

Minutes Alford Select Board

February 8, 2021

Present: Via Zoom Charles Ketchen, Peter Puciloski, Peggy Rae Henden-Wilson, Jayne Smith ,TJ Horrigan, Joan Rogers

Meeting called to order at 5:00pm

Minutes of January 25, 2021 and February 1, 2021 Approved

BOH update: Smith reported vaccine clinics in So Berkshire County are underway. Berkshire County has the highest vaccination rate in the State. Second homeowners will be allowed to be vaccinated in MA. The CHP bus will most likely not come to Alford if there is a storm on February 9.

Highway update: Nothing new to report on the roads. The overtime account is getting low in funds and may need a transfer from Emergency Reserve to make it through the winter.

Old Business:

9 Alford Road: Ketchen would like to hold off on the evaluation of the foundation until the water line and the septic work are complete. All Select Board members agree.

New Business: Rogers, Finance Committee Chair, has started thinking about the FY2022 Budget process and would like Beth Regulabutto, Superintendent for SBRSD to attend a future Select Board meeting for an update on the budget figures from the School for FY2022.

Town Clerk: Nomination papers have been mailed to officials for terms that are expiring in May. Henden-Wilson would like to revisit putting the positions of Treasurer, Tax Collector and Town Clerk on the Town Meeting Warrant to change from an Elected to an Appointed position.

Meeting adjourned 5:30pm

Respectfully submitted
Roxanne Germain