Town of Corinth Unapproved Minutes of Regular Selectboard Meeting July 8, 2013

Attending for the Board: Allen Locke, Chairman; Chris Groschner; Ryan Dodge. Others attending: Tony Mason-Sherwood; Teddy Mason-Sherwood; Dave Richard; Mark Luce; Robert Fortunati; Frank Roderick, Road Commissioner; Lynn Sciortino, Board Clerk.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

<u>Approval of Minutes</u> Locke moved to approve the corrected minutes of the June 10, 2013 Regular Selectboard Meeting. Dodge seconded. Motion passed. Dodge moved to approve the minutes of the July 2, 2013 Financial Meeting. Locke seconded. Motion passed.

<u>Public Concerns</u> Robert Fortunati reported that the tire and rim of his vehicle were damaged due to conditions on Claflin Road. He stated that the road is barely passable and is in desperate need of attention. Roderick responded that the Highway Department had built up the base and graded Claflin Road last fall but that weather conditions this spring and summer have taken its toll. The Board directed Roderick to assess the situation and come up with a plan for Claflin Road.

Dave Richard, a member of the Corinth Cafe Music Committee, reported that the Corinth Historical Society recently voted to suspend their committee, thus ending the society's connection to the October through May monthly musical events. He stated that the group would like to continue the events with donations being disbursed to local organizations. The Board supported the continuation of the Corinth Music Cafe's use of the Town Hall. Discussion followed. Richard agreed to contact the Town Treasurer for clarification regarding insurance.

The Board was contacted over concerns that the size/sharpness of the stones the Highway Department uses in maintaining town roads has been causing flat tires. Roderick agreed to look into the concern.

<u>Highway Department</u> Roderick reported that the new loader arrived two weeks ago. The road crew has been grading roads and mowing the sides as equipment and weather permit. The Board questioned Roderick about the Chicken Farm Bridge project. He responded that the work would probably begin after the new year and finish next summer.

Other Business The Board discussed progress on the plans for the new fire station. The engineers have been working on the design and layout of the new five-bay building. It was the Board's hope that abutting landowners of the proposed site had been contacted and informed of the plans. Dodge agreed to look into the matter. The fire station committee will meet again at the end of July.

Groschner moved to adjourn. Dodge seconded. The meeting adjourned at 8:11 p.m.