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Present

David Ovitt Josh Goss
David Houston Paul Pikna
Sam Cribb Linda McCall
Lance Lawyer Roselie Williams
James Gregoire Mac Newett

Meeting began with a site visit at the Brigham Academy at 6:30 pm, and continued at the Town Clerks Office.

Lance opened the meeting at 7:15

Warrants were reviewed and signed

Road	14 & 15-2018	\$27,298.43
Road	02-2018	\$2648.53
Road	01-2018	\$2126.20
Select Board	22-2018	\$52,839.05

Paul Pickna was present with his wife on behalf of his Daughter Audrey Shea, who has concerns about issues on the Hennessey Road. The road has been an ongoing issue with items being placed in the roadway restricting the traveled portion of the road in that area to one lane, widening the ditch on the side of the road and signs posted with obsene pictures and obsenities.

She is reluctant to call the Police because of their lack of involvement when there have been previous issues. The Pikna's have a restraining order against Karen Maple's and her daughter which was they requested and was granted by the court.

The Pikna family feels it is the responsibility of the Select Board to intervene. The Select Board needs the assistance of the Vt State Police which they have been unable to get. Lance has stated he will try to go up the chain of command to get assistance.

James Gregoire who is running for State Representative was present to listen to any concerns the Select Board may have. There was a lenghty discussion which included suggestions on the best route to take to get assistance with the issues on Hennessy Road. Funding to do the roads the right way, an update on the paving of Rt 36, and

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issues with agricultural vehicles creating problems on roads.

Josh suggested James come back after the election for further discussions.

Roselie Williams was present to inquire what was happening with the handicapp updates that have been purposed for the back room at the Town Clerks office. Lance explained at this time we are taking bids for the work.

She inquired whether or not she would be able to use the area for her Hunters Saftey Course.

Lance told her she would have to fill out a Building Use permit and provide porta potties. She was also told she will need a Town official to be present while the course is going on and she would need to make arrangements with them herself.

Linda McCall had some questions about the use of the Brigham Academy and she was told we are only in a phase of submitting paperwork for a grant for a feasibility study.

She asked for an update on the pit and was informed by David Houston we do not have any updates at this time.

There was also the concern that taxes were being paid on the leased portion of property. She was informed they have been and will check into it.

Linda asked the status on the handicapped access and what we had for a time frame. David explained that we had just opened up the bids and and were waiting to get more bids. He explained there is not a deadline for submitting bids at this time.

David O stated he rode the long school bus with Anissa Sequin to check out the roads and the availability of a place for the bus to turn around. Anissa will bring the information back to the school board for further discussion.

Minutes from the last meetiing were read and accepted.