

## **SELECTMEN'S MEETING SUMMARY**

### **July 17, 2013**

At 7:00 pm prior to the weekly selectmen's meeting Selectman Wesley Daniel opened a public hearing to receive comments or questions regarding the proposed adoption of Appendices A, B, C, D, and E as amendments to the Town of Washington General Assistance Ordinance. One citizen was in attendance in addition to the municipal officials. With only one question the public hearing was closed at 7:05 pm, and the weekly selectmen's meeting was called to order Selectman Wesley Daniel with Selectmen Donald Grinnell and Duane Vigue also present.

The summary of the July 10, 2013, selectmen's meeting was approved as written.

The selectmen voted unanimously to approve a two payroll warrants of \$3,898.64 and \$888.11 and an accounts payable warrant of \$19,136.58 that included the annual garage mortgage payment of \$12,967.78 to Machias Saving Bank. The selectmen reviewed the TRIO expense report dated July 17<sup>th</sup>.

Jonathan Daniel, Road Commissioner, was absent but provided a report of his activities July 7 – 13. The selectmen voted unanimously to approve his report. Paving of the Bill Luce Road will occur in a couple of weeks.

Robert Temple, Code Enforcement Officer, was present but had no written report. Bob discussed the following items:

- 1) Letters have gone out to all mining operators reminding them that annual inspections must be completed by October 31<sup>st</sup>. They have to call for an appointment. Failure to have the inspection completed or to pay the annual inspection fee will result in issuance of a stop work order.
- 2) Bob will be sending a letter to Lawrence Nash about an unpermitted 5<sup>th</sup> wheel camper on his lot on Washington Pond.
- 3) The cell tower pre-application meeting with the planning board will be in August.
- 4) The selectmen authorized Bob to send a letter to J.C. Stone to either apply for a variance to mine rock below the water table or appeal the stop work order which will be issued on July 18<sup>th</sup>.
- 5) Bob will attend a meeting on preliminary flood insurance ratings in Rockland on July 31<sup>st</sup>.

After a chimney inspection of the Library by Ridge Top Chimney, the selectmen voted unanimously to have the chimney repaired at a cost of \$475.00.

The selectmen voted to approve the slate of officers for vice-president and executive directors of Maine Municipal Association.

The selectmen voted unanimously to adopt Appendices A, B, C, D, and E as amendments to the town of Washington General Assistance Ordinance. These amendments establish incomes guidelines for approval of general assistance applications.

With no further business to come before the board, the selectmen adjourned at 7:32 pm.