

Town of Chatham

January 5, 2023

Attendance: Jason Eastman, William Briggs, Riley Pitman, Tricia Pitman, Alan Eastman, Steve Goldsmith, Bert Wiess and Matthew Plache

A motion was made to accept the minutes to December as written.

The Board signed the vouchers.

Steve Goldsmith updated the Selectmen as to why there will be an increase to the Fryeburg Rescue budget and the garbage disposal budget. He offered to attend the town meeting to explain the increases to the town's people.

Bert Wiess and Matthew Plache met with the Selectmen to address the warrant article that will need to be put on this year's warrant at town meeting. Matthew Plache gave an overview of the Communication District Agreement and left copies of it with the Selectmen. He will forward the final wording for the warrant article as soon as he can.

The Selectmen signed an intent to cut for Millard Davis and a supplemental intent for Tom Fadden (WMNF).

The DES sent 2 letters. One for a septic permit application and one for a shoreline permit.

Denice Roy (DRA) sent a community action report stating that she had worked in Chatham recently.

The DOT sent a letter to the Selectmen stating that the town would be receiving \$16,717.35 to be used on bridges. The Selectmen will contact Michelle Clark (DRA) to find out what should be done with the funds.

Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 14, 2023.

The Budget committee will meet on Monday, February 13 to set the budget.

The Selectmen will meet on Thursday, February 2 to work on the budget to present to the Budget committee.

Alan Eastman (road agent) reported that the storage container had been purchased and is set in place. He also reported that the no parking signs had been set on Barnes Road and Toad Hill Road.

A motion to adjourn was made and seconded.

Meeting Adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Patricia Pitman