

**Town of Effingham
Board of Selectmen
Meeting Minutes**

Sept 12, 2017

Selectmen present: Henry Spencer
John Meisner

Minutes transcribed by: Christine Holbrook

The Regular meeting was called to order at 5:00pm
The Mail, Manifest, Signature and Action Folder were reviewed.
Pledge of Allegiance

REVIEW AND APPROVE MINUTES AND WEEKLY MANIFEST:

The board approved the minutes of September 5 as well as work session minutes. Manifest was approved in the amount of \$38,532.29. Selectman Spencer motioned to accept, Selectman Meisner seconded. All in favor.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Selectman Spencer reminded audience that any complaints about town employees or contractors should be put in writing and submitted to Selectman.

Mr. Davis from Town House Road stated his frustration and concerns about the ongoing problems with goats and dog in road at all hours of day. Also unregistered cars and how they are registered accumulating in the yard across the street. He reported that his security sensor alarm is going off every night because of goat coming over to eat apples on ground. Resident stated he has followed all protocol with police.

Selectman Spencer acknowledged his concerns and assured him all information is being passed to proper channels.

Mr. Thomson asked about the ambulance service .

Selectman Spencer suggested a non public meeting to discuss further.

Mrs. Thompson wanted to know how many police we have in town.

Selectman Spencer replied 2 full time and 3 part time.

She asked when third was hired, he replied about 3 weeks ago.

Mr. Regal asked if there will crack sealing on Drake and Jones Road.

Another resident stated it has never been crack sealed.

Selectman Spencer responded crack sealing has been done and more money will be requested for more work. Selectman Meisner stated that \$15,000.00 was budgeted and only half the money has been spent, so there may be money available for Drake Road. He will follow up with Lakes Region Paving Wednesday. Bill Peikut added some roads benefit from crack sealing while others do not. Some roads need more work.

Selectman Spencer noted the comment.

PLANNED DISCUSSION WITH DEPARTMENT HEADS:

Highway Contractor not available.

SELECTMEN'S COMMENTS AND REPORTS:

There will be a meeting with Selectmen and contractor, engineer, and providers at Steven's Road bridge 10:00 Wednesday, public is invited.

MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS:

Estimates received from Edwards Concrete and Excavation, Inc. for transfer station and fire station work.
\$4600.00 for a front pad, apron replacement and demo at fire station.
Transfer Station work is 3000.00 for wall and pad.
Library bulkhead needs to be replaced.

Selectmen Spencer and Espie inspected the mowing jobs and found overhanging branches seen. This job would have to be done by someone other than a mower.
Selectman Meisner will call Eastman.

PUBLIC COMMENT;

Cheryle reported that 1 offer has been received for the old fire truck.
Pam Doherty reported that a culvert was washed out by her home School St.

PROPOSED WORK SESSIONS:

Roadside mowing
Project for SB38 money September 26

Motion to adjourn by Selectman Spencer, seconded by Selectman Meisner, all in favor.

Adjourned 5:58

NON-PUBLIC IF NEEDED PER (RSA 91-A:3,II (a-e) none

Henry Spencer

Date

John Meisner