

TOWN OF RUMNEY  
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SELECTMEN'S MEETING  
MINUTES  
9/14/09

Selectmen Present: Mark Andrew, John Fucci, Janice Mulherin  
Administrative Assistant: Anne Dow  
Secretary: Janet Sherburne  
The meeting was opened at 7:00 pm.

**Minutes:** The minutes of 08-17-09 were approved.

**SELECTMEN:**

**Historical Society Roof Bids:** The request for sealed bids was advertised in the paper for two weeks. Two bids were received. One bid from Joe Santamaria for \$3,600.00 and one from Paul Turley for \$6,000.00. The board discussed the bids and voted to award the bid to Joe Santamaria. The Historical Society will pay \$3,000.00 toward the repair and the remaining \$600.00 will come from the Building Maintenance line item for the Historical Society/Town Hall.

**Road Committee:** John Fucci updated the board on the recent road committee meeting. The committee discussed placement of guard rails. There are two areas on Buffalo Road that the committee suggests have guard rails installed. Frank will get pricing for this.

**Transfer Station:** The office/shed is not finished, work is progressing. Sonny Ouellette, TS Superintendent, is applying for a used oil grant to be used for a replacement tank. The board will talk to Sonny about possibly relocating the tank.

**Andersen Request/Common Trees:** John Fucci suggested having a forester look at the trees in the common to see which trees if any should be removed. Anne will contact Mr. Andersen and let him know the board will get back to him regarding his request to plant a tree in the common.

**Police Department:** The board met with Chief Main to discuss the purchase of tasers. Chief Main reported that the officers were recently trained in taser use. A department policy will be put in place for the use of tasers. Chief Main explained to the board how tasers are used and the benefits to the officer, department and the town. If an officer is not trained in taser use, he/she will not carry a taser. The board discussed this purchase. Mark Andrew and Janice Mulherin were in favor of the purchase and John Fucci was not.

**West Rumney Fire Station Siren:** The board would like clarification on what the Fire Dept. and/or Commissioners plan to do with the siren. The board has suggested that it be put at the Historical Society. It needs to be removed from the fire station so the cruiser can be stored there this winter.

**ADMINISTRATIVE:**

**Chainsaw Safety Course:** The LGC will be presenting a chainsaw safety course on September 21<sup>st</sup>. There will be 10 participants from the Highway Dept., Transfer Station and Fire Department.

**Junkyard Update:** Anne updated the board on junkyard issues and progress. Ken Knowlton from MRI would like to assist the DES in updating RSA's pertaining to junkyards. He has requested a letter of support from the Board of Selectmen regarding this. Anne will draft a letter for the board's review.

**Month-end Budget Review:** The board reviewed the August month-end budget. The board discussed having a meeting with Department Heads regarding budgets. Anne will schedule this for October 5, 2009.

**Baker Athletic Field:** The NE Electric Coop is holding a work order for the electricity at the field and would like to know the status of this project. Anne will check with Frosty.

**Driveway Permit Application:** An application was received for 1618 Stinson Lake Road. Frank has reviewed the site and has given his approval. Janice will look at the site also.

**Hunter Permit** - Bruce Barnard reports that this permit should be ready to go next week.

**Signed:** Checks; T. Duffield/Town Response to DES; T.S. Groundwater Management Permit; Young's Garage/NH Dealer Application; Riverbrook RV Center Inc./NH Dealer-Inspection Application; 2010 Plymouth Ambulance Contract

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janet C. Sherburne

Secretary