

Underhill Roads Committee

Meeting No. 25

6/17/19

Members present: Kurt Johnson, Mike Weisel, Clarke Elliott, Nate Sullivan, Brian Bigelow, Andy Rowe, Rick Hey

Meeting convened at 5 pm at Town Hall

Bridge 8 repair

- It was noted that the Selectboard had been briefed as to current status on 5/23
- They voted to end design/build negotiations with ECI in favor of hiring our own engineer by an RFP process and then putting the project out to bid for construction
- Kurt reported that he had reviewed this approach with Cricket and that she felt it was a mistake to change horses in mid stream
- Mike noted that he had spoken with Tim at D&K and was given a rough cost of \$20,000 for design and another \$8,000 for construction phase services
- The committee was polled and the majority was in favor of trying to convince the S-board to reconsider their decision
- Kurt will be meeting with them on 6/18 and will discuss this issue

Corbett Road bridge

- Cricket continues to complete her design and Bannon Engineering has begun the wetlands permitting process

Crack seal/paving

- Brian presented the single bid we received for crack sealing from Freshcoat in the amount of \$3,750/day. This is a little less than what we paid last year to Nicom.
- We received 4 paving bids – Whitcomb, ST Paving, Pike and J Hutchins.
- The low price per ton was F W Whitcomb at \$70.41
- The committee voted to recommend both Freshcoat and Whitcomb to the S-board

East Engineering - gravel roads

- Tyler from East Engineering hopes to conduct a site visit next week
- It is hoped that Nate, Kurt and Mike can participate

River Road UPWP grant

- It was noted that this grant was approved and work should soon commence

Irish Settlement Road culvert

- G. W. Tatro has made repairs to the culvert and Nate is satisfied

Local gravel

- The meeting was attended by numerous residents of Beartown Road who wished to express their concerns over the idea of reopening the Town gravel pit on Beartown Road
- There were numerous concerns which were voiced with vigor
 - Noise (compounding Range noise)
 - Dust
 - Safety
 - Not in keeping with a neighborhood
 - Loss of property value/difficulty of resale
 - Not in conformance with Town zoning
- The outcome was that they were urged to present their opinions to the S-board on 6/18, given that we are just an advisory committee and it is the S-board who makes these kinds of decisions

Meeting adjourned shortly after 6:30 pm

Highways Infrastrucutre & Equipment Committee
17-Jun-19

| | Name | Address |
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| 1 | Jon Bayson & Maria | 15 HIGH MEADOWS |
| 2 | Tom Fetters | 49 Beartown Pt |
| 3 | CHRISTINE DILLON | 31 BEARTOWN RD |
| 4 | THOM HARTSWICK | 130 BEARTOWN Rd |
| 5 | Anne Howley | 153 Beartown Rd |
| 6 | Richard Hawley | " " |
| 7 | Francine Mellott | 11 Mountain Road |
| 8 | Michael Mellott | " " " |
| 9 | Roger Frey | 135 Beartown Rd. |
| 10 | Traudi Frey | ↓ ↓ ↓ |
| 11 | Bruce E. Eccleston | 1 Beartown |
| 12 | Nancy Berry | Beartown Rd. |
| 13 | Ron Berry | 168 Beartown Rd |
| 14 | KAREN MCKNIGHT | 164 BEARTOWN Rd. |
| 15 | LP Whelan | 147 Beartown Rd |
| 16 | Chris WHELAN | 147 BEARTOWN RD |
| 17 | BRIAN MUMFORD | 93 BEARTOWN RD |
| 18 | Mike Kramer | 3 Acer Ridge Rd |
| 19 | Steve Webster | 64 Krug Rd |
| 20 | TIM PEDROTTI | 177 BEARTOWN Rd |
| 21 | ELLIOT DANFORTH | 84 BEARTOWN Rd |
| 22 | PETER DANFORTH | " " |
| 23 | Susan Cimmell | 159 Beartown |
| 24 | Karen Neeson | 4 High Meadows Rd. |
| 25 | Tim Neeson | 4 High Meadows Rd. |

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| 1 | Georgann Pedrotty | 177 Beartown Rd |
| 2 | Trill Tedford | 20 Beartown Rd |
| 3 | SUSAN THOMAS | 9 BEARTOWN RD |
| 4 | Kim Harry | 3 Irish Settlement Rd |
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