

To be approved at 1/20/2014 meeting

Sandgate Minutes
January 6, 2014

Meeting called to order at 7:00pm.

All Board members present.

Audience: Lucas Pike, Mike Hill, David Keel

Motion to accept 1/6/14 minutes made by Tom Santelli; seconded by Ed Gust; approved.

Brief discussion regarding the change to the health insurance offered to Town Road Crew. Change will become effective February 1, 2014. Premiums will decrease approximately \$500 per month.

Eleanor brought up the purchase of the town pickup truck. At the previous meeting, the board approved the purchase. After the meeting, the Board Chair canceled the purchase due to the fact that the quote wasn't for the exact truck the board approved. Eleanor noted that the Chair didn't have this authority to change the purchase on his own.

Board discussed how to proceed with the purchase of the truck. Celeste made a motion to include on the warning in March to have the voters approve the purchase from the Equipment fund; Eleanor Lacross seconded the motion; unanimously approved.

Jerry asked that we include an article on the warning to hire the Sheriff's department for 5 hours per week at approximately \$28 per hour. Board unanimously approved.

Discussion on sanding the roads. Board approved use of more sand as needed. Discussion on plowing to the end of SE Corners Road. The road becomes a Class 4 road and therefore not maintained by the town. Chair will send a letter to the property owners on the unmaintained section. Also discussed people parking on the West Sandgate Road. Chair will also send a letter to the people parking on the road.

Motion to adjourn made by Celeste Keel; seconded by Ed Gust; adjourned 8:10pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Celeste Keel