Town of Amherst Maine Selectman Meeting

June 15, 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

- Wes Ellington Discussed with Selectboard the meeting notes from the meeting with Machias Savings Bank on the town's financial health
- Wes Ellington will follow up on credit card bill for town
 - Email stated the credit card bill was late but the town has not received one
- Wes Ellington will present the proposed 2023 budget at the July Selectboard meeting
- Wes Ellington will discuss with Deanne Deckers whether or not we are charging individuals the abatement fees incurred after liens are enacted
- Selectboard discussed the raise in county tax for the year 2022 after Hancock county had advised not to expect any increases
- Select board discussed that all town officials need to take FOAA training if they have not already
- Selectboard discussed updated background check requirements for concealed carry permits
 - O Phil Deckers will work with Hancock County Sheriff's Department to determine if the town can enter into an agreement to perform our background checks

Correspondence

- Louise Comeau turned in her resignation to the school board
- Doreen Libby's FOAA request has been fulfilled

Other Business

- Wes Ellington to discuss with MMA what is within the towns rates to refuse personal copies or faxes at the town office?
- Motion made to adjourn meeting at 7:14 PM
 - o Passed 3-0

Next Meeting

July 13, 2022 at 6:00 PM; Amherst Town Hall