Town of Eustis

Selectmen’s Meeting

September 8, 2020

Present: Steve St. Jean, Brandi Farnsworth, Jed Whiting, Amanda Brochu, and Jeff Lecander

Attending: Tina O’Donnell, Jim Brochu, Andy Brann, Bob and Kelly White, Kirk Williams, Carol Sherrier, and Lori Lemont (via Zoom)

Agenda #1 Meeting opened with Brandi motioning to accept minutes from the August 25th meeting as written and Steve seconding it. All were in favor.

Agenda #2 Beer/Wine License- Looney Moose- It was noted that notice had been posted for seven days and no one came forth in opposition. Bob stated that as soon as he has an inspection he can start – hoping by end of September. Permit was signed by select-board.

Agenda # 3 Andy Brann- Transfer Station Plowing- As the amount is only $7500, Andy requested that he not be required to get a bond and in return he would wait to get paid on April 15, 2021. Steve made a motion to accept his proposal and Brandi seconded it. Brandi wondered if we require a bond why we would make an exception. Kirk stated that the purpose of a bond is to ensure the job gets done and where he will wait to April to get paid, if he doesn’t do the job, we won’t pay him. Jed stated that the purpose of a bond is to protect you when the numbers get larger, $7500 was not a lot of money, and if he doesn’t do the job he won’t get paid. After some discussion of types of bonds and the criteria for them, all voted in favor of Andy’s proposal.

Agenda # 4 IT Support- Tina filled the selectmen in on the computer issues in the town office and Unlimited Technology/Capitol Computers’ response to it. They are slow to respond and expensive. They wanted us to buy a new router and did not address the email issues. We ended up calling CPromt and they came first thing the next day and fixed the problem without a new router. Unlimited Technology’s contract expires Nov 1st and the town office would like to go with CPromt or someone else. Steve wants to be sure that the town owns all the equipment. The Selectmen agreed we should explore other options.

Agenda #5 Fencing at Transfer Station- Steve was approached by Dan Barker wondering if we want to sell it. Kirk mentioned that it was already promised to Kenny Wing to use at the cemeteries.

Jed made a motion that the meeting be adjourned. Brandi seconded it. All were in favor and the meeting was adjourned.