Town of Nelson Selectmen's Meeting 3:00 PM

October 16, 2024

Executive Board Attending: Brenna Kucinski, Mike Blaudschun, Don Carlisle, Edie Drinkwater, Admin. Assist. *Absent:*

Others attending: J. Filipi

Brenna called the October 16, 2024 meeting of the Nelson Select Board to order at 3:06 PM.

- Police Chief Filipi came before the Board to advise that several political signs have been stolen on multiple occasions. He has written a letter giving notice of the RSAs covering placement of political signs and making it clear that removing or defacing political sign is a crime. This notice will be posted on the Town website, in the Blackfly, and on the town office entry posting wall.
- Mike made a motion to approve the Public and Non-Public minutes for the October 9, 2024 Selectmen's meeting as recorded.

Brenna seconded.

The motion carried 2-0. Don was absent.

• Mike made a motion to approve the manifest October 16, 2024 as presented.

Brenna seconded.

The motion carried 3-0.

• Mike made a motion to approve a Purchase Request from the Police Chief for the purchase of a Police uniform winter coat in the amount of \$454.00.

Brenna seconded.

The motion carried 3-0.

• Mike made a motion to approve a Purchase Request from the Town Clerk for the purchase of a replacement of her old #2 computer that can no longer be updated. (\$1580.00) Brenna seconded.

The motion carried 3-0.

• Mike made a motion to approve the Health Trust insurance renewal package for 2025-2026. Brenna seconded.

The motion carried 3-0.

• Ralph Walter had inquired about the disposition of the old (Blue/Gray) Welcome sign. He suggested relocating it to the Sullivan side entry into Nelson.

The Board is seeking help in restoring/preserving the sign and would like it placed on the lawn in front of the Old Brick Schoolhouse where many more people will see and appreciated this gift from the Nelson Boy Scouts from many year ago.

•Based on new information, the Board has decided to seek an Eversource Battery Backup Grant through an award given to CENH that would provide 50% of the cost of Battery Backups for all Resiliency buildings including the Town Hall, Library, Town Office and Safety Building. This grant has additional funding of 30% tax credit to the Town if awarded.

Michael Blaudschun, Selectman

Don Carlisle, Selectman

● Brenna made a motion to move into Non-Public Session in accordance RSA 91-A:3 II (a&c) Personnel and Harm to Reputation. Mike seconded. The motion carried 3-0 by roll call vote. Mike – yes, Don – yes, Brenna – yes
 4:07 PM ■ Upon returning to Public Session, Brenna made a motion to seal the Non-Public minutes. Mike seconded. The motion carried 3-0 by roll call vote. Mike – yes, Don – yes, Brenna - yes
 With nothing further, Brenna made a motion to adjourn. Mike seconded. The motion carried 3-0.
Meeting Adjourned 4:09 PM Next regular meeting October 23, 2024 at 3:00 PM
Minutes for October 16, 2024
Brenna Kucinski, Chair