

**FAYETTE
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
MEETING**

June 13th, 2023

Roll Call of Members –Brian Holman, Toby Pond, Mike Carlson, Jon Beekman and Lacy Badeau

Attending members of the public –Brent St.Clair, George Boff, Mary Ann Hayes and Fayette Code Enforcement Officer, Jessica Leighton

Pledge of Allegiance – Stated

Public Comments – None

Committee Reports – Brian Holman reported that the Lands Committee had their last meeting last night and would likely be ready to present their findings at the next Select Board meeting. Mark asked if it would be possible to have them present on June 27th.

Town Managers Report- Following the last meeting, a lot of eventful things happening including today that involves two separate auto accidents along with the local election. Mark informed the board that he would be out of town June 21-25. We have an on-going matter reported two days ago of a squatter camped out on property near Rachel and Michael Mathieu's. The individual has not been on the site in the last two attempts to find him. Mark then reviewed the Board packet and asked the board discard the abatement and supplemental in their packet. In closing the Managers comment Mark expressed that his work with the Lands Committee was one of the most gratifying and enjoyable experiences on an ad-hoc committee that he has had in 34 years in municipal service and looking forward to their presentation to the Board on June 27th.

Old Business-None

New Business-

23-60 Planning Board Appointment

Motion to appoint Mary Ann Hayes made by Jon Beekman seconded by Brian Holman vote 5 in favor 0 opposed.

23-61 Tax Abatement and Supplemental (skipped)

23-62 Request of Me. Dept. of Transportation

Mark informed the Board of his effort with Livermore Falls Road Foreman to make a joint request to get the MDOT to accept Campground Road to Route 133. An idea suggested by David Hutchins of our Road Committee. Maine Local Roads Director Peter Coughlin has been engaged to respond.

23-63 Basin Pond Conservation Area

Mark relayed the concern and request received from the number of home-owners canoes and kayaks around the pond. The Board directed Mark to convey to LEHA that at its annual meeting discuss this matter offer up recommendations to the Board of Selectmen whereas this is conservation land for all home owners to enjoy along with Fayette residents. A motion made by Michael Carlson to direct as described seconded by Toby Pond 5 in favor and 0 opposed.

23-64 Warrants

Motion to approve School payroll and accounts payable warrants #25 once two signatures have been made by Toby Pond seconded by Jon Beekman vote 5 in favor 0 opposed.

Motion to approve Town payroll and accounts payable warrants #25 made by Jon Beekman seconded by Brian Holman vote 5 in favor 0 opposed.

23-65 Minutes Tabled not available

23-66 Board of Selectmen Comments

Michael Carlson referenced that Jon Beekman's e-mail regarding the County asking for FOIA certifications only applied to Jon and not the rest of the Board. Lacy mentioned she was asked if the Town could spray insecticide to kill ticks. A lengthy discussion ensued including brown tail moth expansion. Mark mentioned that the Town is not addressing the tick or moth matter in Fayette. Michael Carlson expressed his concern about Norm Currier and a truck. Toby expressed concerns over numerous ticks on KLT trails. Toby expressed concern over the Road Foreman mowing the side of the road when we have part-time people to do that. His time could be better served. Toby's culverts. Michael Carlson reminded Mark about discussing Starling Hall. Mark stated whereas the Hall is now being requested by outside groups our insurer has requested that the Town facilitates each event and group enter in the Tenant User Liability Insurance Program. Mark asked the Board to authorize him to schedule the groups with the understanding they acquire the TULIP insurance ryder. Brian Holman mentioned that he knew of someone that could bushhog and chip trails on the East Road property.

Adjournment

Jon Beekman motioned to adjourn seconded by Michael Carlson Vote 5 in favor 0 opposed 7:55 p.m.