

TOWN OF GUILFORD SELECTMEN'S MEETING

November 1, 2005

1. Meeting called to order by Chairman Bill Thompson at 7:00 PM. Present were selectmen Kent Burdin, Michael Dexter, and guest, Sally Pearson.

2. Motion made by Burdin, seconded by Dexter, to approve minutes of previous meeting. Unanimous.

3. Balance sheets distributed.

4. Notice from State Planning Office read. This is a legal advisory to neighboring communities announcing that Dover-Foxcroft has sent in a comprehensive plan for state review and approval.

5. Thank you note from Liz Ronco read regarding the leaf-peeper tour for the seniors.

6. Manager detailed final steps of purchase process and stated that American Pride completed its purchase of Pride Manufacturing LLC on October 18th.

7. Playground update given by manager; paving of tennis court completed, post sleeves set, and fence replaced. Surfacing and striping to take place next spring.

8. Linda Packard's selection for Maine State librarian of the year is now official and a reception is to be held at the library on November 13, from 3:00 to 5:00pm.

9. S&G Construction completed paving of Spring Street.

10. Manager reported that a FEMA representative toured the town roads and reviewed recent storm damage for possible federal aid.

11. Letter of resignation from ACO, Doug Villone read. Motion by Burdin, seconded by Dexter to accept. Unanimous.

12. Read letter from Guilford Sangerville Water District reporting Richard Williams II resignation from board and request that selectmen appoint a replacement. Burdin moved to appoint Kevin Speed, seconded by Dexter; Mr. Speed was appointed. Unanimous.

13. Hiring of Jeff Libby for the public works position announced and manager explained selection process.

14. Manager reported that Thelma Cookson was presented the Boston Post Gold Headed Cane as Guilford's eldest citizen. She is 97 years old.

15. The town became owner of a property on Martin Way by virtue of a tax foreclosure. Manager was advised to begin bid process to sell this property.

16. Abatement hearing scheduled for an individual for November 15th at the County Commissioners' Office. Another request is being reviewed by the commissioners.

17. Other business. None.

18. A motion to adjourn by Burdin, and seconded by Dexter was unanimous. Adjourned at 7:53 pm.

