

NOTICE

Town of Lowell

SELECT BOARD MEETING

THE LOWELL SELECTBOARD WILL MEET ON

Tuesday May 15, 2018 AT 5:30 P.M.

AT THE TOWN OFFICE BUILDING.

AGENDA:

- Sign Orders
- Approve minutes from May 1, 2018
- Kempton Hill Bridge
- Other business

SELECTBOARD:

Richard Pion- Chm.

Alden Warner

Dwight Richardson

MINUTES

SELECT BOARD MEETING

TOWN OF LOWELL

Meeting held on May 15, 2018 at 5:30 p.m.

Board members present:

Richard Pion/Chair, Alden Warner, Dwight Richardson

Christy Pion/Select Board Clerk

Calvin Allen/Road Commissioner

Sandy LaDeau/Town Clerk & Treasurer

Meeting was called to order at 5:36 p.m.

Guest:

Priscilla Matten- Town Auditor

Sam Thurston

Margorie Kramer

Sign Orders:

- Orders were signed by the Board unanimously for the Treasurer.

Approve minutes for May 1, 2018:

- Minutes for May 1, 2018 meeting were approved and signed by the Board unanimously.

Kempton Hill Bridge:

- Sam Thurston and Margorie Kramer came to the meeting to hear the update of what was happening with the Kempton Hill Bridge. The Board told them that this was the meeting to start the process for reclassifying a portion of Kempton Hill Road.
- The Board will meet for a site visit on June 23, 2018 at 9:00 am followed by a hearing at the Town Clerk's Office. There will also be a 30-day notice going out to the land owners and an ad put in the paper.

Other Business:

- Sandy notified the Board of a complaint she had received asking if we had a noise ordinance for the town. The Board said that we do not have a noise ordinance in place at this time. Sandy also looked up noise ordinance in VT Statute, and it only applies to an individual purposely creating nuisance.
- Sandy notified the Board that new signatures were needed to be updated for the Archie Powers CD. Richard Pion and Sandy LaDeau signed the updated form.
- Sandy notified the Board that she and the Road Commissioner have sent a letter of intent for a grant to help fix Hazen Notch Road.
- The Board Chair signed, and approved truck weight permits for the following: Joseph T. Myers, J. P. Sicard, Inc., and Spaulding Construction Inc.
- Priscilla Matten Town Auditor presented revenue sheets for the Gravel Pit and the Equipment funds to show what has been spent on average per year for the last 6 years, per request of the Selectboard. The reports were reviewed by the Selectboard and Road Commissioner to determine a fair process for the road department compensation to these two funds. An agreement was reached, and Priscilla was authorized to revamp the budget accordingly.
- Calvin had reported that the Town Garage needed repair to the siding and structure. Alden had gone over to the Garage and confirmed there is damage and expressed the need to evaluate the extent of the damage. The Board agreed to hire Richard LaDeau to perform the work.
- Calvin notified the Board that the Blodgett Bridge needed repair and asked that they go up and access what needed to be done to repair it. Further updates will follow.

Board Warrants:

General Order #16-	\$ 21,705.46
Payroll #10-	\$ 5,854.49
Payroll General #11-	\$ 2,754.96
Fire Department #10-	\$ 2,523.79

Signed by the Board for the Treasurer to draw checks totaling - \$ 32,838.70

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Next meeting date: May 29, 2018 at 5:30 p.m. at the Town Office Building

Richard Pion- Chm.

Christy Pion – Selectboard Clerk

Alden Warner

Dwight Richardson