Minutes Alford Select Board

October 28, 2019

Present: Charles Ketchen, Peter Puciloski, Peggy Rae Henden-Wilson, Monty Green
Others in attendance: Steve Berkel, Fire Chief; Jeff Moran

Meeting called to order at 12 Noon

Public Hearing for 411 West Road
The applicant is seeking a permit/license to install 2-1000 gallon underground propane storage tanks. Jeff Morgan from Moran Mechanical seeks to install 2-1000 gallon underground propane tanks in addition to the 1-500 gallon tank already installed on the property. Chief Berkel has no objections, No abutters have filed objections. Puciloski made a motion to grant the license and Ketchen seconded the motion. Motion passes unanimously.

Highway Update:
Paving is all done on Crooked Hill Road. TJ will be back to work on November 1, 2019. He will be on light duty. Casey’s work performance has been better than expected in TJ’s absence and will need to remain working through the winter due to TJ’s light duty status. Butternut Tree Company has been in town working on trimming trees for the middle mile as requested by Alford Link.
Inspection of the transfer station in complete and went well. The town is now required to keep track of the amount of dumping per year.

Town Clerk: Henden-Wilson is looking into the Peer to Peer grant program to see if the Town Of Alford can get reimbursed for the training being done by Kathy Chretien from New Marlborough.
Peter Schoeffer term for Constable expires in November. Motion by Puciloski to reappoint Schoeffer as Constable for 3 year term. Second by Henden-Wilson. Motion passes unanimously. Henden-Wilson will be away from December 18, 2019 to February 1, 2020. Kathy Chretien will be on call for any Town Clerk emergencies.

Ketchen raised concern about the camper that is parked in the yard on the corner of Green River Road and Crooked Hill Road. As it appears someone is living in it. This is in violation of Alford’s zoning by law without a special permit. Roxanne will contact the building inspector, Owen Wright, and see how to proceed.

Meeting Adjourned 1:00pm

Respectfully submitted
Roxanne Germain