16 Merrill Access Road Thornton, NH 03285

TOWN OF THORNTON BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday, October 18, 2023, 3:00 PM

BOS meetings are open to the public. The public can also participate via ZOOM by going to https://zoom.us/j/8256731802 & enter the following: Meeting ID: 825 673 1802 or join via telephone: 1-646-876-9923, Meeting ID: 825 673 1802

Public comment is permitted throughout the meeting at the discretion of the chairperson of the board.

A. CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- 1. Public Meeting Minutes of October 4, 2023
- 2. Non-Public Meeting Minutes of September 20, 2023 & October 4, 2023 (Sessions 1, 2, 3)

C. CONSENT AGENDAS FOR OCTOBER 18, 2023:

- 1. Manifests: Payroll, Vendor, Welfare & Others as needed
- 2. Zoning Compliance Application(s), etc.
- D. **PUBLIC COMMENT(S):** (Public Comment is scheduled for the public to have a 5-minute discussion period. If the individual requires more than 5 minutes, we request that you schedule with the Town Administrator to be placed on the agenda.)
- E. COMMUNICATIONS & MAIL: (Selectmen to Initial top right corner of each communication item)
 - 1. Planning & Zoning Communication Folder
 - 2. Concerned Citizen Correspondence (if applicable)
 - 3. Mail/Correspondence for miscellaneous mail (if applicable)
 - i. Items sent via email to Board Members
 - 1. Transfer Station compliment by resident
 - 2. Grafton County Delegate memo re:

F. DEPARMENT HEAD REPORTS & OTHER COMMUNICATION AS APPLICABLE:

(Monthly Reports scheduled for the first meeting of each month – Next Due November 1, 2023)

- 1. Fire Chief, Police Chief, Transfer Station Manager, Road Agent, Zoning Review Officer, Town Administrator, Welfare & Health Officer
- 2. Miscellaneous Communication received from/to Department Heads (if applicable):
 - i. Zoning Review Officer email

G. **NEW BUSINESS:**

- 1. **3:10 PM** Transfer Station Manager to discuss timeline of projects at the Transfer Station
- 2. **3:30 PM** Review & award Winter Sand Bid with Road Agent, John Kubik
- 3. **4:00 PM** Economic Development Committee Chairman, Joe Peznola, to discuss land use ideas of Merrill Access Road being acquired from the State of NH
- 4. Review & discuss COLA wage adjustments for 2024 budget & review of YTD expenditures
- 5. Town Report bid review
- 6. Zoning Enforcement issue re: Wanosha Road property
- 7. Clarification on hiring process re: background checks

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H. OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. Clarification on Assessing RFP
- 2. Continued discussion 2023 Christmas Celebration plans
- 3. Continued discussion on Deputy Tax Collector/Municipal Clerk position
- 4. Update from P. Laufenberg on the Legal RFP process
- 5. Update from P. Laufenberg & J. Monti on Fire Equipment Study Committee

I. OTHER BUSINESS:

J. SELECTMEN CONCERNS AND DIRECTIVE

- K. **PUBLIC COMMENT(S):** (Public Comment is scheduled for the public to have a 5-minute discussion period. If the individual requires more than 5 minutes, we request that you schedule with the Town Administrator to be placed on the agenda.)
- L. **NON-PUBLIC SESSION AS NEEDED** (Pursuant to RSA 91:A:3,II*)
 - 1. **3:45 PM** RSA 91:A:3, II a Police Department personnel

M. ADJOURNMENT

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