





**Select Board's Meeting
Town of Bowdoin, Maine
11/18/2024**

A true record is recorded:





David Towle

Those present:

Brad Totten

Marc Bernier

David Towle

6:30 PM: Pledge of Allegiance

Administrative: signed warrants and minutes for 11/04/2024. David made the motion to accept the minutes, Marc second, all in favor. There was no Select Board meeting on 11/11/2024 due to Veterans Day.

Other Business:

- Select Board - 1. received a call from a resident of Ledge Hill Rd concerned that the road was getting worn down by all the big logging trucks. 2. Received a call from Stan D'Orio that the forester had marked a few trees on his property and had cut 3 trees, wanted to make sure that someone got in touch with the contractor to meet with him. Greg Foster (forester) called during the meeting and talked with the Board. He stated he had talked with Jeff Cote and Stan D'Orio about the problem. Greg and Jeff then walked the property line to clarify where it was. Also, Jeff put some gravel in on the Huffs Mill Rd for better access to the Town lot.
3. The Board received a letter from Ron Dall's lawyer, Richard Qualey, with a FOIA request for Septic system, Addition timeline and Town Water testing. The Board gave Dennis a copy of the letter so he could prepare any documents for the requests. The board requested David Manfredi to find any invoices when the septic tank was pumped due to being frozen. Also requested Melanie to call our closest neighbor and see if they would allow the Town to test their water.

- Jessica Damon (MSAD#75 Director)- came in to give the Board an update on the school board. She is on the finance committee and she attended the MSMA conference. She said the conference was very informative.
- Pat & Evelyn were in to ask if the Select Board knew of any names of residents that might need one of the Christmas baskets that the Ladies Auxiliary delivers. The Board will get back to them.
- There was a complaint about a dumpster sitting too close to the edge of the West Rd. A vehicle lost its side mirror due to it being so close. To complicate matters there is a large ash tree that is leaning towards the road on the other side. Seth Skelton, Road Commissioner, was notified last week.
- Brad suggested that somehow the Town gets out to the public what the Ladies Auxiliary does and the role the fire Department takes in helping the community. It was suggested to ask Karen Mayo to write an article and put it in the Bearfoot newsletter.

Adjournment at 7:50 Motion by Brad, second by Marc and all in favor to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted by

Melanie R. Page Town Clerk

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