Town of Stratton Selectmen's Meeting March 14, 2022

Present: Selectmen: Larry Bills, Chris Liller, Greg Marcucci and Boomer Walker; and Kent Young – Clerk.

7:30pm: Larry Bills opened the meeting. Orders were reviewed and signed.

Modifications to the Agenda: Add consideration of 1) annual adoption of LEMP, 2) WRC appointments and 3) 911 letter to Stratton Corp. Greg Marcucci so moved. Boomer Walker seconded – all concurred.

911 Letter: The Clerk stated that the Fire Dept. requests a letter be sent to Stratton Corp., asking them to ensure compliance with 911 numbering of structures throughout the resort. The Clerk will produce said letter and send it along with the Ordinance to Jeff Cavagnino of Stratton Corp.. Greg Marcucci so moved. Boomer Walker seconded – all concurred.

WRC Appointment: The Clerk stated that the Planning Commission had recommended re-appointing Renee Mulkey as a representative for the Town to the Windham Regional Commission. Chris Liller so moved. Greg Marcucci seconded – all concurred.

LEMP: The Clerk presented the 2022/3 Local Emergency Management Plan (LEMP) for the board to consider and adopt. Greg Marcucci moved to adopt said plan, as well as the Vermont National Incident Management System (NIMS). Al Dupell had signed the certification and Chris Liller signed the adoption attestation for the LEMP and NIMS. The Clerk will forward the document to WRC.

Road Crew Issues: AOT Grants: Chris Liller asked for necessary signatures for grant requests for paving and structures. Larry Bills signed the MRGP report and the compliance statement for Road and Bridge Standards, as required. Potential Yearly Road Projects: The Board discussed 1) the paving project on Stratton-Arlington Rd. (1.3 miles from Wardsboro Town line to 477 Strat.-Arl. Rd.) and 2) a potential issue with Stratton Mountain Access Rd. at the Treetop entrance. In regard to this issue, Chris Liller addressed various concerns there. He and Larry Bills do not think there is an issue with the fill that had been used to build up the road many years ago, as some have suspected. Also, it had been pointed out that the guardrails lean there; however, Chris Liller believes that these guardrails may not have been buried deep enough, so that they lean from snowplows pushing on them. The culvert also seems to be in good condition following a visual inspection. The problem with the pavement there may be due to nothing more than expected wear and tear due to heavy traffic. Salt: Chris Liller said that he bought additional salt to get through the winter – this batch was a bit more expensive, as it is of better grade and will hold up better with minimal clumping over the summer, if it is not used this year. FLEET Permits: The Selectmen reviewed and approved FLEET permit requests from 1) David Chaves Excavating, 2) Fuller Sand and Gravel, 3) Structural Wood Corp. and 4) R.K.Miles, Inc.. Greg Marcucci so moved. Boomer Walker seconded – all concurred and Larry Bills signed these permits.

Town Meeting Minutes: The Selectmen reviewed and signed the minutes of the Stratton Town Meeting of March 1, 2022.

Town Hall use: Greg Marcucci moved to approve request for use of the Town Hall from the Wadsworth Co. for March 29 and 30, and Pathfinder Snowmobile Club for March 20 and April 17. Boomer Walker seconded – all concurred.

Transfer Station Recertification: The Selectmen reviewed and approved the paperwork for recertification. Greg Marcucci so moved. Boomer Walker seconded – all concurred. The Clerk will forward the document to John Fay of WSWMD, who is working on this project.

Minutes: Greg Marcucci moved to approve the Selectmen's minutes and Liquor Control Board minutes of March 1, 2022. Chris Liller seconded – all concurred.

Adjourn: Chris Liller moved to adjourn at 8:10pm. Boomer Walker seconded – all concurred and the meeting adjourned.

Minutes by:

David Kent Young