



Town of Thorndike

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Selectman's Meeting 3.17.2021

In attendance

J Ard, M Pomeroy, R Cunningham, D Berry, J Trafton, R Carter, G Falzetta, R Nelson, C Greenberg, A Hamblet, A Gleason

Open the meeting

Pledge of Allegiance

Review of 3.3.21 Minutes

- D Berry motions to accept with corrections. J Trafton seconds. 3-0 passes

Appointment of Town Clerk/ Tax Collector/ Treasurer

- D Berry introduces Anita Jewell-Gleason and gives a brief background summary.
- D Berry motions to accept Anita Jewell-Gleason to the position of Clerk/ Tax Collector/ Treasurer, J Trafton seconds. 3-0 passes.
- D Berry motions to add Anita Jewell-Gleason to the bank accounts at Bangor Savings Bank, J Trafton seconds. 3-0 passes.
- D Berry motions to recommit tax commitment to Anita Jewell-Gleason as Tax Collector, J Trafton seconds. 3-0 passes.

Tax Acquired Property bid

- D Berry motions to leave Map/ Lot 2-8 an open bid invitation with no reserve until sold.

Fire Department

- J Trafton motions to extend Shawn Bristol's probation period as Chief for another six months, D Berry seconds. 3-0 passes.

Town Office

- NOVA Farms, LLC.
 - Brian Croft, assistance CEO, confirms deeded owner(s) of property.
 - J Trafton motions to notarize and mail the signed Local Authorization Form for OMP in regards to NOVA Farms, LLC. D Berry seconds.
 - D Berry motions for J Trafton to sign Local Authorization Form for OMP in regards to NOVA Farms, LLC. R Carter seconds
- Salt and Sand Shed
 - G Falzetta gives an update. A/E cost assessments are being reviewed at the 3.16.21 workshop. The next steps are a presentation to the Planning Board and the town. Also, the town will be looking into DEP grant from SRF for lower costs.

- D Berry motions to approve applying for the grants, J Trafton seconds. 3-0 passes.
- Health Officer position
 - D Berry motion to accept resignation of Anne Rothrock as Health Officer and to leave the position open until it can be advertised after town meeting in April. J Trafton seconds. 3-0 passes.

Other

- R Carter mentions that CMP will be doing line work from Knox to Unity. It should take a month and a half to complete.

Warrants

- D Berry motions to sign warrants, J Trafton seconds. 3-0 passes.
 - 3/3/2021 AP Warrant \$50,207.42
 - 3/17/2021 Warrant \$40,183.14
 - Payroll Warrant \$1339.52

Executive Session

- J Trafton motions to go into HR executive session at 7pm, D Berry seconds. 3-0 passes.
- D Berry motion to return from executive session at 8:40pm, J Trafton seconds. 3-0 passes.

R Carter mentions that the building alarm has been set off by the wind several times. J Trafton mentions fixing both doors in the community room. R Carter motions to contact Ron to fix doors, J Trafton seconds.

Adjournment

- D Berry motions to adjourn at 8:50pm, J Trafton seconds. 3-0 passes.