

PUBLIC HEARING
TUESDAY, MAY 8, 2018 at 6:00 PM

Those attending were Michael Hogan, Fred Ducharme, Jack Daniels, Ellen Cairns, Karlyn Schmitt, Jessica Miller, Richard Scheiber, Michelle Leclerc, and Betty Ritter.

1. The meeting was called to order by Michael Hogan at 6:30 p.m.
2. Approve Agenda – There was a motion by Jack and seconded by Fred to approve the agenda. Mike wanted to know if there were any additions. There was one addition by Karen regarding a Town Highway issue. The agenda was approved with the addition.
3. Public Comment – There was no public comment.
4. Review Dog Ordinance and Complaint Form

Mike advised that the Selectboard has the authority under 20 V.S.A. § 3549, 24 V.S.A. §§ 2291 (10), (14), and (15), and 24 V.S.A. Chapter 59 to have a Dog Ordinance.

We then asked for Public Comment.

Comment was made on Section 2. PURPOSE – There was a consensus that this should be reworded to remove the word “and” too many times.

Under Section 4. NUISANCES Subsection D

Felt that is should say over an extended period of time.

The remainder of the draft was acceptable to all parties.

5. Review of Commercial Public Assembly Ordinance – There were some questions about the hours of music, but other than that it seemed to be acceptable by all parties,

These final drafts will be published on the Cabot Webpage and will be signed at the next Selectboard meeting which is on May 15, 2018.

6. Other Business – Karen passed out a complaint about someone blocking the road so Rusty was not able to plow. He will be documenting this incident. The person is truly breaking the law by obstructing a public road. If this happens again, we will get law enforcement to remove the obstacles or the person. The town will also get some advice from its legal counsel.
7. Adjourn – A motion was made by Jack and seconded by Fred that we adjourn. Motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty Ritter, Town Clerk/Treasurer