

**Town of Cornish
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes
Monday, April 2, 2018 6:30pm**

Present: John Hammond, Scott Baker, Ginny Wood

1. Discussed personnel matter with employee. Discussed suggestions.
2. Signed checks and invoices, reviewed mail.
3. Denied certification of compliance and referred case to ZBA.
4. Began process for memorial update.
5. Finalized hiring of new employee for Highway Department. Anticipated start date is April 30th.
6. Reyer Jaarsma came in to request a letter to NHTOA regarding Conservation Commission appointment.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Wood

**Town of Cornish
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes
Friday, April 6, 2018 3:00pm**

Present: John Hammond, Scott Baker, Ginny Wood

1. Kyle Witty came in to discuss town issue.
2. Selectmen reviewed and signed invoices, read mail.
3. March Selectmen minutes were voted on. Unanimous approval.
4. Discussed Highway issues with Road Agent. Will meet with Highway Department to get feedback at 2:30 on Friday the 13th. Telephone call made to potential applicant for highway position.
5. Call from Bob Rice. Concerns about free food Wednesdays. Too crowded, needs bigger space. People are parking on both sides of the road. Concerns that Fire Department bays will be blocked.
6. Discussed St. Gaudens road repair and anticipated partial day closures.
7. Highway Agent is discussing with school the implications with the school bus route.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Wood

**Town of Cornish
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes
Monday, April 9, 2018 6:30pm**

Present: John Hammond, Scott Baker, Ginny Wood

1. Jennifer Caver came in for building permit for chicken coop. Will do site review on April 13th.
2. Met with 2 Highway Department employees. Discussed roads and personnel issues. Aware of many potholes that need better covering. It was suggested to develop right of way map for the town, road width etc. and to review fuel logs.
3. Everett Cass came in to discuss tree removal on Clark Camp Road; 2 on Stage Coach Road; will do a site visit on April 13th.
4. Call made to Daniel Grenier to arrange for restoration of WWI Honor Roll Monument. He will attempt to have it completed by Memorial Day.
5. Discussed recycling issues. Will follow up with notice and signs.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Wood

**Town of Cornish
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes
Friday, April 13, 2018 3:00pm**

Present: John Hammond, Scott Baker, Ginny Wood

1. Kyle Witty came and sat in on the BOS meeting.
2. Met with highway crew member. Discussed roads and personnel issues.
3. Reviewed invoices and mail.
4. Discussed possibility of getting ground asphalt from Osgood Construction for a price (from a telephone call from Tim Schad). Will follow up with Todd Osgood.
5. Discussed highway issues with Road Agent. Discussed well replacement. May put new well near highway shed. Both the Highway Department and Fair Association could use.
6. Road trip for 2 building permits and a follow up in regards to hazardous trees.
7. Met with Fire Chief. Recommended that the Fire Department be made aware of all solar installations to allow them to follow up on safety recommendations. Voluntary involvement by home owner. Online burn permits up and running. Has been used by several residents already.
8. Went into executive session to discuss personnel issues.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Wood

**Town of Cornish
Public Hearing Minutes
Monday, April 16, 2018 7:00pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Ginny Wood, Mary Curtis and Larry Dingee

Larry questioned merging one or more of the Trinity Church Trust Funds. Will seek answers from the Town Treasurer and Trustees of Trust Funds. Will contact Department of Justice if needed.

Ginny Wood moved, Scott Baker seconded that we accept trust fund from Episcopal Diocese. Vote unanimous.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Wood

**Town of Cornish
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes
Monday, April 16, 2018 6:30pm**

Present: Scott Baker, Ginny Wood
Absent: John Hammond

1. BOS signed checks, reviewed mail and invoices.
2. Selectmen met with Trustees of Trust Funds to discuss fund wordage. Copies of each fund will be forwarded to the Selectboard. The Selectmen will help acquire the Trinity Church Trust Fund paperwork.
3. Adjourned for Public Hearing regarding acceptance of Trinity Church Trust Funds from the Episcopal Diocese.
4. Reopened meeting. Spoke with a town resident who is interested in making an anonymous donation for stone cleaning and resetting, fixing fences, etc. for the cemeteries in town.
5. Telephone call was made to Marie Derusha regarding the food pantry and possibility of moving it to the Town Hall due to traffic congestion and parking concerns at the Fire Station.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Wood

