

TOWN OF HEBRON
SELECT BOARD MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 13, 2021

PRESENT: Pat Moriarty, Rich James, Paul Hazelton, and Karen Sanborn, Town Administrator

OTHERS PRESENT:

1:45 P.M. **OPENED MEETING:** Chair Moriarty commenced the meeting.

1:45 P.M. **BEREA ROAD – REPAIRS NEEDED FOR SCHOOL BUS SERVICE:** The Select Board discussed the recent issue brought to their attention by the First Student Bus Service for Newfound Area School District regarding the condition of Berea Road that is causing damage to the bus traveling down the road. The apron on Berea Road at the intersection of West Shore Road has deteriorated from vehicles stopping and starting on the incline pulling onto West Shore Road. The road has many pot holes that need to be filled in as the road is very rough on the bus. Vice-Chair James discussed with the Board the options of reclassifying the road to a Class V Summer Cottage Road or to a Class V Road as the town owns from West Shore Road to the first culvert. The Board noted that the bus has to drive down the road to pick up the student. Most of the traffic on the road is camp vehicles, delivery vehicles, and two residences. Vice-Chair James moved to put together a warrant article on reclassifying Berea Road to a Class V Road from the culvert to West Shore Road, seconded by Selectman Hazelton. The vote was unanimous. Selectman Hazelton moved to approve the emergency appropriation to repair apron on Berea Road at the West Shore Road intersection with the camps contributing to the repair costs, seconded Vice-Chair James. The vote was unanimous.

1:52 P.M. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS:**

- The Select Board signed the **letter to Governor Sununu** which will be copied to State Representatives, Executive Councilor Kenney, and Senator Guida in support of Lakes Region Mutual Fire Aid remaining in their current location and selling the property around their buildings in Laconia, NH.
- Chair Moriarty discussed with the Board the recent **grant award in the amount of \$995,000** to bring fiber optic broadband to Hebron. Vice-Chair James moved to authorize Chair Moriarty to accept the funds and sign the grant for \$995,110 with Northern Border Regional Commission, seconded by Selectman Hazelton. The vote was unanimous.

1:55 P.M. **MEETING ADJOURNED:** Vice-Chair James moved to adjourn the meeting at 1:55 p.m., seconded by Selectman Hazelton. The vote was unanimous.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Sanborn
Town Administrator

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