## MINUTES OF THE SELECTMEN'S MEETING JUNE 20, 2011

PRESENT: Daniel W. Trabucco (Chairman), Lewis W. Stone (Vice-chairman), Gregory M. Hanley (Clerk), Arthur P. Boyle, Jr. (Selectman), Willard J. Boulter, Jr. (Selectman), Edwin J. Thorne (Town Administrator), Diane M. Tobin (Executive Assistant), Mikaela Slaney (Pembroke Express), Charles Matthewson (WATD), Mary Polleys (Pembroke Mariner), Phillip Zeninger, Linda Peterson, George Verry (Building Inspector), Joel Bard, Esq. (Kopelman & Paige), and others.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

PONDS: Oldham and Furnace Ponds were both treated on Wednesday for the blue-green algae problem. After Dept. of Public Health testing on Thursday, Oldham failed and will need to be tested again. It may not be open for recreational activity until July 1<sup>st</sup>. Furnace Pond passed the first test and if it passes again on Thursday, the pond can be opened on July 24<sup>th</sup>.

CIRCUS: The Kelly Miller Circus will be in town on Sunday, June 26<sup>th</sup> on the ballfields behind the Community Center.

RECYCLING CENTER: The landfill capping project is underway and there will be a detour for access to the Recycling Center. Traffic will be directed to Learning Lane and access to the recycling center will be provided by a temporary gravel way.

PEMBROKE YOUTH BASKETBALL: Members of the Pembroke Youth Basketball group presented a donation of \$600.00 to Mr. Boulter, chairman of the 300<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Committee. They raised these funds through a Basketball Shootout event. Mr. Boulter accepted this donation with much gratitude and gave an update on the committee's plans for future events.

DOOR-TO-DOOR SOLICITATION: Mr. Phillip Zeninger, independent contractor with RAB Communications, was granted permission to solicit sales of Comcast packages and equipment. Mr. Boyle moved, seconded by Mr. Boulter, to allow solicitation on Monday through Saturday, from 10:00 am to Sunset, until December 31<sup>st</sup>. So voted unanimously in favor.

BONNEY STREET TRAILER: The owner of the property at One Bonney Street, Holly Weinreich, was not able to be present due to work commitments, but the Building Inspector, George Verry, explained to the Selectmen that he has been working with Ms. Weinreich as she continues to await a court decision. Mr. Verry has arranged for an inspection of the temporary utility services at the trailer and an inspection of the fire safety equipment. He has also told Ms. Weinreich to keep up with the yard work. Mr. Verry will also try to get more information on the status of the appeal from the courts.

Mr. Boyle moved, seconded by Mr. Boulter, to approve a 90 day extension of the trailer permit at One Bonney Street, subject to the approval of the Building Inspection Dept. of the electrical services and of the Fire Dept. for the smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors. So voted unanimously in favor.

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199 PLEASANT STREET: Mr. Verry will meet with the owner of this property in response to a letter received by the Selectmen.

RE-APPOINTMENT OF PAID, PART-TIME POSITIONS: Mr. Hanley moved, seconded by Mr. Boyle, to acknowledge the recommendation of the Town Administrator and to re-appoint the following:

William Hart Animal Control Officer

Nicholas Zechello Wiring Inspector

Gary Young Gas/Plumbing Inspector

Bill Stewart Alternate Gas/Plumbing Inspector

Les Damon Alternate Wiring Inspector

Robert Hynes Town Clock Winder

Joseph Stack Alternate Building Inspector
Anthony Marino Alternate Building Inspector

George Verry Building Inspector/Zoning Enforcement Officer

David McPhillips Veteran's Agent

Richard Wall Emergency Management Co-Director
Michael Hill Emergency Management Co-Director

FUN FISHING DAY: Cub Scout Pack 43 was granted permission by the Conservation Commission to use Tubb's Meadow to hold a fishing event on June 25<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 am to Noon.

121 BARKER ST.-DOG HEARING: The Selectmen reviewed the typed orders of conditions imposed after the formal dong hearing on June 13, 2011. Mr. Boulter questioned condition #2 regarding the required portion of the property to be fenced in. It is understood that the Selectmen required that four sides of the front 6-8 acres of the property must be a fenced-in contained area for the dogs.

Mr. Hanley moved, seconded by Mr. Boyle, to adopt and accept the conditions as written. So voted unanimously in favor.

DOG LICENSES: The Town Clerk announced that dog licenses are now available in the Town Clerk's Office. All dogs must be licensed annually between July 1 and August 31.

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT: Mr. Thorne explained that the new recycle tote bins will be delivered to each resident by the following schedule: If your regular trash pick-up day is Monday, you will receive your toter on July 6 or 7; Tuesday pick-up will receive toters on July 8 or 9; Wed. pick-up will receive them on July 10 or 11; Thursday pick-up will receive their toters on July 12 or 13; and Friday pick-up will receive them on July 14 or 15. Everyone will receive a 64-gallon toter which residents are asked to use for a couple weeks. If a resident feels they cannot use the 64-gallon and need a smaller toter, they should contact the Town Administrator and arrangements will be made to review cases individually

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for any adjustments to be made. He noted that the 64-gallon toter is more balanced than the smaller one. A chart of recyclable items to be placed in the toter will be attached to the bin. Mr. Thorne expressed thanks to the Recycling Committee for their assistance in getting the message to residents regarding this program.

ASK THE SELECTMEN: Mr. Stone noted that he received a letter from a resident of one of the housing facilities in town expressing concern of their participation in the recycling program. Mr. Stone noted that all of the housing apartment complexes will receive a recycle toter as will all municipal facilities.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Mr. Stone moved, seconded by Mr. Boulter, that the Selectmen go into executive session to discuss the status and strategy with respect to pending litigation.

Roll call vote: Boulter, yes – Hanley, yes – Stone, yes – Trabucco, yes. (Mr. Boyle was not present for this vote, but he did re-join the Selectmen in Executive Session).

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 p.m.