

BEAVER COVE TOWN OFFICE
SELECT BOARD MONTHLY MINUTES

March 27, 2023

Municipal Officer's present: Jamie Brown, Alison Barkley

Others Present: Hilary Anderson, Sally Farrand, Earl & Maria Mann, Rob West,
Tim Keltz, Lucy Stroble, John Shannon, Mary Hanson, Bill Manahan and
Kim

Larsen.

Meeting opened 6:31

1. Minutes approved for February 28, 2023 approved and signed
2. Treasurer's Reports: February 2023 reports reviewed and accepted.
3. Tax Collector and IFW February 2023 reports reviewed and accepted.
4. Safety / Roads & Emergency Management update: Mud season has arrived. Bill Manahan said he thought roads should dry well this year. Will grade and do calcium as we always have when time is right. Alison said she would like to publically thank Bill for all his work. Greatly appreciated especially through that storm. Maria and Alison have been in contact with the county and Maria has reviewed many documents. Both agree there is a lot to do there. The Community Resilience Committee is now in place. One big lesson learned through past storm is that there are going to be times when few can get out. Make sure you take care of yourselves and others near you. We had good documents but no photos so please remember to take photos and document. If there are chemical spills or a fire and we can't access Greenville easily we need to have a plan. There will be a letter going out in our tax bills that will explain some emergency options and processes. But please remember call 911. They have all the contacts numbers. And can get in touch with those out on the field who have hand radios. Maria is on the Community Resilience Board. At this time she is standing as the Emergency Management Director as we reassess Beaver Cove's needs. Alison has been talking with Jim Carr and Sawyer Murray (Emergency Management for Greenville) and they will help implement a plan for Beaver Cove that more meets our immediate needs for the community. We will work

closely with them. Very important to remember to document and take pictures. Send them to the office or email. Email addresses on the web.

5. School Update: Sally said meeting tomorrow.
6. Firearms update: Committee started with original, did they want to repeal or revise. (See attachment) Earl asked for more detail.. Basically it exempts large parcels of land or property. Burnt Jacket was taken out. They also added to elaborate definition of the "paved road" it now includes the dirt roads. There was a lot of serious thought and conversation. If there is an illegal discharge of firearm let the law enforcement handle it. There should be a lot more work done on educating, 30-0 ft from any structure etc. Need more communication with the associations and rental people. Penalty should be left in place. Earl brought up the issue of feeding deer and felt it should not be allowed. There are a lot getting hit and maybe there should be an ordinance on that.
7. New News/Comments: Comment made the minutes had a misspelling should be repeal not appeal. Comments on the firewood bank and suggestions were made to support Kiwanis in Greenville as creating a separate one for Beaver Cove would be a lot of work and not sure who would do it. Kiwanis has a program and we can talk to them and give to theirs. If someone from this area has a need then it could be addressed.

Adjourned 7:23pm

Alison Barklay

Jamie Brown