

Town of Corinth Budget Committee Meeting Minutes for November 15, 2016 (Unapproved)

Members Present: Susan Fortunati, Lee Porter, Hal Drury, Nancy Ertle, Mike Pittman- Fire Dept., Chris Groschner- Health Officer, Irene Mann, Amy Peberdy, and Raymond Moulton-Cemetery Commissioner.

Guests: Joe Truss- Emergency Management and Fire Warden, Michele Boyer- Animal Control Officer, Ed Pospisil- Fire Dept., Marian Cawley-Conservation Commission, Dick Kelley- Planning Commission and Jim Ainsworth- CTERT.

Meeting called to order: 6:00 pm

Nancy moved to nominate Susan as chair, Lee seconded, and the ayes have it.

Susan explained the pages she handed out showing the budget, revenue's and a list with the different funds listed. She listed the meetings to come and reviewed agenda and noted review and wrap-up of all funds and budgets is Dec. 13th or Dec. 20th if needed.

Michele requested the animal control budget stay the same at \$2,000.00 and the Humane Society at \$1,000.00. She also stated her daily fee is going from \$20.00 to \$25.00 per animal.

Raymond spoke for the Cemetery Commission and asked that their budget be level funded at \$4,000.00.

Marian spoke for the Conservation Commission and they asked for an increase from \$250.00 to \$400.00.

Constables not here.

Joe spoke for Emergency Management and asked to have it level funded at \$500.00 and for Fire Warden and he would like to increase it from \$600.00 to \$1,000.00.

Ed Pospisil and Mike Pittman spoke for the Corinth Fire Dept. and they requested \$55,000.00 which was a decrease from \$65,000.00 the previous year.

Jim Ainsworth spoke for Corinth Topsham Emergency Response Team and asked for \$6,000.00 which is a decrease from \$7,500.00 last year.

Chris Groschner spoke for the Health Officer and didn't request any funds.

Dick Kelley spoke for the Planning Commission wants to level fund at \$2215.00 with some changes to the line items.

Town Hall Maintenance was discussed and level funded at \$20,780.00.

Susan called for any more discussion. There was none.

Chris moved to adjourn Lee seconded the ayes have it, meeting adjourned at 6:55 pm