Town of Amherst Maine Selectman Meeting

January 14, 2020 6:00 PM | Meeting called to order by Westley Ellington

In Attendance

Phil Deckers, Greg Palman, 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 request was made by the Town Treasurer to prepare the February 2020 Warrant prior to 2-11-2020.
 - Wes Ellington will complete this prior to the date requested
- Motion made to investigate the cost of repairing the floor in the Town Office Meeting Room
 - o Passes 3-0
 - Phil Deckers will follow up with local contractors to get an idea of cost and timeline for this work

Correspondence

- US Census Bureau, Requesting the Completion of the Annual New Residence Survey
 - Wes Ellington will complete this online
- Carryover from December
 - The Selectboard will contact the Maine Department of Health and Human Services regarding the Mail-In-Review for General Assistance (Wes Ellington)
 - The name on the account needs to be changed to "Selectboard of Amherst" as it is currently addressed to Donald Jordan.

Other Business

- Motion made to Dispose of Tax Account #302 (Lot 002-036)
 - Passed 3-0
- Motion made to Dispose of Tax Account #260 (Lot 003-036)
 - Passed 3-0
- Motion made to Dispose of Tax Account #00008 (Lot 002-094)
 - Passed 3-0
- Greg Palman is going to investigate through Maine Municipal Association if they have a procedure drafted for the current process of disposing of Town Owned Properties.
- Wes Ellington is going to verify that the Town does own the properties which were voted on to be disposed of with the Town Treasurer.
- Motion made to hold a special meeting for the disposal of town owned properties for January 28th at 6:00 PM
 - o Passed 3-0
- The Union River Solid Waste Co-op sent notice that they had not received the November payment from Amherst
 - Need to verify that the check wasn't cashed
 - Need to add new check to February Warrant
- Motion made to adjourn meeting at 7:26 PM
 - o Passed 3-0

Next Meeting

TBD, Amherst Town Hall