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SELECTMEN'S MEETING MINUTES

November 8, 2022

The Board of Selectmen was present for the election at the Marlborough School from 7:45 am – 10:05 pm. At 10:00 am Ellen Smith, Town Administrator, and David Aiken, RTC Manager joined Chairman Paight, Selectman Pitt, and Selectman Nelson to conduct regular weekly business.

David advised the board that one of his employees will be leaving, his last day is November 12, 2022. He went on to explain that he is looking to step away as manager and this may be a good time for a transition. There was some discussion about placing an advertisement. As the town continues to investigate the options available to streamline operations due to the increased costs for disposal and hauling as well as the changing recycling market, it is important to analyze how much of each recycled material was collected over the past year. David agreed to meet with David Graham in the selectmen's office to provide additional information. The board stressed that no decisions have been made.

David left the meeting at 11:40 am.

Selectman Pitt moved to approve the November 10, 2022 Payroll Check Register in the amount of \$733.92, the Direct Deposit Register in the amount of \$10,037.32, and the Accounts Payable Check Register in the amount of \$30,385.79, seconded by Selectman Nelson. The vote to approve was unanimous.

Selectman Pitt moved and Selectman Nelson seconded a motion to accept a \$250.00 donation to the recreation department from the Hamblet Electric Charitable Foundation in accordance with NH RSA 31:95 (b), vote to accept was unanimous.

The board agreed to continue groundskeeping services with Personal Touch Yard Care as there will be no cost increase for 2023.

Selectman Pitt moved and Selectman Nelson seconded a motion to appoint Trent Boehmler to the Energy Committee, vote to approve was unanimous.

The board signed a driveway permit for Map 02-079.

The board spoke to Ed Goodrich about the stone village monument. The Board of Selectmen approved the design as long as the Library Board of Trustees was in agreement. It was the board's understanding that the trustees had approved its installation after construction which was reflected in the BOS meeting minutes.

TA Smith left at 1:15 pm.

Electrical Inspector Hamilton Richardson discussed requirements that were not met by an electrician on a new house built in town.

The Board of Selectmen remained at the Marlborough School until the conclusion of voting at 10:05 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Ellen Smith, Town Administrator