

Town of Chatham, 2020

September 3, 2020

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

Minutes to August 2020 meeting approved as written.

The Selectmen signed vouchers.

The Selectmen signed the MS-1 Report.

The Selectmen received the Carroll County Annual Report.

The Selectmen were informed that there is one property that is set to be deeded to the town due to unpaid taxes.

The Selectmen discussed the situation with A. Palubekas and the closed bridge that allows her access to her property. The bridge was closed by the WMNFS. Jason Eastman reported that she does indeed have a right away to the property in her deed. He also reported that the town is not liable for emergency vehicles not being able to access her property because it is the WMNFS that has put up the barricades on the bridge.

Rod Wood said that the value of the property would have to be lowered if the barricades continue to be there next year. The Selectmen will send a letter to A. Palubekas indicating their findings.

North Country Council- 10-year plan:

The Selectmen discussed submitting a proposal to the North Country Council. It was suggested by Ron Briggs that Robbins Hill Road be put on the 10-year plan. This will allow for South Chatham to be connected by road way to Center and North Chatham. Ron offered to fill out the application and touch base with Jason Eastman to submit the application prior to the deadline.

The Selectmen discussed preparations for the upcoming election.

Bill Briggs commented that he had been in touch with Heidi Lawton from the state about possible funds for Covid-19. Chatham has not spent any money at this time so is not eligible for funds at this time.

Bill Briggs reported that there is a large pine tree that is leaning toward camps on Beach Road. Each of the Selectmen will look at the tree prior to the next meeting to decide if the tree needs to be removed.

A motion to adjourn was made and seconded.

Meeting Adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Patricia Pitman