

**Selectmen's Meeting Summary  
December 26, 2012**

The weekly selectmen's meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm, December 26, 2012, by Selectman Wesley Daniel. Selectmen Donald Grinnell and Duane Vigue were also present.

The summary of the December 19, 2012 was accepted as written.

The selectmen voted unanimously to approve a payroll warrant in the amount of \$7,705.84 and an accounts payable warrant of \$3,665.26. Online records at Machias Saving Bank dated December 26<sup>th</sup>, showed \$100,000.00 in the operating account and \$655,052.47 in the interest bearing sweep account. The selectmen reviewed the TRIO expense report dated December 26<sup>th</sup>.

Road Commissioner Jonathan Daniel was absent but provided a written report of his activities December 16-22. The selectmen voted unanimously to approve his report. One plow truck has been towed to Cushing Diesel to have the engine rebuilt.

Code Enforcement Officer Robert Temple was present but had no written report. The selectmen, CEO and resident Brian Alves discussed a complaint from Mr. Alves regarding numerous land use violations on property abutting his on Nelson Ridge Road North. Both the CEO and Mr. Alves had pictures of the issues. Bob is working on a letter to be sent to the property owner listing the violations and giving the owner 30 days to comply or to meet with him with a plan to bring the violations into compliance. Mr. Alves was agreeable to that. There is also a repeated issue of horses on that property continuously being loose. The ACO is looking into that issue.

Bob reported that all gravel pits have been inspected.

David Williams was present and asked what action the selectmen had taken as a result of the public hearing regarding the posting of McDowell Road as "No Thru Trucks". Wes and Duane told Mr. Williams that the selectmen had voted to suspend any action for 60 days to see what increased Sheriff Patrol presence had on the speeding truck traffic on the road.

The selectmen will start drafting the 2013 municipal budget after their weekly meeting on January 2<sup>nd</sup>.

With no business to come before the board, the selectmen adjourned at 7:25 pm.