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SELECTMEN’S MEETING
MINUTES
12/29/2011

Selectmen: Cheryl Lewis, Mark Andrew
Administrative Assistant: Anne Dow

The meeting was opened at 6:15 p.m.

Encumbered Funds:

The Board voted 2-0 to encumber the following 2011 funds:

1. Revaluation - $3,000 (CNP needs to complete callbacks for 2011 work done 2011 Warrant Article #4)
2. Master Plan - $4,000 (up to $4,000 remaining/due to North Country Council for Master Plan 2011 Warrant Article #5 non-lapsing)
3. Code Enforcement - $7,126.52 (contract with MRI/did not complete enforcement of junkyards in 2011, Warrant Article #6)
4. Dry Hydrants - $5,000 (2011 Warrant Article #24 non-lapsing)

FEMA Funds

The Board voted 2-0 to accept any and all FEMA funds paid to the town for reimbursement of town expenses due to Tropical Storm Irene earlier this year.

Resolution of Involuntary Merger - January 1, 2012 is the deadline under a law that took effect in 2011. HB 316 requires municipalities, upon request of the landowner, to restore to their pre-merger status lots that were previously merged involuntarily. An integral part of that process is the notification requirement under RSA 674:39-aa: municipalities must post notice by January 1, 2012, and must publish notice in the 2011 through 2015 annual reports. Interested parties can check the town’s website or consult the full text of RSA 674:39-aa for complete requirements.

The Planning Board reviewed the application and had no concerns with it. The Board voted 2-0 to accept the application and procedure for the Resolution of Involuntary Mergers.

For the record: Although Selectperson Janice Mulherin was not present at this meeting, she was aware of the votes being taken and was in agreement with the above items.

Regional Response Trailer – The Board signed the Memorandum of Agreement for ownership of the RRT.

Groton Wind Blasting Plan – The Board looked over the plan provided by Groton Wind. The plan, as presented, was difficult to follow. The Board would like clarification on several parts of the plan. Anne will forward their request to Groton Wind.

SIGNED: Checks; MOA – Regional Response Trailer; Application/Procedure – Involuntary Mergers
UPCOMING:  01/02  Office Closed; Selectmen’s Meeting 7:00
        01/03  Pemi-Baker School District Budget Hearing 6:30 @ PRHS
        01/04  Russell School Budget Hearing 7:00 @ Russell School
        01/09  Selectmen’s Meeting with Advisory Board

The meeting was adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne B. Dow
Administrative Assistant