

MINUTES

January 26,2022

Time: 4:00 p.m.

Place: Town Office, 70 Snare Creek Lane-Lower Level Jonesport, Maine

Opened by: Selectman Alley, Selectman Fish, Selectman Milliken joined by Zoom.

Attendees: Cynthia Beauvais, Tim Anderson, Kris Kelesian, Frank Smith, Milton Merchant, Holly O’Neal, Kelton Beal, Sasha Deu and Irene Rogers

Approval of Minutes: *January 19, 2022*

Motion to accept by: Selectman Fish, seconded by Selectman Alley, Approved.

Signatures:

A. Warrant:

Members of the audience who want to speak must raise a hand. It is at the discretion of the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen to allow a member of the audience to speak during the meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

OLD BUSINESS:

1. **Blushift:** Sasha Deri presented written information to be shared with the Aerospace Ordinance Committee and members of the community.
2. **Board of Appeals Enforcement:** Frank Smith, Chairman of the Planning Board, explained the situation with the Stubbs appeal. The Selectmen need to take the next step. A copy of the Board of Appeals decision was sent to Selectman Milliken. All Selectmen were in favor of sending a letter to Ms. Stubbs giving her until April 15th to get in compliance with the Shoreland Zoning Ordinance and Land Use Ordinance or a penalty will be levied.
3. **Aerospace Ordinance Committee Attorney Response:** The Aerospace Ordinance Committee requested an article to be put in the Warrant for the Annual Town meeting. Selectman Fish called Attorney Hamer and asked if the article was appropriate with just a yes or no answer. Attorney Hamer said that the article would not have an impact because it was not backed by an ordinance or law. The Article presented read as follows: “Should commercial rocket launches (defined as rockets having 100 pounds or more of total mass(weight) be allowed in Jonesport?”

MISCELLANEOUS:

4. **Broadband/Internet Access:** Kathy took a Zoom workshop for ConnectME. She learned Jonesport must partner with a provider to get additional awards for broadband. Selectmen Milliken suggested that the Town could use the ARPA as mini grants to residents who do not have broadband. Axiom, Specctrum and Downeast Broadband have been contacted to give a presentation to the Selectmen.

5. **Appoint John Church, Harbor Master and Russell Batson, Deputy:** At a Harbor Meeting, the Committee appointed John Church, Harbor Master and Russell Batson, Sr. as deputy. A motion by Selectman Fish and seconded by Selectman Milliken to sign the appointments.

6. **Printing of Annual Town Report:** Selectman Milliken, seconded by Selectman Fish to have the print shop in town print up the Town Report this year. Irene will meet with Brett Pawlowski on Thursday to ask if he has equipment to enable him to print the book.

7. **FYI: Kelley Point Road Closure:** A piece of the concrete needed for the bridge over Stillman's Brook is frozen in the ground. Hopefully, there will be a January thaw.

BUDGET MEETING AT 6:00 TONIGHT.

Motion made by Selectman Fish Seconded by Selectman Milliken to adjourn the meeting at 4:30 p.m.

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