

MINUTES OF SELECTMEN'S MEETING

JULY 3, 1996

Present: Carlton Candage, Vinal Pendexter, and William Pease.

1. Meeting started at 7:00 PM
2. Read and accepted the minutes and warrant.
3. Chris Birchfield has requested to come before the board of selectmen. She has a couple worries about the condition of the Odd Fellows Hall. Jim Syracuse did an assesment evaluation on the Odd Fellows Hall. Her subject is the building itself. She is worried the town and the church is not maintaining the building. Chris has some ideas, maybe we should sell the building? She also would like to know why some people can use the building and some can't? She would like to see this building maintained like the fairground and the Town Hall. Selectmen explained to her that a citizen of Cornish need to put this on the warrant. Chris wants to know if we could have a special town meeting to raise the money to upkeep the building? There is not one planned at the present time. In the meantime Chris would like to know what she can do to get this on the warrant.
 1. Get an estimate.
 2. Have a plan, needs to prioritized and a time frame needs to be set.
 3. Someone needs to formulate an article to present to the budget committee and go before the people. It will take someone with the ability and the energy to do this work.
4. The condition of the building is a planning board issue. Chris would

like to know where she is to go if the planning board does not respond to the issue? The Selectmen have had to look over all the committees. There needs to be some training to have some understanding of some of the matters going on with the planning board. Need to get in touch with Colleen Cuningham about workshops for the planning board.

5. Margo Frazier will be here on Friday July 12 at 9:00 AM to tour potential buildings.
6. Rte 5 sewer project. Bill needs to call Ben Viola to get this coordinated.
7. Issue on planning board generated by Carl Wallace about Lill Bell and Redlon Cope. Need to contact them to see if they have still interest on being on the board.
8. Sand and Salt project need to meet with Bobby Libby to see where we are going. Vinal will contact Bobby Libby. Vinal will also talk to the Pike's on the gravel pit. Carlton will talk to Arlene Blaney.
9. Need to advertise for two alternate/ members for the planning board.
10. Letter to participate in helping develop Consolidation Plan to distribute Block Grants. Carlton will call and tell them the selectmen are coming.
11. Charlene mentioned someone is interested in replacing the flag. Have Charlene follow up on this.
12. Motion to go into executive order. Seconded. Vote 3-0.
13. Freeman has asked the town to pay twenty dollars a month towards his pager. We can not do this.
14. Motion to adjourn. Seconded. Vote 3-0.
15. Meeting ended at 8:30 PM.

Linda Duplessis, Secretary

Camron J. [unclear]

L. W. [unclear]

William R. [unclear]