

TOWN OF STRONG – SELECTMEN’S MEETING MINUTES
September 8, 2020 – 6:00 p.m.

1. **Call meeting to order:** Chairman, Rob Elliott, called the Selectmen’s Meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. with the flag salute.
2. **Board Member Attendance Recognized:** Selectmen present: Robert Elliott, Rodney Cook, James Burrill, Richard Worthley and Andrew Pratt. Others attending: Duayne Boyd and Sandra Mitchell
3. **Approval of the Selectmen’s Meeting Minutes from 8/25/2020 and Special Selectmen Meeting Minutes from 9/1/2020:** Rod C. made a motion to approve the minutes from the Selectmen’s Meeting on 8/25/2020 and Special Selectmen’s Meeting on 9/1/2020. Dick seconded the motion and all voted in favor.
4. **Approval of the Treasurer’s Warrant for week of 9/10/2020 for \$12,488.40**
Jim made a motion to approve Treasurer’s Warrant for week of 9/10/2020 for \$12,488.40. Andy seconded the motion and all voted in favor.
5. **Reports of the Treasurer/Town Clerk/Highway Foreman:**
 - Clem Begin would like to sell his property (approximately 3.1 acres) located behind the elderly housing and beyond the end of Elizabeth Street if anyone is interested.
 - Trump issued an executive order to allow employees to defer social security payroll taxes. Trio can’t accommodate that in the municipal program at this time. Employers can choose to opt out (which the Selectmen did).
 - Sandy is requesting a General Assistance Public Hearing at the next Selectmen’s Meeting on September 22, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. The new General Assistance maximums take effect on October 1, 2020 and **must** be adopted by the Selectmen after public notice and hearing.
 - Tax money has been coming in and deposits are higher than the town daily deposit limit of \$50,000 (for remote check capture). On three different days, the office had to call for approval. The check deposit for today was refused, so will have to be done on Thursday. Sandy will be increasing the daily deposit limit to \$150,000 to hopefully avoid this inconvenience.
 - Duayne is looking to rent a machine from Howard P. Fairfield to mow roadsides. It won’t be available until the 1st of October and the cost is \$3,200.
 - Selectmen discussed the hauling of sand for the winter supply. They agreed to allow Duayne to plan accordingly and to hire a couple extra trucks.
 - No applications have been received for the custodial position.
6. **Selectmen’s Reports**
Rob has been trying to get a group together to do volunteer work at the park, but not having much success.
Dick made a motion to adjourn. Rod Cook seconded the motion and all voted in favor.
Meeting adjourned at 6:17 p.m.
Respectfully submitted,

Sandra M. Mitchell - Treasurer

