

**TOWN OF WENTWORTH NEW HAMPSHIRE
OFFICE OF THE SELECTMEN**

**Minutes
January 6, 2009 Meeting**

Present: Palmer Koelb, Francis Muzzey, Randy Morrison and Janet Woolner

Also Present: Chief Kevin Kay, Bobby Cass, Cale Weeks, George Morrill, Tom Thomson, Ellie Murray, and William Melanson

Palmer moved to open the meeting at 6:00 pm, seconded by Francis and approved.

Chief Kevin Kay updated Selectmen on Police affairs.

Francis moved to accept the December 30, 2008 Minutes and Non-Public Minutes, seconded by Palmer and approved.

Bobby Cass said the 2001 Int'l has a problem with spokes on the rims and the drums. He wants to change the drums and rims. He also said a pin broke on the big truck. Frances moved to go to Fleet Pride and Guy Brochu contingent on written quotes, seconded by Palmer and approved.

Francis moved to accept the resignation of Alan Jesseman, seconded by Randy and approved.

Francis moved to go into non-public session at 6:30 pm per RSA 91-A:3, II (b) to discuss the hiring of a public employee. Francis moved to come out of non-public session at 6:45 pm. Selectmen agreed to hire a new employee at an hourly wage of \$9.00/hr and to review the employee in 60 days.

Tom Thomson wants clarification on the road where he has a proposed subdivision planned and advised the road now will be 20 foot wide road (approx 1,000 ft). It is stated in the State letter that the easement could be deeded to the Town at a later date. Tom asked if the road agent would visit the site and advise if a culvert is necessary. Selectmen asked that Tom fill out a driveway permit form; that will be reviewed by the road agent.

Chief Kay discussed Officer Pivrotto and said he cannot work, per the Police Standards Training Counsel, until he has the 200 hrs and certification from the Police Standards and Training Academy. Chief Kay said he has another applicant for P/T police coverage and will advise more next week.

Francis moved, seconded by Randy, and approved, to put a color photo of Roy Ames in the Town Report this year.

William Melanson inquired about how to prepare a Warrant Article asking the Town to maintain Hooper Hill Road. It is estimated to be about 2/10 of a mile to the power lines. Francis believes that there is not sufficient room to turn around at the power line and he is against any new roads to be maintained by the Town. Palmer and Randy agreed to put it on the Warrant to let the Town decide whether to maintain the road or not.

Randy moved, seconded by Francis, and approved by Palmer, to go into non-public session per RSA 91-A:3, II (c) at 8:15 pm, to discuss matters which, if discussed in public, would likely affect adversely the reputation of any person. Francis moved, seconded by Randy and approved by Palmer to come out of non-public session at 8:50 pm.

Randy moved to adjourn at 8:50 pm, seconded by Palmer, and approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Janet E. Woolner

Minutes accepted by _____, _____, and _____