

Town of Nelson

Selectmen's Meeting 1:00 PM

April 14, 2021

Executive Board Attending: David Upton, Maury Collins, Gary Robinson, Edie Drinkwater, Admin. Assist.

Others attending: B. Kucinski

At 1:00 PM David Upton opened the April 14, 2021 meeting of the Nelson Select Board.

- David made a motion to approve the Public and Non-Public minutes for April 7, 2021 as recorded.

Maury seconded.

The motion carried 2-0. Gary was absent for that meeting

- David made a motion to approve the Manifest for April 7, 2021 as amended due to a voided check.

Maury seconded.

The motion carried 3-0

- David made a motion to approve the Manifest for April 14, 2021 as presented.

Gary seconded.

The motion carried 3-0

- Following a review of documentation from the ZBA indicating variance approval on April 12, 2021, David made a motion to approve the Building Permit for D. Robinson for a garage/workshop addition.

Maury seconded.

The motion carried 3-0

- After reviewing submitted plans and DES consent on the presented project for this non-conforming lot, David made a motion to approve a Demo Permit for partial removal of an existing boathouse and a Building Permit for reconstruction of the boathouse contingent upon the structure remaining on the exact same footprint as now exists.

- The Board considered an annual bid for cemetery maintenance from Pathways Landscaping, LLC in the amount of \$8,460 with any additional work at a rate of \$45.00 per hour.

With little discussion, David made a motion to approve the contract as proposed.

Maury seconded.

The motion carried 3-0

- After reviewing a request from E. Giacomo and S. Peery for Parade approval for Memorial Day, David made a motion to approve the permit conditional that marchers wear masks, social distance, and use only one side of the road marching to and from the cemetery.

Maury seconded.

The motion carried 3-0

- David made a motion to approve two Purchase Requests for the Highway Department for emergency repairs: 1. Broken spring on the Peterbilt truck 2. Broken hinge on the dump body of the Peterbilt truck

Maury seconded.

The motion carried 3-0 PR # 2104141 and PR # 2104142

● The Board briefly discussed limited information regarding the Harrisville Select Board's decision to reduce parking access at Silver Lake, citing a safety hazard. While there are properties in Nelson that are located on Silver Lake, the Nelson Selectmen have not been contacted with any information regarding the proposed action.

2:20 PM

● David made a motion to move into Non-Public session in accordance with RSA 91-A:3 II (e) written threat of litigation

Gary seconded.

The motion carried by roll call vote 3-0. Maury – yes, Gary – yes, David – yes

2:34 PM

● Upon returning to Public session, David made a motion to seal the minutes with the exception of the release of the Board's written position regarding an access plan for Partridge Woods, the Access plan, and cover letter to all those concerned. The Cover letter, Board's Position, and the Access Plan to be posted on the Town website.

Maury seconded.

The motion carried by roll call vote 3-0. Maury – yes, Gary – yes, David – yes

2:36 PM

● David made a motion to move into Non-Public session in accordance with RSA 91-A: II (c) Harm to Reputation.

Gary seconded.

The motion carried by roll call vote 3-0. Maury – yes, Gary – yes, David – yes

2:45 PM

● David made a motion to seal the minutes.

Maury seconded.

The motion carried by roll call vote 3-0. Maury – yes, Gary – yes, David - yes

● With nothing further, David made a motion to adjourn.

Maury seconded.

The motion carried 2-0.

2:47 PM Meeting Adjourned.

For April 14, 2021

David Upton, Chair

Maury Collins, Selectman

Gary Robinson, Selectman