

Sandgate Vermont Select Board Meeting – October 4, 2021

CALL TO ORDER: 6:04

ATTENDANCE: Karen Dzialo, Mike Hill, Joe Nolan, Tom Santelli, Karen Tendrup
Also present: Charles Pike

CITIZEN'S CONCERNS: Charlie Pike reported that the Rupert Road had a washboard surface and wondered when the grader would be back to that side of town. He also expressed concern about a "hole" in the Notch road.

The Board received a letter from Citizen Thomas Kenney, which was read by the Select Board. The letter expressed complaint about the work that was done on culverts at the Notch recently and that he felt he was spoken to inappropriately.

ROAD REPORT: Mike reported that paving of Sandgate Road will start next week weather permitting. Discussion regarding the hole in the Notch road: It was scheduled to be paved at the same time that Sandgate Road would be done for an additional cost of \$7,000. Mike explained that he dug up/smashed the pavement at the hole and patched it, but was unable to determine where the water is coming from that is causing the damage. It was agreed by the Board that paving it now without finding and fixing the problem would be a waste of money. It will be "cold-patched" and monitored throughout the winter. Next Spring the Road will need to be dug up more to find the source of water and divert it.

Joe Nolan reported that he was contacted by Bill Hagerty about a mound of dirt and grass by an access point to his property. Also Joe suggested a culvert marker reflector be placed on the west side of Irene Martin's driveway.

Mike Hill reported that ditching, de-berming, adding additional culverts and replacing worn culverts is scheduled from Lucille Korycinski property to the state line.

GRANT REPORT: Mike Hill reported that he submitted a request to Municipal Roads Grants-in-Aid's Equipment Purchase. The Town will receive a \$6,000 grant to purchase a Roller Compactor. The Town will pay a match of \$1,500 or 20%.

ORDERS WERE SIGNED

REVIEW SEPTEMBER 20, 2021 MINUTES: Karen Tendrup motioned to accept minutes; Tom Santelli seconded; All in Favor.

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR SEARCH REPORT: Ongoing. The Town will be more aggressive in advertising.

OTHER BUSINESS: none.

Tom Santelli made a motion to adjourn; Karen Tendrup seconded. All in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm

Next meeting is October 18, 2021

Respectfully submitted, Karen Dzialo