

Sandgate Select Board Meeting – June 4, 2018

Called to order at 6:35 pm

Attendance: Mike Hill, Karen Tendrup, Suzy dePeyster, Karen Dzialo.

Absent - Tom Santelli

Citizens Concerns: None

Signed Orders

Rupert Road Signs: Celeste Keel questioned the placement of speed signs on the Rupert Rd. Mike explained that the Select Board had considered 25 mph signs at least two years ago. Mike acquired signs and will continue to install them before and after roads entering into Rupert Rd.

Reviewed 5/21/18 Minutes: Motion to accept as is by Karen Tendrup, seconded by Mike Hill. All in favor.

Bids on Town Hall Roof: No response yet. Karen Dzialo will follow-up.

Dry Hydrant Updates: Suzy submitted new contract to VACD Dry Hydrant Program with Troy Dare. West Road hydrant is waiting on Tom Wilson to finish dam. Mike will drop gravel and place block to protect hydrant.

Mowing and Guard Rail Trimming: Starting roadside mowing and trimming

Road Report: The entire Wilcox Road has been ditched, seeded and hayed, also removed trees to make mowing easier. Mike mentioned that adding additional culverts results in less water erosion. Added gravel and crowned road to have better water run-off. Some areas of Woodcock Road need ditching. Mike will be adding more culverts. The Logging operation across from the Tom and Carol Bausher residence is causing additional run-off.

Paving Update: No estimate received yet.

Chloride: Mike contacted the Chloride supplier to see if the town can purchase in larger quantities and save money.

Discussion about removing berms and using the blade on the grader to gently slope the side of the road, add grass to filter the water run-off and hold the soil. This process will make it easier to mow and plow. The chloride will be placed in the middle of the road and we will use less and get a better result.

Correspondence:

We received a bill from Blue Flame for gas. At the next meeting the Board will approve pre-buy and save 5 cents per gallon.

Received Sheriff's contract for time period 07/01/2018 to 06/30/2019. The Board will review and discuss how many hours we can afford.

Other Business:

LEOP (Local Emergency Operating Plan). Josh Williams will be the town's 911 coordinator replacing Marty Orion. Moved by Karen Tendrup seconded by Mike Hill all in favor.

Karen Tendrup will attend the Flag Day Ceremony that is held at the Elks Lodge in Bennington, representing Sandgate on Sunday June 10. The town will receive a flag that will be used in our Fourth of July Parade.

Karen Dzialo and Karen Tendrup will attend the Arlington Area Renewal meeting on Tuesday June 5th.

Karen Dzialo motioned to adjourn the meeting, Mike Hill seconded. All in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM

The next meeting is June 18th

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Dzialo