

# TOWN OF HILL SELECTMEN'S MEETING

March 16, 2021

**Selectmen Present:** Tom Seymour, Bob Dupuis, Shaun Bresnahan & Lisa Seymour  
(Administrative Assistant)

**Selectmen Absent:**

**Public:** Paul Burnor, Dave Testerman, Marshall Bennett and Carol Asher-Snow

Thomas Seymour brought the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

First order of business was to make sure everyone was respecting the physical distancing and wearing masks orders issued by Governor Sununu.

Robert Dupuis made a motion to enter into Nonpublic Session at 6:33 pm seconded by Shaun Bresnahan. Motion passed unanimously. RSA 91-A:3, II(a).

Robert Dupuis made a motion to leave nonpublic Session and return to public session at 6:35 pm seconded by Thomas Seymour. Motion passed unanimously.

**Fire Dept:** Chief Ford emailed that neither her or Jeff would be able to make the meeting. "But ordered the light bulbs and batteries for light. Getting quote on what fixed on engine 2. We are at 20 calls so far this year. And we are fixing the problems with the association. One of us will try to be there for the next meeting."

**Highway Dept:** Dean Stevenson not present

**Police Dept:** Chief Stevens stated that everything seems to be going well. Gordon Dagnall is doing shifts on his own. Jim Ward is off for a while. The high level of unscrupulous activity is starting to slow for now. The activity for the Police Department has increased with the added shifts and the blue lights patrolling. Chief stated that he has been catching up on reports and things are looking good. Robert Dupuis asked about the open case on 20 Shop Road. Chief said the Andrew Williamson is still covering that case and that the \$1,000 fine has been activated. Chief will reach out to Andrew Williamson for a status update. Shaun Bresnahan asked how the cruiser was holding up. Chief said it's going good given the condition of some of the roads. Chief will be in contact with Selectmen on or before the next Selectmen's meeting.

**Town Clerk/Tax Collector:** Shelly Henry inquired about the Ruth Cross property where there is a structure built on current use property. The Board stated that you cannot have any buildings on current use property and if there is one there, it will need to be removed or pay the land use change tax. Robert Dupuis mentioned the property is just before Karen Sylvestre's property and across from Dearborn Road. Gerry Desrochers called and asked about the link to hear the recorded budget hearing for the town but needed a password.

## **PUBLIC SESSION:**

Dave Testerman provided an update on the state sessions. The next meeting will be held in Bedford, however things are moving slow. With the isolation it is hard to understand the bills that are business related to the schools. There is a HB 2 trailer to the budget which includes Rooms & Meals & Highway Block Grant funding the municipalities.

Carol Asher – Snow came into the meeting to discuss the upcoming information packets that will be sent to the public. Thomas Seymour stated that we need to talk about the prep with the moderator, Eric Herr. Thomas Seymour will setup a zoom meeting with the Board of Selectmen, Eric Herr, Shelly Henry and the School Board to discuss the format. Thomas Seymour will reach out to the group to see what works best for them. Shelly Henry would be available on Tuesday or Wednesday in the mornings.

After this meeting we will have a better idea of what we will need to accomplish for the notice to the public. Robert Dupuis would like every resident to receive the mailers.

Marshall Bennett asked for an update on the Fire Department and also to let us know that at the last fire call Nathan Mills said they had to push the utility truck out because of a dead battery.

## **BOARD BUSINESS:**

### **Building Permits:**

Edward Goodreau 122 Lynch Road Building Permit – Approved

### **Other:**

Approval of the 2021 Town of Hill Warrant Articles – Approved

Selectmen Meeting Minutes March 2, 2021 – Approved

Doug Cross on Murray Hill Road is willing to sell the property to the Town of Hill for fair market value. Lisa Seymour will reach out to Rod Wood, assessor for the Town of Hill, for the fair market value.

Paul Burnor from 94 Old Town Road is interested in working at the Transfer Station. This would give a second person for safety concerns and someone to train with Anson Libby. Robert Dupuis stated that he would also be helping with the unloading of cars and proper disposal of materials.

For our next meeting, Lisa Seymour will look into the options for internet services in order to move to a central phone system. Currently we are looking at RingCentral which will provide us the capability of transferring calls and phone conferencing with a zoom option.

Robert Dupuis made a motion to have Dean Stevenson post the weight limits on the roads as of 03/08//21. Shaun Bresnahan seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Going forward Shaun Bresnahan will be reviewing all report of timber cuts for accuracy.

Robert Dupuis made a motion to enter into Nonpublic Session at 7:44 pm seconded by Shaun Bresnahan. Motion passed unanimously. RSA 91-A:3, II(c).

Robert Dupuis made a motion to leave nonpublic Session and return to public session at 7:55 pm seconded by Thomas Seymour. Motion passed unanimously.

Robert Dupuis made a motion to enter into Nonpublic Session at 8:24 pm seconded by Shaun Bresnahan. Motion passed unanimously. RSA 91-A:3, II(a).

Robert Dupuis made a motion to leave nonpublic Session and return to public session at 8:28 pm seconded by Thomas Seymour. Motion passed unanimously. Motion made seal the minutes passed unanimously.

Robert Dupuis made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Thomas Seymour seconded the motion. All in favor

With no further business to conduct, motion was made and unanimously approved to adjourn at 8:30 pm.

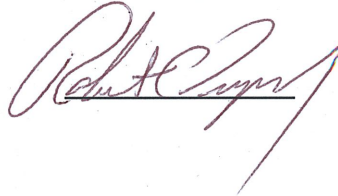
Respectfully Submitted,

Lisa A. Seymour

Tom Seymour, Chairman

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Robert Dupuis

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Shaun Bresnahan

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