

## **Greene Board of Selectmen Regular Meeting ~ October 6, 2014**

Minutes will not become official until accepted at the next Regular Selectmen's Meeting October 20, 2014.

**Selectmen present:** Don Bedford, Tony Reny, Ron Grant – Chairman, Charles Noonan – Town Manager, Kevin Mower, and Sally Ann Hebert – Recording Secretary.

**Selectmen absent:** Glenn Chateauvert at Sabattus Lake Dam Commission Meeting.

**Staff present:** None.

**Others present:**

This meeting was televised on WGLT TV7 Greene, Maine

### **I. Call to Order**

Ron Grant, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

### **II. Public discussion**

None.

### **III. Acceptance of Minutes**

Tony Reny motioned to waive the reading of the October 6<sup>th</sup> meeting minutes; and the minutes will be approved upon the signature of the Chairman, Ron Grant. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

### **IV. Treasurers Report**

Charlie Noonan, Town Manager/Treasurer reported as balance on hand after today's warrant of \$ 1,753,230.25. Charlie gave a report on excise tax.

### **V. Roads**

Charlie reported the highway crew is working on Todd Road. They should finish up soon.

Charlie and Bruce Tufts will be going to a seminar on bridges (large culverts) on October 22<sup>nd</sup>.

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The Board discussed stripping the town's tarred roads. Charlie will get a recommendation from the State of Maine guidelines and prices will be brought forward to the Board.

Charlie will look at any damage the power line construction crews have done to any roads they have worked on.

**VI. Old Business**

**a. Greene Village Day**

Tony Reny reported that they met last week. They went over the good and the bad of the celebration. Most important was the community had a good time.

**b. Center Bridge Snow Removal**

Bruce Tufts met with the Road Forman from Turner. They met at the bridge and agreed the Town of Turner will plow sand and salt the bridge; the Town of Greene will take the front end loader up to clean up after the storms.

**c. Radio/Repeater Grant**

Charlie announced he was notified that the Town of Greene received a grant for \$10,106 for radios and repeater. This will enable the Fire Department and Highway Department to get out radio contact even in the dead spots in town.

Charlie will be going to Androscoggin EMA to sign the paperwork. Next week Bruce Tufts, Bruce Sanford and Charlie will meet with the radio person.

**d. Other**

The Board of Selectmen would like to see a bill introduced in Legislature to allow communities to set their own speeds limits on their roads.

The Board discussed the lights on the sign out front keep burning out.

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**VII. New Business**

**a. Public Hearing General Assistance October 20<sup>th</sup>**

Tony Reny motioned to hold a Public Hearing on GA guidelines October 20<sup>th</sup> 7PM. Don Bedford 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

**b. Election Tue Nov 4, 2014 6:00am-8:00pm**

Charlie and Sally Ann Hebert gave an overview of the November 4<sup>th</sup> election.

**c. Litigation – Executive Session**

The Board of Selectmen received information of an appeal filing from George Stanley. They do not have to enter executive session.

**d. Other**

Richard Clark approached the Board of Selectmen to get permission for WGLT TV7 to purchase 2 go pro cameras with drones. Dick to bring more information back to the Board.

**VIII. Appointments**

None.

**IX. Committee Reports**

Tony Reny reported the Androscoggin County Budget Meeting started. There is over 4% increase projected. The budget is effect is going from 3 county commissioners to 7 county commissioners and a county manager.

Tony thanked WGLT TV7 for recording the budget meetings.

**X. Assessment Questions & Abatements/Supplementals**

None.

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**XI. Announcements**

Ron Grant read the announcements aloud:

Oct 13 Town Office/Highway closed for Columbus Day

Oct 20 Public Hearing General Assistance 7:00PM

Oct 20 Selectmen's Meeting 7:00 PM

Nov 3 Selectmen's Meeting 7:00 PM

Nov 4 Election 6:00 AM-8:00 PM

Nov 11 Town Office/Highway closed for Veterans' Day

Nov 17 Selectmen's Meeting 7:00 PM

**XII. Selectmen Acceptance & Signing of Weekly Warrant**

Kevin Mower motioned to accept and sign the **Town of Greene Payroll Warrant # 78 dated 9/29/14 of \$ 8,340.89**. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

Kevin Mower motioned to accept and sign the **Town of Greene Account Payable Warrant # 79 dated 9/29/14 of \$ 373,334.03**. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

Kevin Mower motioned to accept and sign the **Town of Greene Payroll Warrant # 80 dated 10/06/14 of \$ 9,543.19**. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

Kevin Mower motioned to accept and sign the **Town of Greene Account Payable Warrant # 81 dated 10/06/14 of \$ 63,303.77**. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

Kevin Mower motioned to accept and sign the **Julia Adams Morse Library Warrant # 20 dated 10/06/14 of \$ 1,957.57**. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

Kevin Mower motioned to accept and sign the **Cable Warrant # 14-21 dated 10/06/14 of \$ 4,215.14**. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

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Kevin Mower motioned to accept and sign the **Greene Village Day Warrant # 14-5 dated 9/29/14 of \$ 323.18**. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

Kevin Mower motioned to accept and sign the **Greene Village Day Warrant # 14-6 dated 10/06/14 of \$ 75.00**. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

**XIII. Adjournment**

Tony Reny motioned to adjourn. Don Bedford 2nd the motion. Vote was unanimous. Motion passed.

The Board of Selectmen's meeting adjourned at 7:35PM.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Sally Ann Hebert

Recording Secretary

Approved and accepted,

  
Ronald Grant, Chairman

Board of Selectmen