

Minutes

Albany NH Selectmen's Meeting

May 4, 2011

At 3:01 p.m., the Selectmen's meeting was called to order. In attendance were Sara Young-Knox, Jack Rose and Joe Ferris. Also present were Lee Grant and June Johnson. The following business was conducted.

Regular Business:

- Reviewed & approved April 27 minutes-Jack made a motion to approve the minutes as submitted, Joe seconded the motion and all were in favor.
- Signed checks totaling \$3,049.99.
- Reviewed & approved one building permit.
- Reviewed & approved one pistol permit.
- Reviewed & approved two excavation intents.
- Reviewed and approved two timber intents and one bond.
- Reviewed & approved two timber tax warrants.
- Reviewed & signed reminder letter.
- Reviewed e-mail from Andrew Chalmers.
- Reviewed correspondence from NHDRA.
- Reviewed letter from University of New Hampshire-see UNH below.
- Reviewed letter from NHDES.
- Reviewed letter from NDOT.

Lt. Michael Santuccio (Carroll County Sheriff Dept.):

Lt. Santuccio discussed with the Board when they would like the sheriff department to begin patrolling the roads of Albany. He asked if they would prefer four or eight hour blocks, should summer visitors be targeted for the majority of patrols or the neighborhoods. Sara thought the target should be the neighborhoods. Jack added that he didn't think there should be any regular patrol pattern. All three Board members agreed four hour blocks would suffice.

Lt. Santuccio told the Board the deputies would patrol and also begin to interact with the residents because it would make them more approachable and also let the residents see a police presence. He added if the Board wanted certain areas targeted to let the department know. Jack would appreciate Lt. Santuccio's input as to days and times to patrol. Lt. Santuccio will set up a couple of weeks of patrols and afterward he will meet with the

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Selectmen again to fine tune any changes. He asked when the Board would like the patrols to start. Joe suggested weekends for now and when school gets out for the summer, increase patrols to include mid week days. Lt. Santuccio will meet with the Board again next Wednesday in nonpublic session with a few options.

UNH:

The Selectmen received a letter from UNH reporting they are in the midst of selling their property in Albany to the United States Forest Service. They contacted Albany Selectmen in 2006, asking about their concerns with no response therefore, they were moving forward in their final stages of transferring the property over to the Forest Service. Joe said there was a completely different Board at that time and this Board should inquire about the price and ask if they would consider selling it to Albany. Sara replied in 2006 the Board of Selectmen ignored the inquiry and now UNH has moved forward towards the final sale. She doesn't think Albany should try to stop it as they are probably so far into it, it would be a moot point.

Valley Pride Day:

Colleen Cormack found a person to run Albany's portion of Valley Pride Day. She wanted to know if a table and road map could be used from 8 a.m.- 10:30a.m. on Saturday, so cleanup assignments could be handed out along with trash bags. Jack volunteered his services to come to town hall bring out the table.

At 4:00 p.m., Jack made a motion to adjourn, Joe seconded the motion and all were in favor.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kathleen Vizard
Administrative Assistant