

Town of Bartlett Office of Selectmen

Meeting Minutes: March 12, 2018

Attendance: Chairman Gene Chandler, David Patch, Jonathan Hebert

Visitors: Vicki Garland, Scott Grant, Kevin McEnaney

Reporters: None

Meeting opened at 03:35 PM.

McEnaney inquired what will be the next step after special article #3 (Sports/Health Clubs in Town Residential District A) passes at town meeting. Chairman Chandler replied that they will have to apply to the Selectmen, who will deny them, and then they can go to the Zoning Board of Adjustment.

Lynn Jones, AA, went over the sign presentation that Storyland (2RT016-92-R00) had submitted that includes the new aquarium. The first page of signs was ok, however, the rest were not. Some of the things that were not allowed are an awning with words on it, a restaurant sign that they can't have as well as a Storyland flag on a flag pole. Chairman Chandler mentioned that the Heritage sign also looks different. Lynn Jones, AA, mentioned that she has no sizes on the signs. A letter was written to Storyland explaining the issues. McEnaney inquired if the Selectmen try to work with businesses. Selectman Hebert stated that the Selectmen have to enforce the Bartlett zoning ordinance as there is no lea way to that. Selectman Hebert mentioned that even if we don't like something if it meets the zoning ordinance regulations than we have to approve the permit.

The question of who does the hydro logistic study for the rivers and dike was asked. Selectman Hebert stated that there is one person and that person is back logged for a year. Selectman Hebert also mentioned that this is not a simple problem as part of the dike is on private property and the municipality is the one that will be getting assistance. McEnaney stated that there is a lot of snow up above us that is going to melt and could create issues. Scott Grant inquired if they had been dealing with Horizon engineers as there are others out there.

Chairman Chandler stated that the Jackson Selectmen would like some dates to hold a transfer station meeting. The Selectmen suggested the dates of Tuesday March 27th and Tuesday, April 3rd. These dates will be e-mailed to the Jackson Selectmen.

Police Chief Keaton and Corporal MacMillan dropped by as they have concerns that the Selectmen haven't added enough money to the budget for what the Chief wants to pay the officers. They are also concerned that there isn't enough money for the laptops (\$2677.15 for 2015 Ford Explorer and \$2674.14 for 2014 Chevy Impala) and hardware (\$6273.11) to outfit two cruisers. Corporal MacMillan is applying for a grant that will be a 50/50 match to hopefully help with the hardware expenses. The Selectmen will review their figures. Chief Keaton also mentioned that we are just waiting for the decals to arrive for the new truck.

The Selectmen signed checks, reviewed building permits and correspondence throughout the meeting. There being no further items to be discussed the meeting was adjourned at 04:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Medeiros, Sec.