

Town of Amherst Maine

Selectman Meeting

January 12, 2022 6:00 PM | Meeting called to order by Westley Ellington

In Attendance

Phil Deckers, Crystal Butterfield, Wes Ellington

Approval of Previous Month's Minutes

The Selectboard voted 3-0 to approve the previous month's minutes

Approval of Warrant

The selectboard voted 3-0 to approve the current warrant

Roads

- No new business

School

- No new business

Town Office

- A proposal to meet new state standards within the Shoreland zoning ordinance was made by the planning board.
 - This will need to be voted on during the annual town meeting.
- Deb Palman was in attendance to present the new building, application, form as developed and proposed by the planning board.
 - The select board voted 3 to 0 in agreement with the new form
- The new town credit cards were received
- ARPA grant was approved and funding should arrive within the first quarter of 2022
 - Selectboard will begin reviewing uses for the money
 - Wes Ellington will work with appropriate parties to determine if any of this funding can be used for the repairs and improvements of the upstairs in the Town Office

Correspondence

- In regards to the letter sent by Celeste Cram last month about an alleged illegal junkyard in Selectboard has reached out to MMA for guidance which it has received.
 - Phil Deckers will share the guidance from MMA with Rebecca Albright to determine what our next steps are

- Wes Ellington will discuss with Mark Gibson the process for moving land from tree growth to open space

Other Business

- Motion made to adjourn meeting at 7:00 PM
 - Passed 3-0

Next Meeting

February 9, 2022 at 6:00 PM; Amherst Town Hall