

Town of Panton  
Selectboard Meeting  
January 8, 2013/6:30 P.M.  
Minutes

In Attendance:

Selectboard:	Officers:	Guests:
John Viskup, Chair	M'Lissa Dayton, Treasurer	Ralph Burt
Beth Tarallo	Jean Miller, Town Clerk	J. Doug Dows
Bill Lanning	Rick Cloutier	

6:35 John called the meeting to order.

Review/Approval of December 11, 2012 minutes and January 3, 2013 minutes – Bill made moved to accept the minutes of both meetings. John 2<sup>nd</sup>. All approved.

Public Comment – J. Doug Dows discussed setting up a Capital Fund for Highway Projects (paving). This item will be placed on the Warning for March 5, 2013 Town Meeting for the Town to vote on.

Ralph Burt/Town Report – Ralph came in to clarify some questions that he had regarding the Town Report. He asked if what he had intended to use for the cover page was ok, the Selectboard said it was; if signatures were required on the reports from the different committees, the Selectboard said that signatures were not required but that some place in the book it should state that signed copies were in the office; and how many Town Reports were needed and when they needed to be mailed, it was decided that approximately 310 reports were needed and should be mailed by Feb. 19<sup>th</sup>.

Road Foreman Report – Rick is working on applying for the Structures Grant. He would like to fix two (2) culverts: one on Jackson Road that has separated and the other culvert on Jersey Street (by Eric Carter's) that is dropping on one end.

The upcoming weather forecast is for warmer temperatures; so the road crew has been pushing back the snow banks and cleaning out the ditches to create better drainage.

The Selectboard discussed getting a used ¾ ton pickup truck for the Town. John made a motion for Bill to go ahead and buy a ¾ ton pickup truck not to exceed \$20,000. Beth 2<sup>nd</sup>. All approved.

John made a motion for Rick to call Jackman Fuels to have them come in and lower the garage furnace and pipe it as need be. Beth 2<sup>nd</sup>. All approved.

The light on the outside of the Town Hall on the upstairs entrance is broken. Rick will contact Tom Brigam from GMP to see if they will fix it or if he needs to call someone else.

Review/Approval of Bills – Bills were reviewed and approved.

Budget & Preliminary Articles – Budget and articles were worked on.

Correspondence was reviewed.

Meeting was recessed at 9:50 P.M. to reconvene Thursday January 10, 2013.

Respectfully,

Jean Miller, Clerk