

**Town of Sumner - Select Board Agenda
September 13, 2022, 6:00 pm**

Meeting was called to order at 6:01 pm.

Members present: Kelly Stewart, Don Munroe, Mary Ann Haxton, Shawn Corson, Sherry Sullivan

Public present:

Meeting minutes from August 23, 2022 were read and approved with a motion by Haxton and seconded by Stewart.

Warrant #6

Checks	14812 - 14821	\$150,665.04
Receipts	179 – 297	\$195,421.15
2021-2022 Tax Collected	91.72%	\$1,326,356.00
2020-2021 Tax Collected	93.44%	\$1,345,854.55

Open Session:

RSU #10 Report: Joel Chapman

Chapman was not in attendance at the Select Board Meeting.

Chapman reported via email that moving forward meetings will be recorded and posted to the RSU 10 website for those who are unable to attend. At the most recent meeting, the decision to provide school nurses with training to allow safe and legal medication administration on school field trips was approved. In addition, the school board voted unanimously to hire Carolyn Luce to the principal position at the Rumford Elementary School.

School board policy amendments were discussed. A consideration was made to change the policy on public testimony. The changes could be summarized in terms of who can present public testimony and how long they will be given to voice their concerns.

CEO/LPI Report: Fred Collins

Collins was not in attendance at the Select Board Meeting.

Collins recommends requiring all approved building notification applicants to post an approved notification sign onsite. Sullivan will draft an approval notice for onsite posting.

Roads Report: Shawn Corson

Corson requested the Town of Sumner enter into an agreement with Foothill Riders ATV Club & Mount Tom Snowmobile Club Group that allows both clubs to maintain and make passable, only by way of recreational vehicles that meet the requirements set forth and regulated by the State of Maine All-Terrain and Snowmobile Laws and Rules, the Chandler Bridge and the Kay Mountain Brook Bridge located on River Road, at the expense of Foothills Riders ATV Club and Mount Tom Snowmobile Club Group. The Town of Sumner

will reserve any and all rights to the Chandler Bridge and the Kay Mountain Brook Bridge located on River Road, and at any point can terminate this agreement.

Sullivan will draft an agreement for all parties to sign on September 27.

Forms, Reports, Correspondence:

New Business:

The Sumner Select Board welcomed Don Monroe, newest member of the Select Board. Munroe was elected at the August 2 Sumner Town Meeting. Munroe was assigned the responsibility of maintain building and grounds during his tenure on the board. Stewart will continue overseeing roads maintenance and Haxton will assist as needed.

Haxton motioned to assign Sullivan as General Assistance Administrator and Arsenault to train as General Assistance Administrator's Assistant, Monroe seconded.

Dog license renewals will start October 15. Towns are required by state law to offer animal control services. The Animal Control Officer term is determined at the discretion of the Select Board and at time reserves the right to terminate the officer in position.

Sullivan made announcement that a denied building notification is being disputed and an appeal has been formally submitted. There are currently two active members on the appeals board. Sumner is seeking a third member. Sullivan will contact several members of the community to see if there is any interest.

Old Business:

Upcoming events:

Meeting was adjourned at 7:31 pm with a motion by Haxton and seconded by Stewart.