Town of Buxton Minutes November 10, 2021 Selectmen's Meeting This meeting is streamed on the Saco River Community Media at https://www.src-tv.org/

Recorded by Krystal Dyer

Members Present: Thomas J. Peters, Francis E. Pulsoni, Mark J. Blier, David A. Field, and Chad E. Poitras

Others in attendance: Dave Harmon, John Bartlett,

The Selectmen's meeting was called to order at 7:03PM

The Selectmen recited the Pledge.

Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes of November 3, 2021 Approved 5 – 0

Discussion held between 4:00 & 7:00 PM

At 4:00PM Selectman Poitras met with the Buxton 250th committee. we have secured another food vender and we have found out that the Town of Standish is having their community event on the same weekend.

At 5:30PM a Resident came in regarding commercial vehicles

Chief Schools was in with new information about the vaccine mandate and the upcoming budget season.

Review of Correspondence

- Email from OSHA, Re: COVID-19 mandatory vaccination or testing guidance
- Email from DummondWoodsum, Re: OSHA Employee vaccination & Testing Rules
- Email from Chief Nathan Schools, Re: Monday Message
- Email from MaineDOT, Re:2022 Light Capital Paving
- Email from Robert Hunt, Clerk of the House, Re: Weekly Legislative Report

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- Email from MMA & Maine Emergency Management Agency, Re: Eligibility for COVID-19 Federal Disaster funds.
- Email From Governor Mills, Re: Disaster Relief Payment
- Letter from MaineDOT, Re: Highway Preservation Paving

Projects and Issues

Selectman Poitras attended the Buxton 250th committee meeting. He has calls out for staging and additional food venders. He was in contact with Chief Schools regarding the vaccine mandate and testing.

Selectman Field stopped by the Transfer Station; everything is running smooth. With Winter coming he spoke with Kevin Kimball who is prepping for winter.

Selectman Pulsoni has not been in a lot this week. He spoke with a resident from the Back Nippen Road regarding the trash pickup. His trash picked up every other week.

He met with the town attorney and Public Works Director Kevin Kimball on a personnel issue and he has completed his fifth HR class through MMA.

Selectman Blier attended the department head meeting last Thursday. Discussing the new mandated vaccine and how to move forward. He had a budgetary items discussing with chief schools.

Selectman Blier spoke with Kandice Talbot and Code officer Peter Gordon about the previously approved subdivisions.

He announced the Keep the Heat On program assists seniors and disabled residents. The do takes donations of cans and bottles or cash donations for the project.

Selectman Peters received a call from Chief Schools asking for a contact to rent a message boards for the Touch a Truck. Shaw Brothers was gracious enough to let us borrow a couple for a week to advertise the event.

Old Business

None

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New Business

None

Executive Orders

E.O. 212211007 - An order to approve 4 hours of Vacation Leave for Krystal Dyer Approved 5 - 0
E.O. 212211008 - An order to approve 4 hours of Vacation Leave for Kimberly Beam Approved 5 - 0
E.O. 212211009 - An order to approve 88 hours of Vacation Leave for Troy Cline Approved 5 - 0
E.O. 212211010 - An order to appoint Donna P. Beal to the position of Pleasant Point Park Trustee effective until December 31, 2024 Approved 5 - 0
E.O. 212211011 - An order to appoint Krystal L. Dyer to the position of Keep The Heat on Committee member to be effective until December 31, 2024 Approved 5 - 0

E.O. 212211012 – An order to appoint Carrie Johnson to the position of Cemetery Committee member to be effective until December 31, 2024 Approved 5 – 0

Executive Orders by Initiative

None

Accounts Payable and Payroll Warrants

E.O. 212211005 – An order approving expenditures as documented in Accounts Payable Warrant #39 Approved 5 – 0

In the amount of \$752,131.31

E.O. 212211006 – An order approving expenditures as documented in Payroll Warrant #38 Approved 5 – 0

In the amount of \$72,255.16

Next Meeting of the Board

The next Selectmen's Meeting will be Wednesday, November 17, at 7:00PM

Planning Board meeting on Monday, November 22, at 7:00PM

MSAD#6 Board of Directors Meeting on Monday, November 15 at 6:00PM at Central Office

Other Business

Rabies vaccination clinic, Saturday, December 4, 2021 from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM at Buxton Public Works Garage, located at 215 Portland Road, Buxton. \$8.00 per Vaccination – CASH ONLY. Dogs must be on a leash & Cats must be in carriers. For more information, please call the Buxton Town Hall at 929-6171.

Blood Drive Monday, November 15 from 1:00PM to 6:00PM. Contact the American Red Cross to Schedule an appointment.

Buxton's Annual Touch-A-Truck will be on Sunday, November 28 from 5:30PM to 7:00PM at the Public Works Garage, 215 Portland Road. This is a Free Family Event. Tree lighting at 6:00PM with Santa. Rain or Shine! Please bring canned goods to donate to Buxton's food pantries.

Public Comments and Questions

None

Executive Session

None

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Adjournment

Motion made and seconded to adjourn the Meeting at 7:17PM Approved 5 - 0

Thomas J. Peters, Selectman

Francis E. Pulsoni, Selectman

Mark J. Blier, Selectman

David A. Field, Selectman

Chad E. Poitras, Selectman

Date Signed: _____

Video Taped by Harrison Beam