

Chichester Board of Selectmen

Minutes of Meeting
Tuesday June 16, 2020

Members Present on ZOOM: Richard Bouchard, Ed Millette, Jason Weir, and Jodi Pinard Town Administrator, Kristy Willey Administrative Assistant

Others Present on ZOOM: John Martell, Kathy Doult, Stan Brehm, Richard Moore, Tom Houle, Donna Chagnon, Alan Quimby, Doug Hall, Robyn Eldridge, Cara Torrey, Tom Houle, David Jobin, Evelyn Pike, .

Call to Order: Mr. Bouchard called the meeting to order at 6:30pm.

Chairman Bouchard read the following statement into the minutes:

As Chair of the Board of Selectmen, I find that due to the State of Emergency declared by the Governor as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic and in accordance with the Governor's Emergency Order #12 pursuant to Executive Order 2020-04, this public body is authorized to meet electronically.

Please note that there is no physical location to observe and listen contemporaneously to this meeting, which was authorized pursuant to the Governor's Emergency Order. However, in accordance with the Emergency Order, I am confirming that we are:

a) Providing public access to the meeting by telephone, with additional access possibilities by video or other electronic means:

We are utilizing ZOOM for this electronic meeting.¹ All members of the Board have the ability to communicate contemporaneously during this meeting through this platform, and the public has access to contemporaneously listen and, if necessary, participate in this meeting through dialing the following phone #1 301 715 8592 and enter this code:

Meeting ID: 820 2001 8764 and Password: 099767 or by clicking this link :

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85801858153?pwd=UVpzSUxDWWg2VjVJcm5sdFRQa3ZNQT09>

b) Providing public notice of the necessary information for accessing the meeting:

We previously gave notice to the public of the necessary information for accessing the meeting, including how to access the meeting using Zoom or telephonically. Instructions have also been provided on the website of the Board at: www.ChichesterNH.org.

c) Providing a mechanism for the public to alert the public body during the meeting if there are problems with access:

If anybody has a problem, please call 603-798-5350 ext 202 or email at: jpinard@ChichesterNH.org

d) Adjourning the meeting if the public is unable to access the meeting:

In the event the public is unable to access the meeting, the meeting will be adjourned and rescheduled.

Please note that **all votes** that are taken during this meeting shall be done by **roll call vote**.

Fire Chief Discussion-

Mr. Bouchard would like to discuss Alan Quimby being appointed Fire Chief again.

The Board had some discussion with Mr. Quimby.

Mr. Bouchard made a motion and Mr. Weir second to appoint Mr. Alan Quimby as Fire Chief of Chichester Fire Department for a three-year term. Roll Call Vote. Millette, aye. Weir, aye. Bouchard, aye. **Motion passes.**

Abatelements-

Map 4 Lot 156 Sub lot 0041RV in the amount of \$2.00
Map 4 Lot 156 Sub lot 0050RV in the amount of \$80.00
Map 4 Lot 156 Sub lot 0042RV in the amount of \$47.00
Map 4 Lot 156 Sub lot 0037RV in the amount of \$153.93
Map 4 Lot 37RV 2019 PO1 in the amount of \$56.00
Map 4 Lot 37RV 2019 PO2 in the amount of \$56.00
Map 4 Lot 57RV 2019 PO2 in the amount of \$63.00

Mr. Wier made a motion and Mr. Millette seconded to grant the abatements as presented. Roll Call Vote. Millette, aye. Weir, aye. Bouchard, aye. **Motion passes.**

Coleman Concrete-

Mrs. Pinard stated that she has been out to the area several times and has not heard anything. Mr. Weir stated that he has reached out to other residents that live in the area and they have never heard anything or had any complaints.

Mrs. Torrey stated she is very unhappy about the situation and would like it to be investigated more.

Mr. Weir stated that Mrs. Torrey could get his personal cell number from the Selectmen's Office and that she could call him anytime when the noise became an issue so he could go to the location to hear for himself.

The Board tabled the discussion until next meeting July 7, 2020.

Draft Policy for site plan review-

Mrs. Pinard presented the draft policy of the site plan review. The Board will review the policy and get back to Mrs. Pinard with feedback.

Request for hazard pay-

Mrs. Pinard stated that the employees are formally requesting hazard pay as an expense to paid out of the CARES ACT/GOFERR Corona Virus Relief Fund. This means it has no impact on the Town budget of taxpayers.

After some discussion, the Board agreed to pay the six employees requesting hazard pay the same amount that the first responders received for their stipend depending on Full or Part time status.

Adjournment:

Being no further discussion, a motion was made by Mr. Millette and seconded by Mr. Bouchard to adjourn the meeting at 7:26pm. **Motion passes.**

Respectfully submitted
Kristy Willey, Administrative Assistant

Not approved until signed