

Appleton Select Board
December 27, 2016

1. Convene, 7 p.m., (Fenner, Beckett, Gushee, Wiley)
2. Reminder: All meetings are recorded.
3. Motion to approve minutes of 12/20/2016, Gushee. Second, Beckett. (4-0)
4. Tabled Job descriptions for this week. John had discussions with Pam about the current proposed documents. Peter also got the job descriptions from Searsmont. Pam brought in some job descriptions she had at home.
5. Animal Control: Fenner received a complaint this week from someone who had called Knox county dispatch and been told that they do not do animal control any more. The issue was resolved when the daughter of the person who called posted a picture on the internet and they received a call from the owner of the dog within 10 minutes. John called Jay Filer of Union and he was of the opinion that Knox county were still doing animal control. John call Knox county dispatch who said they were not sure if they were doing it or not and directed him to Tim Carrol voice mail who is chief deputy. John left him a message and had not heard back from him by the time of our meeting. John suggests we advertise for an animal control officer as we don't know if Knox county will continue. Jason proposed and Peter seconded that we advertise for an animal control officer. All in favor.
6. Pile of wood at the school. John mentioned that he had a call from someone in town who would like to purchase the wood at the school. The wood was cut by the state from the trees at the side of the road next to the school. In discussion with the school committee it was agreed to put the wood out to bid. It was estimated the wood is worth less than \$1,000.
7. Road Commissioner: We had two candidates answer the request to fill the slot for the Road commissioner. David Gould and Jake Boyington. The board went into executive session with the purpose to conduct interviews with Gould and Boyington. At 7:20 pm. At 7:51 the board came out of executive session and Jason made a motion to appoint Jake as Road Commissioner and Scott seconded the motion. All approved the motion.
8. Public comment: Monday afternoon Darlene saw 3 cars pulled up to the Main Sand Shed getting sand when they should only be getting sand from the small shed. Jake said he had put 3 loader buckets in the small sand shed Christmas eve and it was all gone by Christmas day.
9. .Peter motioned and John seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7:57pm