

TOWN OF GLOVER
Selectboard Meeting Minutes
Thursday, June 8, 2023

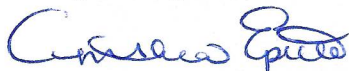
Present: Leanne Harple, Phil Young, Dave Simmons, Mike Pray, Road Foreman, David Burke, Dan Clark, Adam Heuslein, Brad Gebbie, Stephen Walcott, Shadow Lake Association, Jen Andrews, Shadow Lake Association President, Tyler Scelza, Bob Sharkey, Walt Culver, Chris Roy, Newport Daily Express, Matthew Wilson, Chronicle and Cindy Epinette, Transcriber.

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:31pm.
2. There were no additional topics of discussion added to the agenda, however, John Rodgers notified the board that he had a conflict and would not be able to attend.
3. Minutes: **Dave made a motion, seconded by Phil, to approve the minutes dated May 25, 2023. The motion carried.**
4. **Road Update:**
 - a. Roads will continue to be graded. They completed ditch work on Cemetery Loop road and now they're working on sections of Parker road. McCullough Crushing, Inc began crushing gravel in the gravel pit yesterday. They are expected to be there for about a week and a half to finish the job.
 - b. Fencing at Glover Park: Mike has suggested resurrecting the fence between Glover Park and the gravel pit. Children are going into the gravel pit to play. This is a safety concern, especially with the gravel crushing project going on. Adam requested an emergency entrance opening be included in the construction of the fence. Dave volunteered to research this again. Also, VLCT should be consulted regarding height requirements for insurance purposes.
 - c. Shadow Lake road: It will have chloride applied on a regular basis throughout the summer. The Selectboard has requested seasonal residents contact the Shadow Lake Association liaison to express their concerns and opinions. This will create a better communication stream for all. Jen Andrews has requested Shadow Lake road have a seasonal speed limit designation, like Parker road. The road is going to be worked on, in compliance with State of Vermont standards. Then it will be paved when matching funds become available through the State of Vermont.
 - d. David Burke has requested the section of road between Inlet Cove and Hinman road be graded to remove the washboard effect.
5. **Wastewater Update:** Scott Pray has expressed interest in replacing Allen Mathews. Phil will speak with Tim at Barton Village to determine what is needed.
6. **ARPA Update:**
 - a. Security Cameras (Jethro Hayman): Jethro purchased a camera system he believes will work. He suggested the camera be installed and tested. The camera system was given to Mike Pray for the town garage. Mike indicated the cables were too short. They would also prefer a system that is not hard wired.
 - b. Ballfield Parking Update: Dave and Mike reviewed the parking situation at Glover Park. They determined that more parking space can be created in the upper section of the existing parking area and a little more parking space in the lower section. The lower section is limited by the existing culvert. Also, a "No Overnight Parking" sign needs to be installed.
7. **West Shore Road – Speeding:** The Board received an email from a resident regarding the excessive speeding on West Shore road. Mr Sharkey expressed his opinion that the 35mph

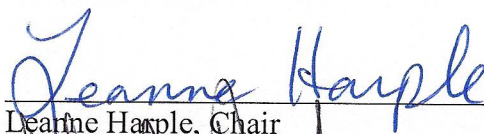
speed limit is too high for commercial vehicles. He suggested reducing it to 25mph. It was suggested that this road be designated with a seasonal speed limit, like Parker road. It was also suggested placing a speed cart on the road. The Selectboard will consider the next step after the speed cart data has been reviewed.

8. **Shadow Lake Dam Update:** Dave received an email from Ben Green, Dam Safety Engineer with the VT Dept of Environmental Conservation, regarding a complaint about the water level. Mr Green suggested monitoring the dam for a few weeks to determine if there is a problem. They have determined there is no erosion occurring and the board is in place. Water levels are low due to the lack of rain. The Board was informed Russell McGinnis, Dam Safety Engineer with the VT Dept of Environmental Conservation, will perform an annual inspection of the dam on June 28th. Stephen Walcott, Shadow Lake Association, had four questions: (1) "Will there be any fix to the gate valve which is stuck in the partially closed position this summer?" Dave responded that the valve is open all the way. (2) "This summer, will the stuck stoplogs be made so they could be removed?" Dave responded that he was not aware they were stuck. (3) "Will there be any alteration to the configuration to the debris rack this summer?" There is no work scheduled on the dam until the dam study results are received. And 4) Is there a capital fund to fix the dam?" Yes, there is a Shadow Lake Dam Reserve fund. The Board would like to remind folks there are No Trespassing signs around the dam for safety reasons.
9. **Open public comment period:** none.
10. **The Director's Orders were signed.**
11. **Adjourn:** Dave made a motion, seconded by Phil, to adjourn the meeting at 7:12pm.

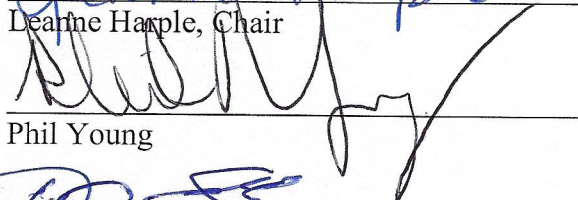
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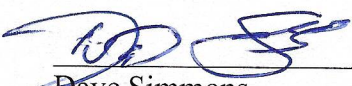
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Deanne Harple, Chair



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