, Emergency Management Director; Cailee Mickle, Senior Resources Coordinator; Public: Mark & Nanci Bossi, Judy Blake, Bill Elliott, Linda Habif

Kevin Wells reported that the Hazardous Mitigation Plan is due again in 2020. He is choosing a consultant and is applying for a grant. Plans need to be on file with the state in order to apply for FEMA funds. Les made a motion to move forward to find a consultant, seconded by Ernie, Alan was in favor.

Les made a motion to enter into negotiations with Action Ambulance, seconded by Ernie, Agreed to by Alan.

Cailee Mickle, Senior Resources Coordinator reported that she had researched available resources in the area, will be meeting with both Josh at the Public Safety Building regarding her office space and the Committee on Aging to update her progress.

Public Comment: Mark Bossi mentioned that Forest Fire would also be a concern for the Emergency plan. Kevin Wells told him that had already been done. Mark said campfires as well. Some people have very large campfires that could easily catch trees on fire. Mark asked the Board of Selectmen if there was anything in the ordinance about fireworks other than the allowed dates. Discussion about the fireworks problem around Ossipee Lake and the difficulty of the Sheriff's Office dispatch and the Police in locating the offenders as the fireworks are generally finished by the time anyone gets there.

Department Heads: Justin reported that the Transfer Station is now on Winter hours. Chief Shackford reported continued complaints about golf carts on West Bay Road, as well as several civil calls. Rob Cunio gave a list of calls answered by the Fire/Rescue department.

Alan made a motion to go into nonpublic session at 7:34pm under RSA 91-A:3II(A). Returned to public session at 7:44 pm. Motion was made by Alan to cover Karen Hatch's COBRA coverage, single coverage only through 12/31/19. Seconded by Les, Ernie was in favor.

Question about 90 Moulton Road and how to move forward now that it was owned by the town. It was agreed by all Selectmen that Attorney Ratigan would handle this.

There being no further business, Les made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Alan. Meeting was adjourned at 7:55pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Janice Zecher
Administrative Assistant

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At 7:35 pm, Les Babb made a motion to enter non public session under RSA 91-A:3 II(a); seconded by Ernest Day

Roll Call Vote:	Leslie Babb	yes
	Ernest Day Jr.	yes
	Alan Fall	yes

The board entered nonpublic session at 7:35pm.

The board reconvened the public session at 8:19pm. There was no vote to seal the nonpublic minutes.

A motion was made by Les Babb to adjourn, seconded by Alan Fall, agreed by Ernest Day. Meeting was adjourned at 8:20 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Janice Zecher

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