

Town of New Ashford

188 Mallery Rd. NewAshford, Ma. 01237

Board of Selectmen Minutes of the Meeting December 03,2014

Board Members Present: Jason Jayko (Chairman),Ken McNerney, Mark Phelps

Meeting opened at 7:00p.m.

1. Tree Warden: Colton Phelps is not present, but the board notified him of the meeting tonight and was hoping to have an update.
2. Treasurer: Bette Phelps submitted her resignation, dated Dec 03, 2014, ~~effective Dec 16, 2014~~. Lori Jayko has been sworn in as the new Treasurer, but the insurance bond has not come through yet.
3. Veterans Agent: Discussion regarding an article that every town must have a veteran's agent as part of a co-op. The BOS will ask town agent Dick Demeyer to come to the next meeting.
4. B.U. letter : Jason will respond to the letter but is waiting till there was time to gather the info requested.
5. Road Commissioner Keith LaCasse: First storm of the season went well; the salt and sand was delivered just in time. Ken said there were no complaints and he thought that the roads were in good shape. Mark asked when Ingraham Rd. would be closed. Keith will put the blocks across the road asap. There is a washout on Greylock Rd.: the Comm. said he will put a log across to keep traffic from falling into it, until it can be repaired. Ken asked about the gates for spring; Keith hasn't heard from Savoy, and it will have to wait until Spring anyway.
6. General Discussion: Ken spoke to Michelle Callahan (Town Accountant) and she wasn't aware of the budget figures lagging behind, and she was worried about being able to pay some items. Ken did explain to her that the STM took care of all of that. Ken said the downstairs furnace had tripped again.
7. No minutes
8. Warrant
9. Mail
10. Meeting adjourned @ 8:30p.m. Next meeting: Dec. 15, 2014 @ 6:30p.m.

Minutes prepared by Town Secretary, Jackie LaCasse