

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

**Minutes and Public Hearing
April 28, 2009 Meeting**

Present: Steve Davis, Randy Morrison, Francis Muzzey and Janet Woolner

Also Present: Chip Strata, Kenyon Karl, Chief Kevin Kay, Gini Gove, Eugene Garrett, Larry King, Ellie Murray, Katie Blodgett, Janice & John Thompson, Mike Wright, Paula Davis, Mark Grizzle, Lee Anderson, Ryan Farr, Allen Crossman, Susan Judd and Donna King

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

Steve moved to approve the minutes and non-public minutes for April 21, 2009, seconded by Francis and approved.

Steve Davis requested a copy of the non-public minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday April 22, 2009 per RSA 91-A:2. Steve requested these minutes be sealed; this was seconded by Francis and approved by Randy. Steve further stated he was always available by phone if there was an emergency.

Selectmen signed Intent to Cut for Kinne M/L 08-11-01.

Police Chief Kay mentioned the outside faucet does not work and he stated the animal cage is now in place. Chief Kay advised the new speed sign registered 5500 vehicles and 147 vehicles were doing 70 mph.

Chief Kay also brought up that questions still exist on the 911 maps. Steve moved to invite the residents to a hearing to discuss Thayer Mt Rd/Mica Mine Rd area, Camp Victory Rd area, Nichols Hill Rd/Blueberry Lane area; and put a notice in the paper before making a decision. This was seconded by Francis and approved. Selectmen will plan to discuss this May 19, 2009 at 7 pm and will put information on the web site and in the newspaper.

Selectmen discussed the I-beams at the Saunders Hill Bridge. Mike Wright talked to Selectmen about the beams that are left and asked if he could have some for the snowmobile club. Steve requested a call be made to Winterset.

Selectmen and Chief Kay agreed police coverage is not needed for a June 7, 2009 wedding in town.

Fire Chief Jeff Ames talked about the Racetrack. Francis read the bylaws: Be it resolved that pursuant to RSA 31:39 the Select Board has established the following bylaw effective September 2, 2008: Any place of assembly or place of public accommodation, as defined in RSA 155:17 and RSA 155:39a respectively, for which noise may be a complaint, are hereby forbidden to operate after the hour of 10:30 pm. Chief Ames said the Fire Department is in charge of safety only. Selectmen are in charge of lighting, noise and time. Francis read the letter outlining the rules. It is understood that the track will open May 9, 2009 (time trials have started) and is managed by Jason McAllister. Police coverage (two officers) is again required at the cost of \$40.00/hr.

Allan Crossman discussed the complaint from Rumney about the plastic (caps on the containers must come off and no plastic motor oil containers are allowed. Francis Muzzey will make up signs to be posted at the Transfer Station. Eugene suggested we put new dumpers in the Transfer Station to collect items we pay for to be transported to Rumney.

Steve read the notice from North County Council regarding fluorescent tubes and antifreeze pick up:

(Just a reminder that James is in the process of setting up a pickup for Fluorescents). Please get the number of boxes you will be sending out to him ASAP. Also, let him know how many storage tubes/boxes you need to have replaced. We will also be looking at possibly doing an antifreeze pickup if there is enough material to warrant one. When you give James your box counts just note the amount of antifreeze you have at this time.

For any of you that were not at the meeting on the 16th just a heads up that NRRA, for a limited time, has a vendor that will recycle electronics for \$.01/lb. If you have a lot of electronics on hand, this would be great time to recycle them at a really great price.

James' email is jsteele@nccouncil.org <<mailto:jsteele@nccouncil.org>> or you can phone him at 444-6303 x15.
Dan

Randy moved to accept Brian Weeks bid for the security camera installation, seconded by Steve and approved by Francis.

Several youths talked with Selectmen about the possibility of providing lighting for the basketball court. Several suggestions were entertained and it was agreed that one of the youths would contact Kathy Keefe, Friends of Parks & Recreation.

Francis moved to go into the Public Hearing at 7:04, seconded by Randy and approved by Steve. Chief Kevin Kay discussed the revised sections of the Parking Ordinance, the updated language and the fees. Francis moved to close the hearing at 7:15 pm, seconded by Randy and approved by Steve.

Francis moved to accept the revised ordinance, seconded by Randy and approved by Steve.

Selectmen agreed to contact a computer company and report more next week.

Francis moved to go into non-public session per RSA 91-A:3, II (a) to discuss dismissal, promotion or setting compensation for public employees or the investigation of any charges against them, at 7:47 pm, seconded by Steve and approved by Randy. Randy moved to come out of non-public session at 9:22 pm, seconded by Steve and approved by Francis.

Francis moved to adjourn the meeting at 9:23 pm. This was seconded by Randy and approved by Steve.

Respectfully submitted,

Janet E. Woolner

Minutes accepted by _____, _____, and _____