

**Town of Royalton  
Royalton Selectboard Meeting  
January 13, 2015 7:00pm  
Town Office Safford Street**

**Royalton Selectboard:** Larry Trottier, Phil Gates, Peggy Ainsworth, Joan Goldstein, Sandy Conrad

**Public Present:** Jojo Levasseur

**Town Staff:** Administration and Finance Manager Rose Hemond, Delinquent Tax Collector Theresa Harrington

**Selectboard Chairman Larry Trottier opened the Selectboard Meeting at 7:05pm**

**Delinquent Tax Collector Theresa Harrington** spoke to the Selectboard about the upcoming tax sale in Royalton. She presented a list of properties that will be up for tax sale on 01/23/15. She provided details on what type of property: land, house or mobile home. Theresa mentioned there were \$285,000.00 in delinquencies added for 2014. She said there will be another tax sale in April 2015. She asked the Selectboard to have a presence at the tax sale and Larry Trottier said he would be in attendance.

**Appoint Grace Adams to the Royalton-Bethel Solid Waste Facility Board. P. Ainsworth motioned and J. Goldstein seconded to appoint Grace Adams. Motion passed 4-0**

**Dubois and King Gilman Road Survey and Design Agreement: P. Gates motioned and J. Goldstein seconded to authorize Larry Trottier to sign the Dubois and King Gilman Road Agreement for the survey, and design of the Gilman Road project. Motion passed 4-0.**

**Gilman Road Grant Extension:** Due to a need for a more extensive archeological survey of the Gilman Road property where the road will be moved to, there will be a delay in the environmental review and thus delay meeting the conditions of the grant by 01/31/15. Hartgen Archeological Associates will be conducting the archeological survey. Joan asked Rose to contact them about possibly doing the survey at Phase 3 and 4 at the Royalton gravel pit since they will be in town in the spring. **P. Ainsworth motioned and P. Gates seconded to authorize Larry Trottier to sign the Gilman Road Grant extension. Motion passed 4-0**

**Insignificant Waste Management Event Approval: J. Goldstein motioned and P. Ainsworth seconded to authorize Larry Trottier to sign the IWMEA application for approval to dispose of concrete at Crawford Property. Motion passed 4-0**

**Certificate of Compliance for Town Road and Bridge Standards. P. Gate motioned and P. Ainsworth seconded to sign the certificate of compliance. Motion passed 4-0**

**Conservation Commission discussion.** It was suggested that the conservation commission make suggestions on who would be an ideal person to be part of their committee and what their mission was. The Selectboard would then advertise for members.

**Finalize the FY 15/16 Budget: J. Goldstein motioned and S. Conrad seconded to approve the FY 15/16 General Fund budget for \$1,099,765.00 and FY 15/16 Highway Budget for \$1,051,700.00 Motion passed 4-0**

**Royalton Town Plan** The Selectboard edited draft of the town plan and made some revisions. They will review the town plan one more time before the public hearing on February 2, 2015.

**J. Goldstein motioned and P. Gates seconded to accept the changes and edits made by the Royalton Selectboard to the 2015 Town Plan. Motion passed 4-0**

The Selectboard reviewed accounts payable as prepared by Town Treasurer Luann Bingham.

**Selectboard meeting minutes 12/23/14 L. Trottier motioned and S. Conrad seconded to approve the Selectboard meeting minutes with revisions for 12/23/14. Motion passed 3-0 one abstention (Joan)**

**Selectboard meeting minutes 01/06/15 L. Trottier motioned and S. Conrad seconded to approve the meeting minutes with revisions for 01/06/15. Motion passed 4-0**

**Meeting Adjourned 10:30pm**

**Respectfully submitted**

**By Rose Hemond**