

Town of Panton
Selectboard Meeting
January 22, 2013/6:30 P.M.
Minutes

In Attendance:

Selectboard:
John Viskup, Chair
Beth Tarallo
Bill Lanning

Officers:
Jean Miller, Clerk

Guests:
Wendy Knight
Ben Chamberlain

6:30 John called the meeting to order.

Bill made a motion to accept the minutes of January 8 and January 10 as written. Beth 2nd. All approved.

Town Hall Committee/Wendy Knight – The committee did a follow up. Ben met with Jeff Kelley of Kelley Geology regarding the septic system. He offered free initial assessment. Jeff thought that the Town would get grandfathered in and a lot of the requirements could be bypassed. A feasibility study could be done this spring with the State costing approximately \$300. Jeff felt the Town had two possible options. One was to check out the land across the road from the Town Hall, the other was to beef up the existing septic system outback. There are now options of tanks that are only one foot deep for use on ledge.

The Town may have to be a survey done to find out where the Town property boundaries are.

Repair priorities, first was restoring the cupola but after further discussion this were set aside.

Then a scrap and paint party for the Town Hall. There would have to be someone certified in removal of lead paint supervising everyone. Next was the septic plan, lighting and electrical issue for the inside and outside of the building, assess ability to all entrances, new bath upstairs and downstairs, and heating system upstairs.

Beth made a motion that the Town Hall Committee work with Kelley Geology to do a septic feasibility study at the cost of approximately \$300. Bill 2nd. All approved.

Review/Approve Bills – Bills were reviewed and approved.

Correspondence – was reviewed.

Bixby Library Budget – Reviewed.

Proposed Budget-items that may need explanation in Town report – Note regarding Sheriff's Dept.

Town Meeting Warning – Discussed to see what still needed to be updated.

Punch lists – The Selectboard would like a list of projects that need to be done.

At 8:05 Beth made a motion to go into Executive Session to discuss the Treasurer's position.

Selectboard came out of Executive Session at 8:45. They decided to fine tune the advertisement for the Treasurer's position and will post it in the near future as an anticipated vacancy.

John adjourned the meeting at 8:48 PM.

Respectfully,

Jean Miller, Clerk