

Arrowsic Selectmen's Meeting

November 26, 2012

Present: Sukey Heard, Michele Gaillard, Bill Savedoff, Mary McDonald

Treasurer's Report and Warrant:

Warrant # 10 (\$36,719.85) was reviewed, approved and signed. Because of the end of year holidays, there will be no Selectmen's meetings between December 10 and January 14. The Selectmen voted to authorize Mary to pay any bills between those dates that cannot be put off. She will add them to the January 14 warrant for our review.

Town Report Editor:

The Selectmen reviewed and approved a letter of understanding between the Town and Andrew Cushing regarding the production of the annual report. Michele will present to Andrew for his signature.

RSU Cost Sharing Update:

Sukey filled the Selectmen in on the meetings she has attended regarding the future funding formula for RSU1. At their last meeting they voted on a recommendation for the funding formula for the upcoming years. The committee has agreed on the "cost per pupil" formula for the 2015 year, but was unable to come to consensus about the formula for 2014. Their recommendation will be presented to the RSU1 Board then the committee will be disbanded.

Abatement Requests:

The Selectmen received and discussed two requests for abatements. One was for the removal of an assessment for a porch that was no longer on the property. The second was to reduce the assessment on a mobile home that the property owner felt was overvalued based on age and condition. Sukey will follow up.

Properties Maintenance:

The information kiosk to the left of the Town Hall entrance is in disrepair. We have had several requests to repair the roof and improve the functionality. Sukey asked that it be included as a project for this year's list. Another discussion of whether there is a need for an annual service contract for the new furnace. Bill will follow up with M.W. Sewall.

General Assistance:

Michele received a request from a family with two children who have completely run out of K-1 and are not able to pay for a delivery. The Selectmen authorized 100 gallons to be delivered and charged to the Town.

Mail:

None.

Minutes:

Minutes for 11/12/12 were approved as written. Sukey will send to Paul Kalkstein to post on the website.

Meeting adjourned at 7:35 pm

Respectfully submitted,
Michele Gaillard