**Town of Cornish
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes
Friday, April 20, 2018 3:00pm**

Present: John Hammond, Scott Baker, Ginny Wood

1. Bill Wall came in to discuss recycling. Notice to go to Connect Cornish limiting recycling for/to Cornish residents only due to increased hauling fees and other costs.
2. Discussed new wells. Two sites are approved by the state to replace those servicing the Highway Department and Fire/Police Department.
3. Met with Mike Boutilier, Fire Chief. Engine 2 received some damage on the way to a fire scene. Estimates for repair will be attained.
4. Reviewed and approved invoices. Reviewed mail.
5. Returned phone call from Pam Annis. The volunteers will be moving Willing Hands from the Fire Station in the Flat to the Town Hall.
6. A resident was in to discuss working for the Highway Department.
7. Wayne Gray, Road Agent, came in to discuss highway business including but not limited to: Osgood follow-up; roller repair; 2002 power steering leak; equipment operator position and wetlands/FEMA follow-up.
8. Will advertise for full time heavy equipment operator. Meanwhile, will offer a local resident a part time temporary position as grader operator.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Wood

**Town of Cornish
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes
Monday, April 23, 2018 6:30pm**

Present: John Hammond, Scott Baker, Ginny Wood

1. Pam Annis hopes to have Willing Hands moved to Town Hall by mid-May if possible. Will need an alternative site for Fair time.
2. Town Hall refrigerator is less reliable and will need replacing soon. Will put an ad in Connect Cornish to see if a donation might be found.
3. Bill Wall came in and discussed recycling issues.
4. Everett Cass came in to discuss particulars of his running the grader for a short time this spring.
5. Selectmen signed checks, reviewed mail and invoices.
6. Chief Hackett came in to discuss police issues including speeding in the Flat and signs.
7. Received telephone call from resident regarding future part time highway positions. Will discuss again mid-summer.
8. Telephone call was made to Tim Schad, as representative for Osgood Construction, to discuss purchase of ground asphalt. A written proposal will be sent to the town.

9. Discussed recycling. Recycling will be limited to Cornish TAXPAYERS only. Correction to be sent to Connect Cornish.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Wood

**Town of Cornish
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes
Friday, April 27, 2018 3:00pm**

Present: John Hammond, Scott Baker, Ginny Wood

1. Follow up telephone call with Judy Bonneau regarding driveway culvert plugging. Will complete site visit.
2. Reviewed invoices and mail.
3. Reviewed (on paper) boundary lines of Town of Cornish for Fred Weld Cornish/Plainfield boundary regarding Sheridan Snyder off Burr Road.
4. Telephone call to Jeff Moffitt to discuss access to his property on Class VI roads. Message left. Will do site visit when road is passable.
5. Telephone call from Daniel Grenier who will be restoring the WWI monument. Approved glossy black finish; will gold leaf Cyril Hund.
6. Still waiting for written proposal for gravel purchase.
7. Discussed Highway Department issues with Road Agent. Loader serviced, discussed grading, ordered salt and talked about the mechanics class that 2 of them attended.
8. Wetlands/Wildlife Committee inspected and repaired beaver dams.
9. Selectmen made site visits to Justin Ranney and several roads for evaluation.

Respectfully submitted,
Ginny Wood

**Town of Cornish
Selectmen's Meeting Minutes
Monday, April 30, 2018 6:30pm**

Present: John Hammond, Scott Baker, Ginny Wood

1. Telephone call to Judy Bonneau regarding erosion of road leading to culvert problems. Road is due to be re-ditched this summer. Should fix the problem.
2. BOS signed a building permit for Justin Ranney's shed following a 4-17 site visit.
3. Reviewed building permit for Dan Kelliher to build shed for Town House Road Firehouse. It is his Eagle Scout project. Signed permit. Will follow up with site visit on 5-4-18.
4. Signed checks and reviewed mail.
5. Telephone call to Caroline Storrs regarding painting of the Trinity Church. The painter is Jeff Wilmot Painting & Wallpaper from South Royalton, VT. (802)763-2055 He will start painting (weather permitting) August 20th.

6. Replacement of the Town Hall Roof will start soon.
7. Little Town Hall will be painted before the Cornish Fair.
8. Telephone call was made to Fred Weld regarding the boundary line between Cornish and Plainfield in the Burr Road area (Snyder property). There is a discrepancy among the US Geological Society maps and the survey maps. 1988 perambulation notes were used by Fred. BOS will contact Plainfield Town Offices to see if we can jointly view the site or compare maps.
9. Telephone calls were made to make arrangements for Memorial Day.
10. Discussed bidding procedure; sealed bids, quotes etc. Mary will research.
11. Discussed Recycling Center. May need additional help.
12. Discussed Safety Committee. Needs reorganization. Suggest Fire Chief, Police Chief, Health Officer, School Rep and Emergency Management along with member at large. Will ask those suggested.

Respectfully submitted,
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