## Town of Eustis

## Selectmen's Meeting

## August 24, 2021

Present: Steve St. Jean, Jeff Lecander, Brandi Farnsworth

Attending: Rachel Williams, Tina O'Donnell, Kirk Williams, Peter Farnsworth

Steve opened the meeting a welcomed those in attendance

Brandi made a motion to accept the minutes from the meeting on August 10, 2021 Jeff Lecander 2<sup>nd</sup>, Brandi, Steve, and Jeff in Favor.

Steve has reached out to Spectrum for municipalities again hoping to get somewhere to install internet for us. They have been dragging their feet and we would really like to have it installed. Jeff is going to reach out to a contact he has at spectrum and will see if that can help us get anywhere any faster. Continuing this discussion at the next meeting.

Animal Control Officer decided he could no longer do the position, Rachel will reach out and ask a local person Thomas Small to do the job, and if not then we will advertise for the position again. This will continue to the next meeting.

The town has 2 people who clean buildings for them. Patty Simpson who does the Community Building, and Rebekah Townsend who cleans the Town Office. When Patty has been unable to do the cleaning Stan has been filling in, if Patty cannot clean the Community Building it will be offered to Rebekah, instead of Stan.

Waste oil for the Transfer Station may be needed by Stratton lumber and Pepin logging for their waste oil burning furnace. That would help lower our cost for removal of waste oil. The Transfer station is not required to accept waste oil, but we want to continue to offer that service to our taxpayers.

Brandi made a motion to use stickers as a way of managing the Transfer Station Jeff 2<sup>nd</sup> to start a conversation. After a lengthy conversation of what would be best for the taxpayers in our town, the burden of getting unorganized territories

taxpayers that use our Transfer Station stickers, the vote was Brandi in favor and Jeff and Steve opposed.

Lots of discussion about Archie's trash removal services. There is concern that they are not only dumping Stratton/Eustis garbage. Rachel did some research on what other Transfer Stations charge for trash removal. Rachel is to call and ask archies how many contracts they hold in this area and see how many cubic feet each dumpster is, and this will be continued to the next meeting.

Archie's has a key to the Transfer Station, and the selectmen want us to change the lock and get a key to all those who need it.

Steve made a motion to Charge Contractors \$15 for a pickup load, \$30 for 1 axle Trailer, & \$50 for a 2 axle Trailer load to bring demo debris to the Transfer Station.

Steve made a motion to purchase a larger tractor for the transfer Station instead of the previous on they voted on. Brandi 2<sup>nd</sup>. Steve, Jeff, and Brandi in favor.

Steve and Kirk each had a person interested in the Transfer Station tractor once we get our new one. They had each person right down a price and we will sell to the highest bid. Joshua Boivin \$3150.00 & Mark Labrecque \$3801.00 So we will sell the Tractor to Mark Labrecque for \$3801.00 when we get our new Tractor.

Brandi made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Steve 2<sup>nd</sup>. Brandi, Steve, Jeff in favor.

All Town and Water Department warrants signed.

The meeting was recorded.