

Sandgate Vermont Select Board Meeting - November 1, 2021

CALL TO ORDER: 6:02

ATTENDANCE: Karen Dzialo, Mike Hill, Joe Nolan, Tom Santelli, Karen Tendrup.

Also present: citizens Charles Pike and James Peters

CITIZEN'S CONCERNS: James Peters brought to the attention of the Board that there was a ditch that crossed the road by Bentley's house on South East Corners Road. Mike Hill responded that it was a repeating situation. The road dept. is considering putting a small culvert to divert water from the parking area by the house. Charlie Pike said that he heard a rumor that police were involved in taking pictures, investigating up on the notch. And that he and another individual were accused of spinning out to dig up the gravel. Tom Santelli responded that no police were there, and that he was the one who took pictures of the tire tread. Charlie Pike also complained about a washboard effect on Rupert Road. Pike also asked if the grader was ever going to get over to Rupert Road. The Road Dept. will have the grader over there as soon as weather permits. Tom Santelli explained that if he graded right before rain it would just turn to mush. Pike also stated that he wanted it put in the minutes that he was a taxpayer in Sandgate. It was pointed out by the Board that any citizen can express a concern.

DELINQUENT TAX REPORT: Eleanor LaCross reported that three properties have been submitted to a lawyer for a pending Tax Sale. Discussion regarding a Lien on the Grogan property for expenses that were submitted by the previous zoning administrator.

ROAD REPORT: Mike Hill reported that in order to meet the deadline to receive Grant money for culvert projects, he put the stretch of road (approximately 3 miles between Kurasinski and Erthein), at high priority.

Mike is still looking into where the Town can purchase the Roller Compactor using the Grant money that was awarded. This will help eliminate the washboard effect by compacting down the road after grading.

Some residents are concerned about the high edge of the road after the recent paving job. Mike reported that we are next on the list for the company to do the stone edging.

Mike will be putting in a culvert from the pond to the dry hydrant at the Consie West property.

ORDERS WERE SIGNED

OCTOBER 18 MINUTES WERE REVIEWED. A motion was made by Tom Santelli to accept with one change. The date for the next meeting should have been November 1, not November 8. Seconded by Joe Nolan. All in favor.

Tom Santelli made a motion to adjourn; Joe Nolan seconded. All in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 6:40 pm

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE NOVEMBER 15, 2021

Respectfully submitted,
Karen Dzialo