Town of Amherst Maine Selectman Meeting

October 18, 2021 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

- Awaiting Salt Contract
 - Should have contract by next meeting
- An email was drafted, and sent to Peter Coughlin at the Maine DOT discussing the town of Amherst's views on the Tannery Loop bridge (3320) being classified as LURB.

School

No New Business

Town Office

- Reviewed Annual Budget and Current Expenditures (Budget Health)
- Workers comp info was completed and provided on October 15
- ARPA status need updated or to update the DUNS number
 - Jen is looking into this currently
 - This should be the last information needed to complete
- The Selectboard voted 3 to 0 to move all of the towns' banking accounts to Machias savings bank.
- The select board voted 3 to 0 to manage these accounts manually instead of paying the bank to manage in an automated fashion

Correspondence

- Andrew Braley of the Hancock county emergency management agency contacted Phill Deckers about NEMS compliance
 - o The select board is of the opinion that this does not apply to Amherst
 - Phil Deckers will follow up with Andrew Braley

Other Business

- Regarding the McGlaughlin property; the town will need to provide Mark Gibson proof of foreclosure
 - o The select board believes this was completed prior and will verify
- Regarding Craig and Lori Rice, the select board needs to contact Mark Gibson as the mother, Diane Stephenson, is currently incapacitated and her and her son Dwayne live at the property currently.
- Crystal Butterfield is currently drafting a letter to Vasant to reinstate power at the Amherst sand shed.
 - o Rob Muncey will install a new service on the building
- Motion made to adjourn meeting at 7:04 PM
 - o Passed 3-0

Next Meeting

November 15, 2021 at 6:00 PM; Amherst Town Hall