TOWN OF GUILDHALL SELECTBOARD MEETING

Wednesday, August 21, 2019 7:00 PM Minutes

- 1. Call to Order 7:00 PM
- 2. Introductions

Gary Brown (GB), SB Chair; Pat Rogers (PR), SB vice-chair; Susan McVetty (SM), SB clerk, Cemetery Commission Chair; George Blakeslee (gbl), Town Clerk/Treasurer, Lister Chair;

Eileen Thietten, Lister; Patty Brown, Lister & Cemetery Commission; Brad McVetty, Road Contractor; Scott & Kathy Hanson, residents; Mark & Wendy Hakkanson, residents; Richard Schiller, resident; Tammy Brown & James Avery, Lancaster, NH; Brian & Eldora Bigelow, Dalton, NH; Dennis Ullery, Morgan, VT;

- 3. Approval of Minutes
 - a. Regular Meeting, July 24, 2019 M, S, A
- 4. Citizens' Concerns
 - i. Hanson Noise from Guildhall Fun Flyers
 - ii. SM will approach Ed Clark on behalf of Selectboard to see if he would mediate M, S, A
 - iii. Town does not have jurisdiction
 - 1. Current Use is PVR
 - 2. Nuisance would be a statutory determination
 - iv. SH
- 1. Video of Fun Flyer airplane with audio (Aug 11 posted on GFF web site)
- 2. Feel the noise is disturbing the peace
- 3.Does not feel GFF are being good neighbors
- 4. Town does not have a noise ordinance
- 5. Property owners are entitled to peace (VT nuisance law?)
- 6.Site has a trailer and finely mowed field. GFF web site describes full facilities
- 7. Property is in Current Use and the GFF field does not seem to be farmed
- 8.Gas engine planes are there frequently

Noise had died down but seems that it has begun to reappear. Planes circle all day on many days of the week

- v. Dennis U (GFF President)
 - 1.GFF is renting 2 acres from M. Martin
 - 2.fly 2 -3 days / week from 9 AM 5 PM; Weekends gas engine planes mostly Sunday
 - 3.gas planes fly with mufflers; hobby is changing from gas to electric (much quieter)

- 4.GFF does decibel testing (will get data to Town). At Rt 102 there is not enough noise to get a reading (Electric or Gas).
- 5.Eldora B. -3 members have gas planes; don't fly them very often (mostly on a Sunday, and not an all-day thing)

5. Announcements

- i. Guild Hall is painted; shutters are all new; GB will build end shutters
- 6. Reports of the Boards, Officers and Committees
 - a. Treasurer's Report M, S, A pending audit
 - i. Revenue \$ 117,454 vs. Expense \$ 214,031 (Jan 1 Aug 21)
 - ii. WGSB/CDARS Balance \$133,832
 - iii. Budget vs. Actual handout
 - b. Delinquent Tax Collector
 - i. Report see handouts
 - ii. DPT P I P T 1840 67 149 2056
 - c. Road Commissioner's Report
 - i. Update on road maintenance
 - ii. Morin Rd grant gravel being put town
 - iii. Alan May must meet before ditching & culverts can begin
 - iv. Summer grading will begin soon
 - v. Need to order Fellows Rd and post
 - vi. Winter de-icer salt quote
 - vii. GB contact Davis to get electric into Salt Shed
 - d. Listers' Report
 - i. Tax Map update in progress
 - ii. Sales Study to be undertaken
 - iii. CU and Homesteads
 - e. Zoning Admin's Report no permits applied for
- 7. Old Business:
 - a. Guild Hall/Town Office repairs/painting update Request for payment \$8,100.00 M, S, A
 - b. Glebe (School lease lands) update still researching State librarian has recommended a 1950s book that addresses the topic
 - c. All Hazards Mitigation Plan update Planning Board needs to complete this report

- d. IT Services Bid ad hoc committee report getting recommendations from small towns for September approval
- 8. New Business:
 - a. VLCT Annual Meeting Delegate
- 9. Other none
- 10. Executive Session (if needed) none
- 11. Signing of Orders
- 12. Adjournment 8:07 PM