

Office of the Selectmen

TOWN OF ROME, MAINE BUDGET WORKSHOP BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING NOVEMBER 28, 2022 – MINUTES

Paul Anderson, 1st Selectmen called meeting of the Board of Selectmen to order at 5:06 PM. Selectmen, DiPietro, 2nd Selectmen, was present. Also present for all or parts of the meeting were, Dick Greenan, Dams Committee, Trent Shute, Budget Committee Member and Carolyn Hurley. Absent: Kelly Archer, 3rd Selectmen.

Pledge of Allegiance:

Public Comment:

- Richard Greenan, Dams Committee Chairperson, reported on conditions of our three dams. A handout was given to the Select Board for review. Due to the deteriorating conditions and the need to maintain integrity of these dams, we are requesting from the Town of Rome \$34,221.01, which is an increase of \$22,066.01 or 181.50% increase.
- Trent Shute, Budget Committee Member, asked about the potential road work for 2023 budget. DiPietro is working with the Road Commissioner in regards to the needed road work projected for 2023. DiPietro added, the town has a few roads that are still gravel, such as Ladd Road, Nickerson, Oak Ridge, Chrystal Springs, Foss Hill.

New Business: Discussion – FY 2023 Budget

- Anderson will follow up with Waste Management, Peter Lachapelle, of any cost changes to our existing 2023 contract.
- Anderson and DiPietro reviewed and discussed some of the Donation Requests along with other increased requests pertaining to Town services.

Note: This was a preliminary meeting to gather information in preparation for budgeting for fiscal year 2023.

A motion was made by Anderson to adjourn the Selectmen's Budget Workshop Meeting at 6:10 pm, seconded by DiPietro, approved by all 2-0.

> Respectfully yours, Carolyn Hurley Administrative Assistant <u>selectmen@romemaine.com</u>

Next regularly scheduled Select Board's Meeting will be held on

Monday, December 5, 2022 @ 6:00PM