

**Town of Nelson**  
**Selectmen's Meeting**  
**3:00 PM**

September 19, 2023

Executive Board Attending: Brenna Kucinski, Michael Blaudschun, Don Carlisle, Edie Drinkwater, Admin. Assist.

*Absent:*

Others attending: J. Filipi

Mike called the September 19, 2023 meeting of the Nelson Select Board to order at 3:00 PM.

● Mike made a motion to approve the minutes for September 6, 2023 as recorded.

Brenna seconded.

The motion carried 3-0.

● Mike made a motion to approve the manifests for September 13 and September 20, 2023 as presented.

Brenna seconded.

The motion carried 3-0.

● The Board discussed re-naming the Nelson Ballfield to something more indicative of a wide variety of uses. Following a brief discussion, Brenna made a motion to call the location "Nelson Community Park" (NCP).

Mike seconded.

The motion carried 3-0.

● Mike made a motion to approve a Building Permit for a ground mount solar array for S. Weaver.

Brenna seconded.

The motion Carried 3-0.

● K. Finnegan submitted a request to add Fibercast to the Library. She presented two possible paths for entry wiring. Brenna made a motion to approve the "Green" path as it was the shortest most direct.

Mike seconded.

The motion carried 3-0.

● Police Chief J. Filipi came before the Board with updates on a few areas of concern by residents as well as the status of the new cruiser battery problem.

1. Subject Contact is still pending on matters reported to the Chief.

2. The dealer sent out a technician today to make some adjustments to the wiring to correct the battery problem. Filipi will report back if the problem is not resolved.

3. Edie and J. Filipi will attend the school volunteer signup tonight to notarize background checks and do the required fingerprinting.

● Mike made a motion to approve the 2023 IT Agreements with Twin Bridge Services for the Admin. Office, Town Clerk/Tax Collector, Police Department, and Fire Department.

Brenna seconded.

The motion carried 3-0

● The Board reviewed a letter from J. Pepin further explaining her intention for the Halloween Event that was proposed for October. While the Board appreciates the historic aspect of the presentation they agree with the concerns of the Cemetery Board and remain in agreement that either the ballfield or the Town Hall would be more suitable locations. Brenna agreed to notify Pepin that the Board is not opposed to the program just the location that was requested.

● Powers Generator suggests that the Town seek an electrical evaluation to determine the complete scope of electrical work needed to install a generator that meet the needs of the Town office, Town Hall, and Library. Edie will call Hamblet Electric for the evaluation.

● Mike reported that the “ Library” sign is rotted and the sign needs to be replaced. Research will begin for a replacement that matches the original sign.

● Mike also reported that a few boards on the Town Hall where it meets the connector also need replacement. The Selectmen agreed to have the contractor replace these while they are here for the Library project. This will be paid from building maintenance funding.

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

Mike seconded.

The motion carried 3-0.

Meeting Adjourned 4:45 PM

Next meeting October 4, 2023 at 3:00 PM

Minutes for September 19, 2023

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Brenna Kucinski, Chair

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Michael Blaudschun, Selectman

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Don Carlisle, Selectman