

NOTICE
Town of Lowell
SELECT BOARD MEETING
THE LOWELL SELECTBOARD WILL MEET ON
Tuesday March 30, 2021 AT 5:30 P.M.
AT THE TOWN OFFICE BUILDING.

AGENDA:

- Sign Orders
- Approve minutes from March 16, 2021
- Kristal Cote-Borderline Ridge Riders
- Other Business

SELECTBOARD:
Richard Pion- Chm.
Alden Warner
Darren Pion

MINUTES

SELECT BOARD MEETING
TOWN OF LOWELL
Meeting held on March 30, 2021.

Board members present:

Alden Warner, Darren Pion

Christy Pion-Town Clerk/Selectboard Clerk

Rebecca DiZazzo- Treasurer

Calvin Allen-Road Commissioner

Meeting was called to order at 5:32 p.m.

GUEST:

- ❖ Kristal Cote-Borderline Ridge Riders
- ❖ Ron Cote-Borderline Ridge Riders Member
- ❖ Paul Tomasi -NEKWMD- Executive Director
- ❖ Beth Miner-Composting
- ❖ Douglas Hood-Composting

Sign Orders:

- ❖ Orders were approved and signed by the Board unanimously for the Treasurer.

Minutes from March 16, 2021:

- ❖ Minutes from March 16, 2021 were approved and signed by the Board unanimously.

Kristal Cote- Borderline Ridge Riders:

- ❖ Kristal, Borderline Ridge Riders, came to discuss getting permission to ride ATVs on town roads. The Board agreed to sign the permission form but would like to speak with Scott Jenness from the Borderline Ridge Riders club, regarding a few concerns that they have. Kristal stated that she would get ahold of Scott to give him the message.

Other Business:

- ❖ Paul Tomasi, NEKWMD (Northeast Kingdom Waste Management District) Joined our meeting to talk to the Board about the possibilities of joining the District, rather than staying our own entity for SWIP, and recycling. He presented documentation based on our expenditures for 2019 explaining what our cost and

savings would be if we were to join the district. After the Board reviewed the document, they decided to do more research, and they would let Mr. Tomasi know of their decision at a later date.

- ❖ After Mr. Tomasi left the meeting the Board asked the Selectboard Clerk to call Casella to get more info on what they could offer as well to have something to compare cost to. This way the Town will have more options to choose from and will have a better idea of where the Town will really benefit for our recycling costs, and our SWIP management. She will have more information for the next Selectboard Meeting.
- ❖ Douglas Wood and Beth Miner joined the meeting to discuss a composting business that they have started. They wanted the Boards permission to sit over to the town garage on a recycling day, so they may introduce themselves to the Town residents, and tell people about their business. The Board agreed as long as they are not in the road Commissioners way at the garage.
- ❖ The Warranty deed for the landlocked forest on rte. 58 was presented to the board for review and signatures. The Clerk will notarize the document for finalization. The closing of the sale is April 2, 2021.
- ❖ The Board approved and signed liquor licenses for the following: *Missisquoi Bowling lanes*
- ❖ Christy presented a driveway permit to the road commissioner. He asked to hold onto the document until he had a chance to go and look at the proposed area for the driveway.
- ❖ Truck weight permits were approved and signed by the Board members for the following: *City Feed Lumber, Dale E. Percy, Inc., CAMP Precast Concrete Products, Inc., Harrison Redi-mix Corp, Calkins, S.D. Ireland, Dan Pepin Excavating & Trucking, G.W. Tatro Construction, Inc, and Wind River Environmental, LLC.*
- ❖ UPDATE: Town Meeting date is set for June 12, 2021 at 10:00 am. Due to ongoing uncertainties, the location has not yet been set.

Board Warrants:

➤ General Order # 11	\$	206.39
➤ General Order # 12	\$	40,247.22
➤ Payroll Order # 7	\$	7,454.07

Signed by the Board for the Treasurer to draw checks totaling - \$ 47,907.68

Meeting adjourned at 7:07 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Christy M. Pion

Next meeting date: April 13, 2021 at the Town Office Building

Richard Pion- Chairman

Christy M. Pion – Selectboard Clerk

Alden Warner

Darren Pion