APPROVED MINUTES FREEDOM BOARD OF SELECTMEN June 12th 2017

REGULAR MEETING

CALL TO ORDER: 6:15 pm

PRESENT: Selectmen Ron Price (Chair), Steve Bennett and Brian Jones. Also in attendance were Jim Waterman, Travis Price, Cindy Abbott and Erna Keller.

REVIEW MINUTES: Minutes from June 5th 2017 were reviewed. **Steve/Brian**, made motions, to accept with removal of applicants names and place on file; motions passed.

Minutes from June 12th 2017 were reviewed. **Steve/Brian**, made motions, to accept as written and place on file; motions passed.

TREASURER:

Erna reported:

Ending checkbook balance.....\$192,444.33

Steve/Brian moved to accept and sign the payroll; motion passed.

Steve/Brian moved to sign the A/P warrant; motion passed.

TOWN CLERK:

Cindy reported:

We have office AC that is on its last leg

New ACO Peter Nerber has been sworn in

ACO would like equipment we have to be left incase residents need them. We had someone sign out & bring back have a heart trap already.

He would like 2 cat carriers

Brian/Steve made motion for Treasurer to purchase 2 cat carriers

Ordered 2 Doskocil 23" Pet Taxi cost is \$26.44 each + \$2.91 tax= \$55.79 (used Erna's acct so we paid \$2.91 for tax instead of \$11.98 shipping)

Delivery will be Thursday June 15th 2017

FIRE DEPT:

Jim reported: Cindy has a copy of the Mitigation Plan in office New big Emergency Operations Map for EMD office

PUBLIC WORKS:

Grading will start tm

Contract with Asplundh Tree Expert Company for Sibley Road:

Remove Brush & Hazard Trees
(from the edge of payment to 15' into R.O.W)
Trim limbs over roadwayto the height of 16'
All wood over 4" in diameter is to be left in the R.O.W
approx 4000 of roadside work on the opposite
side of from the power lines \$2300

Brian/Ron made motion to accept Asplundh bid and to proceed as soon as they can start Steve abstained

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Selectmen have a list with names of a rep that will go around town to look at what trees they think CMP should have removed. Asplundh can get subsidized from CMP for some

Once Asplundh is done Travis will start ditching Paving will be done to Sibley & Mitchell Road this year

RECREATIONAL COMMITTEE:

Travis will start work on snack shack roof/eves and putting wood chips down at playground equipment when they work on chipping roads.

Brian/Steve made motion to have Travis consult with the rec comm to decide on color for sheds

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Brian/Steve motion for executive session at 8:45 (1MRSA 405(6)(D) ended @ 8:45 no decisions made

NEW BUSINESS:

Ron/Brian made motion to semd supporting letter to Gov. Lepage to sign LD725

Ron/Brian motion to adjourn meeting 9:00 pm

Next Regular meeting will be June 19th 2017 @ 6:00 pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Deputy Secretary Erna Keller

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