

**Minutes of Selectmen's Meeting, Town of Freedom, NH 03836
Monday, April 6, 2015**

Present: Leslie Babb, Neal Boyle, Ernest Day, Jr. Selectmen; Karen Hatch, Town Adm.; Fire Chief Justin Brooks, Police Chief Josh Shackford and Lee Allison.

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

The new six year ambulance contract with North Conway Ambulance/CarePlus had been signed by all participating towns last Monday evening.

Babb asked for public comment and Allison asked for the annual amounts of the ambulance contract and a schedule was provided to her.

Babb asked for department head updates; Brooks had received just two prices on the new fence and gates for the Transfer Station. GCAA Fences Inc. quoted a price of \$10,320.00 and Gorham Fence Company, Inc a price of \$10,310.00 Brooks stated that GCAA would set the posts in concrete the other company did not. Brooks recommended that the board accept GCAA's proposal. Day made a motion to accept the bid from GCAA Fences Inc.; Boyle seconded, so voted.

Brooks also reported that the call volume is up at the Fire/Rescue Department. He updated the board with vehicle repairs and inspections.

Shackford shared that the trial of State of NH vs David Boyd involving Brooks was this Wednesday. This was due to an incident this past summer at the Transfer Station.

Brooks reported that the new Transfer Station Facility permits were now on sale.

Shackford reported that the organization Reach the Beach had contacted him regarding a possible change in their course. They are looking at the possibility of East Madison Road to Lead Mine Road which is through the Town Forest to Camp Calumet. This would need to be proposed to the Forest Advisory Committee who would make a recommendation to the Board of Selectmen.

Babb made a motion to enter non public session at 7:28pm under RSA 91A:3 II(a) with a complainant, the Fire and Police Chiefs. She left the non public at 7:40pm and the meeting was not adjourned to public session until 8:08pm at which time the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,
Karen Hatch
Town Administrator

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Leslie R. Babb

Neal E. Boyle

Ernest F. Day, Jr.

Check future meeting minutes for any amendments or changes to these minutes.