

**Town of Stratton  
Selectmen's Meeting  
December 9, 2019**

**Present:** Selectmen: Al Dupell – Chair, Larry Bills, Chris Liller, Greg Marcucci and Kevin Robinson; Treasurer – Alyson Peterson; Resident – Jessica Marullo; and Clerk – Kent Young.

Al Dupell called the meeting to order at 7:30pm. Orders were reviewed and signed.

**Modifications:** No modifications were made.

**Road Crew Issues: Pike Hollow Rd..** Jessica Marullo was present to discuss possible changes to the north end of Pike Hollow Rd. for pedestrian safety. She had several recommendations, which included cutting back trees on the curve near her house (15 Pike Hollow Rd.) for better line of site. She also recommended a reduced speed limit and more signage. The board agreed to work with the owner of the area where trees might be cleared, Dave Jepson, to mitigate the line of sight issue. The Selectmen did not decide to reduce the speed limit or to change the speed limit signs, as they are posted according to regulations. They did, however, agree to install a “Slow Curve” sign with a recommended speed of 25mph. Following the discussion, Jessica Marullo left the meeting.

**Budget Meeting:** The Selectmen and the Treasurer commenced determining the Budget for the 2020/1 fiscal year. Highlights of the discussion included raising a significant amount of funds for the replacement of Little Kidder Brook and foregoing routine paving for the year to help offset the expenses. Pike Hollow Rd. was scheduled to be ground down and repaved, but the expense will also be considerable – the Selectmen may delay this project to 2021. Following the budget discussions, the Treasurer left the meeting.

**Town Hall / Rec. Area:** Mike Owens requested use of the Rec. Area this winter for a snowshoe race. The Selectmen agreed to allow it as long as it does not interfere with anyone wanting to use the rec area for their own winter activities.

**Minutes:** Greg Marcucci moved to approve the Selectmen's Minutes of November 25, 2019. Kevin Robinson seconded. All concurred and the minutes were approved.

**Adjourn:** Greg Marcucci motioned to adjourn at 8:50pm. Larry Bills seconded. All were in favor and the meeting adjourned.

Minutes by:

*David Kent Young*