SELECTMEN'S MEETING – July 20, 2020

Present: Margo Connors, Richard Bielefield, John Strasser

Jennifer Gaudette

Guests: None

Correspondence was read and acted upon.

The town offices are now open with normal business hours. For the safety of our customers and our employees, we are following public health guidelines for social distancing remaining <u>6 feet apart and customers must wear face masks</u>. Upon entering the building, please make sure you have your mask on and use the hand sanitizer that is provided. (masks will be provided if you forget yours) The restrooms will be closed to the public.

The Select Board approved a building permit for Ian and Sally Jarrett, Map 228, Lot 1.1 263 Toad Hill Road for a new home.

The board discussed setting up supplies for fall in the case of shortages. Jennifer will contact Bill Mellekas to ask if he can meet with the board next Monday to offer advice on what supplies would be needed as he has experience with the Franconia Food Pantry and the Senior Center. The board will use the old town clerk's office in the Meethinghouse.

The board discussed a time line for the Crane Hill Bridge Project. Jennifer updated the board on Town Engineer McCarthy's communication with NHDOT in regard to certification to oversee the project. The board would like to have a public hearing in September to discuss the options for the bridge repair/replacement. Cards would be mailed to all residents about the hearing. Margo spoke with Rebecca Brown about the grant writing for LChip and a possible contact to hire to write a grant. Jennifer will contact Red McCarthy and Road Agent Glover to have them come in to plan for the hearing.

The board acted on a welfare request.

MS. CONNORS made a motion to approve the meeting minutes of July 13th, 2020 seconded by MR. STRASSER. The motion passed unanimously.

With no more business before the Board, MR. STRASSER made a motion to adjourn, seconded by MR. BIELEFIELD, the meeting was adjourned at 6:00 PM. The next regular scheduled meeting is Monday July 27th, at 5:00pm at the Carolina Crapo Building. Social distancing and face masks appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Gaudette Administrative Assistant