

Brighton Selectboard Minutes

February 2, 2015

Minutes of the Brighton Selectboard meeting held on February 2, 2015 in the town hall in Island Pond at 6:00 PM. Attending were Melinda Gervais-Lamoureux, Jim Cross, Mark Castonguay, Bob Dexter, Jenn Hanlon, Bill Hawkins, Joel Cope.

1. Melinda called the meeting to order at 6:10.
2. The agenda was updated to include budget discussions.
3. The board authorized changing “Halpern Road” to Woodlands Trail Road. E9111 Coordinator Jenn Hanlon requested that the board amend the zoning bylaw to require that new structures obtain and post their E911 addresses in order to get a zoning permit. This would make it easier for emergency services to find people in case of an emergency. Jenn would also like the board to consider a way to make access to proper E911 address signs easier. Melinda asked Jenn to draft a proposal outlining how this could work.
4. Jenn also asked the board if they would authorize a letter to the state opposing the consolidation of Public Service Access Points (PSAP), as currently being proposed by some as cost-saving measures. The board said that if Jenn could draft a letter, they would consider signing it.
5. Bob Dexter requested that the board open a 3/10th mile of Rosebrook Hill Road to snowmobiles temporarily because a logging operation is currently using their normal route. The board agreed.
6. The board approved the minutes of January 14, 19, and 26.
7. In light of the need to hire a new road crew member by May, the board asked Joel to contact the VLCT and ask about proper hiring practices.
8. The board approved a corrected proposed 2015 budget figure of \$1,400,230.19.
9. The meeting adjourned at 7:05.