

Town of Amherst Maine

Selectman Meeting

March 19, 2020 6:00 PM | Meeting called to order by Westley Ellington

In Attendance

Phil Deckers, Wes Ellington (Greg Palman was ill and could not make the meeting)

Approval of Previous Month's Minutes

The Selectboard voted 2-0 to approve the previous month's minutes

Approval of Warrant

The selectboard voted 2-0 to approve the current warrant

Roads

- Town Roads have all been posted for the spring season

School

- Schools were closed and school activities ceased on 3/19/2020
 - Discussed the potential impacts to budget and expenses

Town Office

- The Selectboard reviewed the current annual expenditures.
 - Need to investigate the issue with payment from November 2019 to TRIO
- Town General Assistance Binder
 - Need to review updated General Assistance Ordinance from MMA
 - Potential to update our Ordinance to follow
 - Tabled discussion until next month's meeting

Correspondence

- Complete Quit Claim Deed for Map 002 Lot 040-010 and mail to purchasers.
 - Greg is working on this. Need to follow up.
 - We are holding their check until release of Quit Claim Deed
- Discuss purchase offer extended to current residents of property of Map 006 Lot 080.
 - We have received no response from the current tenants
 - This discussion was tabled until the April Meeting

Other Business

- Town Owned Property Disposal Process Update
 - Tax Account #302 (Lot 002-036)
 - Tax Account #260 (Lot 003-036)
 - Tax Account #00008 (Lot 002-094)
 - These were posted on March 9, 2020 and acceptance of bids will cease on March 22, 2020
 - A meeting has been scheduled by the Select Board to review bids and determine successful bidders for each property posted.
 - This meeting is set for March 24, 2020 at 7:00 PM
 - The selectboard needs to begin drafting winning bid letters to be populated at the meeting on March 24, 2020 and sent out there after
- Motion made to adjourn meeting at 6:43 PM
 - Passed 2-0

Next Meeting

March 24, 2020 at 7:00 PM; Amherst Town Hall