SELECTMEN'S MEETING - July 25, 2016

Present: Margo Connors, Richard Bielefield, John Strasser Jennifer Gaudette

Guests: Rich Larcom, Pam Yarosh, Jim Price, Lissa Boissonneault

Correspondence was read and acted upon.

The board will send a letter to NHDOT advising that the board prefers the five-week closure of Route 18 for the Indian Brook Bridge project next summer. The board feels this will be the least disruptive for the residents of Sugar Hill.

The board approved a driveway permit for Deborah Dyckman, Map 204, Lot 6.11. The current driveway is on Streeter Pond Road and will be moved to Valley Vista.

The Zoning Board of Adjustment will meet on August 16, 2016 to hear a request for a special exception from Arthur Colvin and a request from the Carol Walker Revocable Trust for a variance from setback regulations.

The board discussed a request from Brett Hucksoll in regard to the hours that constitute full time and in Sugar Hill that is 40 hours.

The board received a note from Town Engineer Red McCarthy and he has spoken with Chris Fournier from HEB in regard to the bridge reports and he will meet with Chris when he returns from vacation.

RICH LARCOM, PAM YAROSH met with the board on behalf of the Above the Notch Humane Society. ANHS would like to build a single stall garage unit that would be connected to Brookside Kennels/Franconia Business Connection for kennel purposes. The unit would be used to house strays and dogs picked up in the area. Currently they contract with private kennels in the area. The society takes the dogs in and if no owner is found after seven days they pay for medical and rehoming fees. MS. YAROSH will have Presby Construction design a septic system to have on file but use on the existing system should not change dramatically. The Society does anticipate more than a few dogs needing the service. The property has previously received a light commercial special exception for the existing business and a waiver from the Select Board to increase the number of dogs. This building will be within the scope of what is allowed and would meet all setbacks. ANHS will move forward with their plans and submit a building permit once they have drawn plans.

LISSA BOISSONNEAULT met with board to discuss the MBI trucks. Lissa and her neighbors are all being disturbed by the trucks in the middle of the night with the speed and noise they create.

MR. STRASSER made a motion to approve the minutes of July 18, 2016 meeting and the minutes for the bridge hearing, seconded by MS. CONNORS. The motion passed unanimously.

With no more business and no appointments before the Board, MR. BIELEFIELD made a motion to adjourn; seconded by MR. STRASSER the meeting was adjourned at 6:15 pm and the board opened the Public Hearing on the Crane Hill Bridge. The next regular scheduled meeting will be on Monday August 1, 2016 at the Carolina Crapo Building at 5:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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