TOWN OF TEMPLE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

FINAL MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC MEETING BOARD OF SELECTMEN Meeting held on the 13th of September 2011

Board members present: J. Kieley, T. Petro, M. Darnell

Call to Order by J. Kieley at 7:00 p.m.

- Subject: Kieley stated the meeting had started at 5:00 pm with a tour of the town bridges with the Road Agent. The Board and Road Agent looked at all the bridges with the exception of the Powers Road bridge and will work together with the Road Agent to make notes and come to some tentative decisions on the order of repair for the bridges.
- 2. <u>Subject:</u> Kieley informed the Board that Tim Fiske, Road Agent, had obtained pricing for propane. The cost for the Municipal Bldg from Haffner's is \$2.25/gal. Energy North has offered \$2.77/gal for the Library/Hwy tank. The Administrative Assistant will contact Energy North to obtain a price to purchase the propane tank at the Library.
- 3. <u>Subject:</u> Camilla Lockwood spoke to the Board and requested the address at her property be changed from 54 Perkins Lane to 56 Perkins Lane for personal reasons. Kieley read the pertinent RSA regarding addressing changes. Move by Kieley to approve the change from 54 Perkins Lane to 56 Perkins Lane contingent upon checking with E911, second by Petro. Kieley stated he would contact E911. The Board signed Lockwoods certificate of occupancy.
- 4. <u>Subject:</u> Jennifer Daler, NH State Representative, met with the Board and spoke about the letter from House Speaker O'Brien. Daler informed the Board that she had requested to be put on the filing agenda at the House of Representatives regarding introducing a bill about driveway plowing. Daler also informed the Board that she has spoken to Senator Bragdon, who has indicated that he may be willing to sponsor a bill in the NH Senate. Daler suggested that the Board contact Senator Bragdon. Kieley stated he would contact Bragdon.
- 5. <u>Subject:</u> Daler informed the Board that she had spoken to a representative of the State of NH-DOT regarding the changes to the plowing of State roads that for the 2011-2012 winter season. Daler was informed that the DOT is changing the amount of snow that would need to fall before State Hwy workers are called out. Daler also stated that there are more State budget cuts that may affect the DOT.
- Subject: Reviewed and signed special event permits for TEEC for their ice cream social planned for 9/24/11 and the Village Green Committee for the Harvest Festival scheduled for 9/25/11.

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- 7. <u>Subject:</u> Reviewed requests from the Historical Society and the Temple Driveway Plowing Coop for waivers from the Town Hall Rental fees. Move by Petro to waive the rental fees for the Historical Society, second by Kieley and voted in the unanimous affirmative. Move by Petro to waive the rental fees for the Temple Driveway Plowing Coop, second by Kieley and voted Petro and Kieley in favor, Darnell recused.
- 8. <u>Subject:</u> Reviewed, approved and signed a letter informing Temple residents that the town will not be plowing driveways for the 2011/2012 winter season.
- 9. <u>Subject:</u> Mark Salisbury and Don Kraemer, Fire Engineers, met with the Board to discuss the Fire Fighters Assistance Grant that the Fire Department would like to apply for. The Fire Department would apply for a thermal imager, new air packs and compressor, extrication device with a total cost of \$146,600. The grant is a 95/5 matching grant and the town's portion would be approximately \$7337.00. The Board wanted a better understanding of the terms of the grant. Kieley will contact George Clark, who has been applying for grants to get more information. The Board and the Fire Engineers had a brief discussion regarding how and where the town's 5% match might come from. Darnell asked the Fire Engineers when the work on the stairs in the Fire Department will be worked on. Kraemer will check into the time schedule.
- 10. <u>Subject:</u> The Administrative Assistant informed the Board that Conval and Peterborough would be making a decision regarding heating oil. Move by Kieley to authorize Kieley to execute the agreement for heating oil, second by Petro and voted in the unanimous affirmative.
- 11. <u>Subject:</u> The Board approved entering the CAP program with Primex for Worker's Compensation insurance. Kieley signed as Chairman.
- 12. <u>Subject:</u> Move by Petro to approve the 8/26/11 minutes as written, second by Kieley and voted in the affirmative.
- 13. <u>Subject:</u> Kieley informed the Board that a letter of interest had been received from Jennifer Rheaume for the position of Animal Control Officer. Peter Clegg has resigned this position. There has also been verbal interest expressed by a Greenville employee. Kieley mentioned the possibility of Rheaume cover the day and the Greenville employee covering the night. Police Chief McTague will speak to both parties.
- 14. <u>Subject:</u> Dick Benotti spoke to the Board about the Town Hall. Benotti informed the Board that a group using the Hall had put the shades up too high and there had been difficulty bringing them down. There is also a

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- 14. <u>Subject:</u> (cont.) problem with people sitting on the radiators. Don Kraemer will make up signs to put on the radiators.
- 15. <u>Subject:</u> It was noted in the minutes that Wayne Edwards had made an appointment to meet with the Board and did not show. One of the topics that Edwards had requested to speak about was the granite bench that has been placed on the Common without the knowledge or approval of the Board. The Board was in agreement that this issue will need to be dealt with.
- 16. <u>Subject:</u> Peter Colpitts spoke to the Board about setup at the Town Hall for the Historical Society. Colpitts stated that there had been a problem the last time the Historical Society had done a presentation for the Town. Kieley suggested that the Historical Society call the Town Offices to reserve the Hall and arrange with an individual of their choosing to set up the Hall.
- 17. <u>Subject:</u> Move by Petro to adjourn, second by Kieley. Meeting adjourned at 8:22 pm.

Minutes submitted by Debra Harling, Administrative Assistant