

Selectboard, Town of Plymouth
Monday, September 21, 2020
Regular Meeting Minutes

Members: Shawn Bemis, Chair; Rick Kaminski, Jay Kullman
Others: Keith Cappellini; Tom Derlinga; and Sandie Small

- Shawn called the Meeting to Order at 6:05 am.
- Introductions were made.
- There were no changes made to the Agenda.
- Rick had some comments about the Minutes...Sandie was to write a thank you note to the three companies to thank them for their assistance with the pickleball court; and Kathy Billings said she planned to begin legal action if she had not heard by 9/1/20.
- Tom Derlinga spoke next about creating a pathway from a neighbor through his property. He wanted to be sure that the SB was ok with this, and he would coordinate with Larry. Material, such as gravel, would be taken from his property across the road. The SB wanted to be sure that safety issues crossing the road were considered.
- Laura Stone, VTrans, appeared via zoom to discuss the work to be done on the culvert and the bridge (114) on Route 100. Work was to commence sometime in August of 2021, and continue for approximately 2 weeks; traffic would be re-routed to Route 4 and then 100A. VTrans is also looking at repair work for Bridge 115.
- Keith Cappellini spoke next about the on-going issue with his neighbor and he was wondering if the SB planned to take any action on its behalf. Rick indicated the SB would not be taking legal action, particularly as the SB felt it was not necessary as well as the cost to the taxpayers. Shawn had recused himself because he had had business dealings with the parties involved.
- Mail was reviewed and tended to.
- Warrants were reviewed, approved, and signed.
- Rick gave a Road Commissioner Report: grading and side trimming and tree work was being done.
- Under new business: Sandie will ask Kathy Billings status of tax sales; there were 2 applicants for the Lister position and Shawn and Rick will follow up and schedule interviews; the State Police were going to speak with the residents around Woodard Reservoir about their issues with boaters; Sandie was going to ask for resumes for those individuals interested in the vacant school board opening in Plymouth. Rick spoke about the bid for the insulation work to be done at the Town Hall; Shawn suggested that the work might want to wait until the roof was repaired; the issue was tabled. Rick also mentioned that the brick work on the outside of the Town Office needs to be cleaned and repaired; this can be done in the spring; Shawn suggested doing the old Town Office at the same time.
- Under old business: the dog bite issue has been resolved; Sandie will be getting the cash safe for the vault; the wood chips have been delivered to the CC; Rick is working on an ordinance for the Plymouth Air BnB; it will be sent to Mike Coleman for review, then back to the SB, then to the public for a vote.

- The SB went into executive session until 8:00 pm.

The Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm. Rick motioned: Shawn seconded; so voted.

Draft written by Sandie Small

Shawn Bemis, Chair

Rick Kaminski

Jay Kullman