## **SELECTMEN'S MEETING-January 9, 2023**

Present: Chris Ellms, Dick Bielefield, Margo Connors

Jennifer Gaudette

Guests: Jordan Applewhite

Correspondence was read and acted upon.

The board will not meet on Monday, January 16<sup>th</sup> in observance of Civil Rights Day

The board has scheduled the 2023 Budget Hearing for February 6, 2023 at 6:00pm at the Crapo Building.

Mr. Naboicheck would like to meet with the Road Agent and Town Engineer when the meet to look at possible access points off his property for a driveway.

The board signed the NHDRA Ratio Study. This is used when computing the Sales Ratio for properties in Sugar Hill for 2022.

The board was notified by NHDOT that the driveway on Route 18 is illegal Map 206, Lot 12. The property is not eligible to share the existing driveway and must get State approval for a new location.

The board received a thank you letter from a resident on Pearl Lake Road for the Sugar Hill Fire Departments assistance after the storm.

The board approved an Intent to Cut Wood or Timber for William and Susan Briggs, Map 227, Lot 2.1. Toad Hill Road.

The board signed the 2023 Investment Policy.

The board appointed Jeanne Cummings to the Broadband Committee.

JORDAN APPLEWHITE met with the board regarding Community Power. The board will not move forward with a aggregation plan for town meeting 2023. They will have a flyer available and will follow with public meetings in 2023. Jordan will speak to community power in other business at the town meeting. The board would aim for a 2024 approval and launch of the program. Margo thought the information could be included in the Master Plan as well.

MR. BIELEFIELD made a motion to approve the minutes of January 2, 2023, seconded by MS. CONNORS. The motion passed unanimously.

With no more business before the Board MR. ELLMS made a motion to adjourn, seconded by MS. CONNORS, the meeting was adjourned at 6:30 PM. The next regular scheduled meeting is Monday January 23, 2023, at the Carolina Crapo Building at 4:30 pm., for a joint meeting with the Franconia and Easton Select Boards.

Respectfully submitted:

Jennifer Gaudette Administrative Assistant