Selectmen's Discussions and Decisions
April 10, 2014

Selectmen present: Tom Hohn, John Norton, and Marie Harmon

1. Selectmen Hohn and the Island Fellow, Erin Crowley, inspected the roads and drafted a preliminary spring maintenance list for the roads contractor, Seabreeze Property Management, to review upon their inspection on April 11th.

   The Board reviewed the identified items and drafted a map to help identify listed maintenance items.

2. Selectmen reviewed reports for the Town Report, including: Roads, Public Safety, and the Selectmen's Report.

3. Discussed obtaining a marine survey for the fireboat.

   A proper marine survey will help to describe the base condition of the boat and make maintenance recommendations for sea-worthiness before addressing additional needs.

4. Met with Will Tierney and the Town Clerk to discuss aquaculture as a conditional use.

   The Town has a policy that the Selectmen will bring forth an article to Town Meeting for the sale of Town buildings that the Board deems to be in the best interest of the Town.

      The Board reviewed the process to sell town land and buildings. The process begins with a vote of the Board of Selectmen to sell town land; then advertise; then the Selectmen open, catalogue, and evaluate the sealed proposals; there is discussion among the Selectmen; finally, the Board selects a proposal to bring to Town Meeting for a Town vote.

   The Planning Board will hold a public hearing on April 22nd to review proposed warrant articles for Town Meeting to make aquaculture a conditional use.

   Selectmen discussed scheduling a Special Town Meeting to be scheduled for proposals for the buildings.

5. Concerning the snow plowing reserve, the Selectmen reviewed the snow plowing contingency article proposal for FY15, should the FY15 plowing exceed budget.

   This is preemptive in case there is another severe winter such as this past one.

6. Selectman Norton made a motion to accept the minutes from the March 27th meeting.

2nd by Selectman Harmon
3-0 motion passed

7. Selectman Norton made a motion to accept the minutes from the April 3rd meeting.

   2nd by Selectman Harmon
   3-0 motion passed

8. Selectman Norton made a motion to adjourn the meeting.

   2nd by Selectman Harmon
   3-0 motion passed

Erin Crowley – Deputy Minute Recorder