NORTH WALPOLE VILLAGE DISTRICT

Minutes of the Board of Commissioners Patrick Kiniry Melissa Colburn Celeste Aumand Office Tel: 603-445-2453

Date: October 06, 2020

Commissioners: Patrick Kiniry, Melissa Colburn, Celeste Aumand

Attendees: Bob McGuirk, Water; Bill Crawford, Fire Amy Howard, Walpole Library Board of Trustees, Chair

Commissioner's Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm, October 06, 2020.

Minutes of Sept 29, 2020 approved by Motion from Com Kiniry, seconded by Com. Aumand. Three in favor.

Amy Howard:

Ms. Howard attended the meeting to update the Commissioners on the North Walpole Library and what the Trustees had planned for the future of the North Walpole Branch. One of the primary objectives is to catalog all of the books, which has never been done and to upgrade the computer/internet system to make it compatible with the Main Library in Walpole Village. This will enable visitors to North Walpole Library to access State Library and to use the internet for other activities, including job searches. They plan on adding some children's books and perhaps even have a children's program once a week. Also, adding additional hours and perhaps even having evening hours one day a week. No date has been set for the reopening as there are a number of changes that need to take place first. In the meantime, North Walpole Residents do have the option of using the Main Library at 48 Main Street in Walpole. Ms. Howard will send the Village information that can be placed on the Village site.

FIRE:

Chief presented invoices totaling \$ 5,054.02, which were approved by a motion from Com Aumand, seconded by Com Colburn and voted in favor by all three Commissioners. Chief noted that Amer Electric will be in on Friday to try and determine why the outside alarm system is not working.

Chief and Commissioners reviewed the fuel prices discussed last week between the State prices and those at Cota & Cota. Motion by com Aumand, seconded by Com Kiniry for Chief Crawford to enter into an agreement with Cota & Cota to purchase diesel and gas fuel at their Bellows Falls facility. All three in favor. Chief will maintain the State card to be used if they are on an out of town call and require fuel.

There will be a Boot Drop in front of the Fire Station this Saturday, October 10, 2020. The Fire Department has decided to form their own Safety Committee and separate from the Walpole Town Safety Committee. They will discuss this at the next Walpole Town Safety Committee Meeting. The North Walpole members would like to meet with the North Walpole Commissioners at the October 13th Commissioner's meeting.

WATER:

Bob has completed the quarterly DBP and Water use reports to be sent to DES. Water samples will be taken on Wednesday and delivered to EAI.

Crew will hand deliver 1,4-Dioxane Violation Notices to residents of lower level on Saturday, October 10m 2020.

Bob & Patrick will also contact the remaining unpaid water users to collect their payments.

HYDRANT FLUSHING:

Hydrant Flushing will take place on Saturday, October 17, 2020 starting around 9:00 am.

MISC:

Com Kiniry noted that a request must be made to the State to transfer the license plate from the old lawn mower to the new lawn mower. Special paperwork is needed.

Motion by Com Aumand, seconded by Com Colburn to adjourn the meeting at 8:20 pm, three in favor.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:20 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, William H. Moses

Patrick Kiniry, Chair

Melissa Colburn

Celeste Aumand.

Note: These are UNAPPROVED minutes. Any Corrections will be found in the Minutes of the next Commissioner's Meeting.

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