

Town of Corinth  
Board of Selectmen  
P.O. Box 461  
Corinth, VT 05039

Unapproved Minutes of the Financial Meeting  
October 2, 2018

Attending for the Board: Chris Groschner, Steve Long, John Haney  
Others Attending: Neysa Russo, treasurer; Suzanne Hansen, financial assistant to the selectboard, Karen Galayda, listers chair, Nancy Ertle, town clerk.

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m.

Town Clerk concerns

Nancy Ertle reported that the copier was now of an age that parts are no longer available for it. She presented information on replacements, and recommended that we enter into a contract with Symquest for a color copier lease for five years with toner included for \$1772.16 per year. This is a slight savings from our existing contract and the board agreed to enter into the contract.

Ertle requested that on the days when she is substituting for Joan Hayward at the transfer station that she be paid \$16.50 per hour, the same rate that Hayward receives. The board agreed to this request.

Listers concerns

Karen Galayda updated the board on the dispute with Vermont Appraisal Co., and recommended that the town drop the matter because it wasn't cost effective to continue to dispute it. The board concurred.

Galayda informed the board that the Sugar Maple preschool had closed and that the building it owns on Route 25 would now be taxed at the normal rate.

Galayda said that extra funds for the Land Use Change Tax Penalty had been received and that according to the Dept of Property Valuation and Review, the \$2100 should go to the listers because of the extra burden of administering it. Groschner said there was no revenue fund for the listers except for the reappraisal fund and that this didn't fit into it. The board said it would discuss this with the treasurer.

Orders for Payment

The Board reviewed outstanding bills and signed orders for payment. The Board reviewed payments made in previous month.

Journal Entries

The Board reviewed and approved the Journal Entries for the month of August.

Other business

Groschner said that he had a request from Suzanne Opton to borrow chairs for a house concert. Haney asked if this was a normal request. Groschner said that the board had granted such requests in the past. The board approved the loan of the chairs with the stipulation that they be returned in the same condition.

The first Tuesday in November is Election Day, so the board re-scheduled the November financial meeting for Wednesday, November 8 at the customary time of 5:00 p.m.

Long moved to adjourn and Groschner seconded. Meeting adjourned at 6:30.