



**TOWN OF ROME, MAINE
BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING MINUTES
March 14, 2022**

Chairman Paul Anderson called the meeting of the Board of Selectmen to order at 6:00PM. Selectman Anderson, DiPietro Jr, and Archer were present. Also present for all or parts of the meeting were, Barbara Brickett, Tammy Lyons, Andrew Marble, Julie Morrison, Carroll Bubar, Gary Foss, Ed Pearl, Sandy Shute, Christie Guite and Carolyn Hurley

Pledge of Allegiance:

Public Comment:

Sandy Shute spoke on AARP Grant application. She will apply for AARP Grant and follow up with the Select Board. Also spoke on "Hot Spot" Project.

Christie Guite submitted a petition signed by fellow residents to have Ladd Road paved. She also spoke on the Park & Ride located on Route 27. Her husband has observed many discarded hypodermic needles. The Select Board will contact Maine DOT.

A motion to approve the minutes of the March 14, 2022 meeting was made by DiPietro and seconded by Archer, approved by all 3-0

New Business: None

Road Commissioner Report Carroll Bubar:

Salt Shed - May require a new salt shed versus investing monies on a patch which may last a few years.

Fire Chief Gary Foss & Emergency Medical Services Ed Pearl:

Gary spoke on the new tanker/pumper truck, reference Town Meeting approval on Article #43. The cost may change from the original quote and the delivery time may go beyond 6 months. Gary to follow up on updated information.

Code Enforcement Officer Andy Marble:

Andy will submit a Solar Ordinance to the Select Board for review. Also confirmed his work hours: Monday 10:00am -6:00pm & Wednesday 9:00am-4:00pm

Town Clerk Report Barbara Brickett:

Barbara asked the Select Board to sign the Elected Official forms. Expressed gratitude to the former Town Clerk, Julie Morrison, for her dedication to the Town of Rome.

Tax Collector and Treasurer Report Tammy Lyons:

Explained the mileage stipend for the Road Commissioner which is a monthly stipend of \$41.66.

Also requested of the Board to make a motion to correct the CEO salary listed on the Town Report, Article #36, as \$26,800 to the correct amount \$29,625. No change in the total Salaries

A motion to correct the CEO salary in the 2021 Town Report from \$26,800 to \$29,625 was made by Anderson and seconded by DiPietro, approved by all 3-0

Unfinished Business:

The Community Center replacement of asbestos floor. Selectperson Archer to follow up on costs.

Other: Article #36 - Registrar of Voters, \$1,000:

A motion was made by Anderson to re-assign from Article #36, line item for the Registrar of Voters, \$1,000 to assign under the Town Clerk's duties/salary and seconded by DiPietro, approved by all 3-0

A motion to adjourn at 8:33pm was made by Archer and seconded by Anderson, approved by all 3-0

*Respectfully yours,
Carolyn Hurley
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Next Regularly scheduled Selectmen Meeting will be on

Monday, March 28, 2022