Town of Chatham, 2020

August 6, 2020

Attendance: Jason Eastman, Tricia Pitman, William Briggs, Riley Pitman, Alan Eastman, Mel Cherry

Minutes to July 2020 meeting approved as written.

The Selectmen signed vouchers.

The Selectmen were updated as to how the review went with the Department of Revenue.

The Selectmen received a letter indicating the amount expected for the fiscal year 2021 Highway Block Funds (\$13,687.60).

The Selectmen received a letter indicating the amount for 2020 PILT funds (\$68,499).

The Selectmen received notification of 2 permits to pave driveways. The Selectmen signed the form indicating that they would be using the PA-28 forms again and would need 500.

The Selectmen signed the form indicating that the WMNF land is valued at 2,890,800.

The Selectmen signed an intent to cut wood for property owned by LariSteere on Butter Hill Road.

The Division of Motor Vehicles contacted the town office about providing training for our deputy clerk, Kendra Anderson. The training will be done on line.

The Democratic party sent notification that Ellie Eastman and Judy Bailey would be serving as ballot clerks for the upcoming elections. The Selectmen will need to find someone to serve as the ballot clerk for the Republican party.

Bill Briggs will be picking up the protective gear that is being provided by the state for the upcoming election.

David Emery submitted an estimate to widen the landing to enter the town office. He expects the cost to be \$400.00 dollars. All 3 Selectmen approved.

The Selectmen received an email from Aurelia Palubeckas. The WMNF has discontinued use of the bridge that she has used for many years to access her property. She has had many meetings with the WMNF officials and is looking for support from the Selectmen. The Selectmen discussed the situation. The road is on National Forest but the Selectmen will look into the matter. They will check with the NH Municipal Association. They will check the assess value with Rod Wood and they plan to look at the deed to see how the right away is worded. Riley Pitman informed the Selectmen of a rabid fox in South Chatham. The fox bit 3 people and was disposed of by Fish and Game. Alan Eastman gave a short update on the roads in Chatham.

A motion to adjourn was made and seconded. Meeting Adjourned. Respectfully Submitted, Patricia Pitman