

TOWN OF MACHIASPORT

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Brian Smith

Jeffrey Davis

Michael Hinerman

Selectmen's Meeting Minutes February 22, 2021 6:00 PM

1. **Call to Order**-Brian Smith called meeting to order at 6 PM.
2. **Review Minutes of Previous Meetings x 2**-Mike Hinerman seconded the motion of Jeff Davis to approve the minutes as presented. All in favor, motion carried.
3. **Adjustments to Agenda**-None
4. **Old Business:**
 - A. **Beach Road**-Michael Murphy II explained why he feels the rocks placed on the water side are an issue. He stated the plow crew will have no room to push the snow if we get any significant amount. He suggested that they be removed until winter is over. He mentioned a better solution may be to ditch that side of the road to avoid having to keep rocks there. Carmine did not like that idea and does not want the rocks removed or the side of the road ditched. He also does not want people parking or partying on his property. He feels that there will be a lawsuit if someone falls and gets hurt on the beach. Carmine suggested that the road be re routed from the New Hickey Road. Discussion ensued. Discussion became heated. Mike Hinerman suggested we leave things the way they are, get through the rest of the winter and reassess the situation.
 - B. **Wood-Guptill's**- Board agreed to sell the wood to MSPT Residents.
 - C. **Liberty Hall**-Board tabled discussion until a final price for project is determined.
5. **New Business:**
 - A. **Meroff/Solar Request**-Board forwarded item to Planning Board.
 - B. **2nd Amendment Sanctuary**-Mike Murphy II-Board tabled discussion and if need arises in the future it may get approved.
6. **Public Comments:** Mike Murphy II stated Dodge had been fixed and he will be requesting a sander when new budget becomes available. Mike stated town may need to purchase washed gravel from Spears in the future.
7. **Selectmen's Report:** Brian Smith spoke to MTS and the trash disposal is down by about 13,000 pounds. Brian shared that he will be attending a Scallop Aquaculture Webinar on 2/23/2021. Mike Hinerman stated that he has been notified of Carmine chasing people off the beach and that he will not stand for that. He stated people are supposed to be able to use the beach.
8. **Clerk/Treasurer's Report:** In binder
9. **Tax Collector's Report**-In binder
10. **Executive Session: Pursuant to 1 M.R.S.A. 405 (6) (C) and 1 M.R.S.A. 405 (6) (C) for property and personnel issues.** Mike Hinerman seconded the motion of Brian Smith to enter executive

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session at 7:06 PM. Mike Hinerman seconded the motion of Brian Smith to leave executive session at 7:31 PM. Jeff Davis seconded the motion of Brian Smith to have Clerk prepare letter to CEO as discussed. All in favor, motion carried. Mike Hinerman seconded the motion of Jeff Davis to investigate all real estate offers and present items at Town Meeting. All in favor, motion carried.

11. Adjourn-Mike Hinerman seconded the motion of Jeff Davis to adjourn the meeting. Adjourned at 7:32 PM.

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