

Town of Bartlett Office of Selectmen

Meeting Minutes: October 24, 2016

Attendance: Chairman Gene Chandler, Jonathan Hebert

(Selectman Patch because of his work was unable to attend until 04:40 PM.)

Visitors: None

Reporters: None

Meeting opened at 03:30 PM.

The Selectmen discussed the email that was received from Engineer Burr Phillips of Civil Solutions concerning delaying until next summer the paving at the transfer station.

The Selectmen discussed the issue and agreed to delay the paving.

Chairman Chandler also questioned whether people should be allowed to campaign at the transfer station on Election Day (November 8th). Selectman Hebert stated that as long as they are not in the way of the operations then he doesn't have an issue with it. It was agreed that if anyone comes up to campaign they have to be out of the way and the transfer station employees can ask them to move so as not to be a danger or hindrance to daily operations.

The Selectmen discussed the issue of a gentleman who owns a house on Birch Ledge that has an alarm system that is tied to his cable TV that apparently periodically is updated or tested in the middle of the night that causes his alarm to go off. He has called Time Warner Cable to see if they could do a notification when they are going to do these and they told him no. The Selectmen wanted to check with the police department and the fire department to see if they are getting called out for these false alarms and if this is occurring they want to discuss it with Time Warner Cable. An email was sent to each department to check on this.

Earle Fernald, Transfer Station Manager, would like to remove some of the tires at the transfer station as there are too many on the property. A call was placed to Fernald and Selectman Hebert inquired about the cost to remove the tires. Fernald stated that it is about \$1.75 per tire and that is at Bob's Tire. Chairman Chandler inquired if there were other companies that do that and is this the best time of the year to dispose of tires. Fernald stated that he had spoken to NRRA and they had suggested Bob's Tire. He did check with other transfer stations but they containerize their tires. Chairman Chandler asked him to call around to see if he could get the best price. Selectman Hebert inquired if there was a reason to remove the tires now. Fernald stated that they are in the way of plowing, and regulations say that they have to be contained in an area that is no larger than 10' x 15'. Fernald will make some more calls. E-mail will be sent to the Town of Jackson concerning the tire issue.

Fernald had also requested that the fire truck at the transfer station be removed as it is in the way and serves no useful purpose. The Selectmen decided to place an ad in the paper to sell the non-operable truck by sealed bids received no later than November 21st.

Selectman Patch arrived at the meeting at 04:40 PM.

The Selectmen signed checks, reviewed correspondence and building permits throughout the meeting.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 05:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Medeiros, Sec.