

**Town of Cornish  
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes  
Friday, February 3, 2017 3:00pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Dale Lawrence, John Hammond

1. BOS reviewed mail and invoices.
2. Wayne Gray, Road Agent, reported that he contacted the power company to take down 2 large pine trees on East Road.
3. The Fire Department has removed the warrant article request for a grant for air packs. They did not make it to the second round of request.
4. BOS called Chad Robarge of Avitar for discussion of map upgrades. He will review concerns of finding lots in certain areas of Town.
5. BOS went to do 2 site inspections for building permits.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Hammond

**Town of Cornish  
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes  
Monday, February 6, 2017 6:30pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Dale Lawrence, John Hammond

1. BOS signed checks, reviewed invoices and mail.
2. BOS approved minutes of January 2017, 2, 6, 9, 13, 16, 20, 23, 25, 26, 27, and 30.
3. Bill Wall came in to discuss the power generation of the hydro mills on the Connecticut River. A petition has been submitted for a warrant article concerning the river bank erosion.
4. BOS continued to fine tune the 2017 town budget.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Hammond

**Town of Cornish  
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes  
Friday, February 10, 2017 3:00pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Dale Lawrence, John Hammond

1. BOS reviewed mail and invoices.
2. Reed Truck Service has a buyer for the 2005 Sterling truck. Dale signed the title to enable sale. The truck has 103,675 miles on it.
3. Wayne Gray came in to discuss road issues. The 2009 truck is in the shop to fix and oil leak.

4. George Edson has applied to the USDA for a grant to put in lighting at the Fairgrounds. Wayne will notify all the abutting land owners of the plan. Three lights are planned to be put on the CREA barn. The Selectmen were comfortable with the plans. Twenty-three fixtures are planned to be installed if the full amount of the grant is allowed. This will improve the safety and visibility at night during the fair.
5. BOS reviewed and enjoyed ancient Town Reports dating from 1867 – 1921 brought in by John Hammond.
6. Scott Reed came in to pick up the title for the 2005 Sterling truck.
7. Adjourned at 5:00pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Hammond

**Town of Cornish  
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes  
Monday, February 13, 2017 6:30pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Dale Lawrence, John Hammond

1. BOS reviewed mail and invoices and signed checks.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Hammond

**Town of Cornish  
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes  
Friday, February 17, 2017 3:00pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Dale Lawrence, John Hammond

1. BOS reviewed mail and invoices.
2. Wayne Gray came in to discuss Highway Department issues. The Loader blew a hydraulic hose. They are waiting for a replacement.
3. Scott installed the new doorbell for the back door at the Town Office.
4. BOS went to the Town Hall to shovel out the fire exits.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Hammond

**Town of Cornish  
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes  
Monday, February 20, 2017 6:30pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Dale Lawrence, John Hammond

1. BOS reviewed mail and invoices and signed checks.
2. Doug Hackett came in to discuss police matters.
3. Another quiet evening at the office.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Hammond

**Town of Cornish  
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes  
Friday, February 24, 2017 3:00pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Dale Lawrence, John Hammond

1. BOS reviewed mail and invoices.
2. BOS discussed the history of communications with Comcast regarding cable service in town. Corey Stevens came in to be included in the conversation with Comcast.
3. Jim Liggett came in to discuss current use issues concerning some of his properties. He has also had a discussion with Mark from Avitar about reassessing some of his properties.
4. Nick Witty came in to talk about the potential of applying for the Highway Department job and not currently having a CDL. He would plan to have one within a short time after the job opens up.
5. Wayne Gray came in to talk about highway issues. A bridge on Center Road is in need of repair. The railing needs to be re-welded to the deck. The roads were posted February 23<sup>rd</sup>, the same date as last year. Wayne would like to beef up the front springs on the F250 to help with plowing. This will better support the weight of the plow on the truck. Wayne also discussed when the department would be having the job opening posted.
6. Adjourned at 5:00pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Hammond

**Town of Cornish  
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes  
Monday, February 27, 2017 6:30pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Dale Lawrence, John Hammond

1. BOS reviewed mail and invoices and signed checks.
2. Bob Taylor came in to take the oath of office for the Conservation Commission.
3. The Cornish Energy Committee came in and asked to be included in any work done on Town buildings. They also asked if questions on energy could be included in the upcoming Master Plan questionnaire.
4. BOS wrote a letter to the Historic Building Committee thanking them for their work and future recommended actions.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Hammond