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Tuesday, April 21, 2020

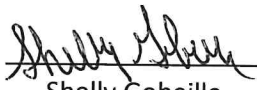
Attendance: Jason Neville, Nick Santangelo, Joe Iannazzo, Gloria Dyer, Justine Perkins, Andrea Silva, Billy Neville

- 6:00 - Call to Order by Chair, Shelly Gobeille
- Open meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance

BUSINESS

- Jason went over what Fire is doing with response to the pandemic (Covid-19) Operational guidelines are in place and being followed. The PPE supply is good and was able to send some to mutual aid. EMA meetings via zoom are taking place every Tuesday and Thursday. PSB is open to essential personal only-not open to the public. Fire Permits are obtained online and the burn time is from 5pm to 9am. He knows of some towns around with positive cases but the only information released to the public is county wide. Humphreys donated 2 boxes of safety glasses.
- Ken thanked Jason and Nick for the outstanding job they are doing. Jason was named virus coordinator and was appointed at the county level. They are reporting on Monday mornings the PPE supply. EMA is asking when towns will be re-opening.
- Justine has been manning the phones at the Town Office with the calls being forwarded to her cell phone. Up to date information is posted on the website that can answer questions people have with regards to town operations.
- Nichole has been getting the essential functions done at the office. Currently she is going in on Tuesdays, Christine Wednesdays and Justine Thursdays to maintain social distancing while completing the necessary town functions. Emails are checked from home and work is being completed at home as well. A message was left for Clint about doing the town hall floors while the building is not in use. General assistance applications are being handled within 24 hours. Nichole has a question whether to extend the heating assistance program timeframe passed the normal April 30<sup>th</sup> deadline. Shelly made a motion to extend the deadline indefinitely at this time. Ken seconded. Discussion: Shelly explained this could help our residents out in hard times. Jim likes the idea of having a July 1<sup>st</sup> deadline in case when things get back to "normal" it gets forgotten about. Shelly amended her motion to extend until July 31<sup>st</sup>. Ken seconded. A roll call vote was taken: Ken- yes, Jim- yes, Shelly-yes.
- The Transfer Station is closed on Wednesdays and only accepting household and recycling on Saturday and Sundays. This is to limit contact and protect our vulnerable workers. To be posted on website.

Meeting adjourns 6:31 pm (Ken made motion, Jim seconded, all in favor)

  
Shelly Gobeille

  
Kenneth Gates

  
James McLaughlin