

Selectmen's Meeting May 5, 2009

Vinal Pendexter, Peggi Aspinall, and Nancy Perkins were present for the meeting.

Warrants and Minutes signed.

Motion made to appoint Dan Sherman to a 3-year term on the Planning Board. Seconded and approved.

Peggi volunteered to represent the selectmen as a member of the School District Planning Committee for Cornish.

Selectmen agreed to set aside May 17th to measure the Country Homes, LLC building.

Nancy suggested the Fire Department meet with MMA representatives to review the new coverage.

Nancy informed the selectmen that Time Warner is finally doing the density survey of South Cornish.

A town resident received conflicting answers from the town's fire warden and the State's warden regarding issuing a burn permit and took the complaint to Nancy Perkins. Selectmen discussed the details and agreed that a policy needs to be in place for just such an occurrence. Nancy agreed to phone Mark Mayhew of the Forrest Service and David Bower at the Parsonsfield town office for clarification.

Selectmen discussed a letter from Philip Sargent asking for a reduced rate to use the fairgrounds. It was decided to discuss the issue when they meet with the Fairgrounds Advisory Board.

Funding the Engineering for the High Road project was discussed. Motion made to talk with Robert Sturgeon about taking \$4000 from sidewalks, \$4000 from roads/bridges, and \$4000 from the DOT account to fund the Engineering. Seconded and approved.

Vinal has talked with Rick Reinhard regarding the work to be done at Pike Hall and the installation of the Welcome to Cornish signs. Rick agreed to work on an hourly basis as time permits between other jobs. Nancy offered to show Rick the locations (4) for the signs. She asked if the property owners had been contacted and permission granted. Diane confirmed that everyone had given permission.

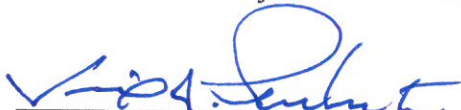
Vinal informed the selectmen that the Town's purchase of the Riverside Cemetery land for Cornish Parks and Recreation's ball fields is about to be executed within a month or two. The land survey has been agreed upon and is back. There is one modification to the

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survey that needs to be done. Vinal has already talked with Mike Hartford about it. They will meet with Mike Hartford and the rest of the family to make sure everyone knows what's going on. Nancy asked what will it cost us to have the lawyers draw up what needs to be done there. A ballpark of \$5000? Vinal didn't think so. He feels that a couple of deed swaps will have to be done. He thinks that the outfit that did the survey will write up the verbiage on the deed swaps.

A background check for a Concealed Weapons Permit was signed.

Motion made to adjourn. Seconded and approved.



Vinal Pendexter



Margaret Aspinall



Nancy Perkins