

## SELECTBOARD MEETING MINUTES

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Tuesday, September 3, 2013, 5:00 p.m., Old Schoolhouse Common

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**Present:** Selectboard members John Warshow, Chris Martin, and Helen Ducharme; Town Clerk Bobbi Brimblecombe; Road Foreman Dan Tetreault; Fire Fighters Tom Maclay and Tim Maclay; Visitor Dave Rogers

At 5:00 p.m. the meeting was called to order at the Fire Station by Chair John Warshow.

**Fire Station:** The Board met with Dave Rogers regarding runoff around the fire station. Dave will continue work to improve drainage along his logging road by installing water bars and stone lining the edge of the road. The Town will clean out the ditch around the fire house and put stone lining where his stream enters the drainage ditch.

**Folsom Hill Road:** In response to a phone call from the Coveys about the amount of water that comes from Folsom Hill Road onto their property, the Board inspected the cross culverts and they are in excellent condition. Mr. Covey wants the town to make improvements but the Selectboard does not think the improvements are necessary. The Road Crew will dig a sump hole at the dump end of the culvert, but the Selectboard doesn't think another cross culvert is warranted. There are already 4 culverts in a 500 foot span.

**Winter Sand:** Dan has had trouble getting the sand delivered. The bid was awarded to Newton Transport but they have not been hauling.

**Old Schoolhouse Common:** The Selectboard approved Ernie's estimate to install hand rails at the OSC, for a cost of \$375.00.

**Martin Covered Bridge Park:** The Selectboard gave permission for Tim Maclay to brush hog the fields and hay the property in the future. The Board referenced a letter from the Conservation Commission dated July 16<sup>th</sup>. Areas with nesting birds, wetlands, and rare plants will be marked and avoided. This agreement is for a period of 5 years.

**Cemeteries:** Bobbi reported that someone called today to complain about the trees being removed from Eaton Cemetery. The Board noted that they are not happy that the trees have to come down but every year, more large limbs come down and they felt it was necessary to protect the old gravestones.

**Expenses, Permits & Payroll:** Selectboard members read and signed reports for General Expenses and Payroll. They approved the minutes of the August 20, 2013 meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bobbi Brimblecombe, Town Clerk

The foregoing is a true copy of the Minutes of the September 3, 2013 Selectboard Meeting.  
A True Record. Attest, \_\_\_\_\_, Town Clerk

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