



## Town of Richmond

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### April 26, 2021 Meeting

**Selectmen present: William Daniels, Douglas Bersaw, and Andrew Wallace**

**Public Present: Kandace Mattson**

**Non-Board member present: Susan Harrington**

**Meeting opened at 5:32 pm**

Daniels moved; Bersaw 2<sup>nd</sup>; Board voted to approved the manifest dated April 26, 2021 for week of April 16, 2021-April 22, 2021 in the amount of: \$ 36,351.68 for payroll/accounts payable.

Bersaw moved; Daniels 2<sup>nd</sup>; Board approved Yield Tax for Map 403 Lot 010, Map 404 Lot 001,002,003,010.

Daniels moved; Wallace 2<sup>nd</sup>; Board approved 2020-2021 Gravel Tax Levy and 2021-2022 Notice of Intent to Excavate for Map 405 Lot 121.

Wallace moved; Daniels 2<sup>nd</sup>; Board approved Intent to Cut for Map 401 Lot 008.

Per recommendation from Avitar Associates of New England, Inc. Bersaw moved; Wallace 2<sup>nd</sup>; Board approved Veteran's Credit for Map 402 Lot 062.

Proclamation Municipal Clerks Week May 3, 2021-May 7, 2021 submitted by Town Clerk, Karen O'Brien. Board signed Proclamation.

Letter from the New Hampshire Department of Transportation reference Map 407 Lot 94 Sub 002. NHDOT states driveway permit has expired on 04/26/2007. The current logging operation requires a Temporary Driveway Permit. Read.

Letter from Lauren Reese expressing concerns for several issues that have happened at the Richmond Town Beach. Complaints include but not limited to trouble with large boats on boat ramp, boat speeding, children throwing rocks, people feeding the geese, and cigarettes on the beach, parking lot and in the water. Ms. Reese would like to see these issues addressed with signs stating the boat engine size, speed limit on the pond, and to not feed the geese. Read. Harrington to contact Marine Patrol.

Received a letter of thanks from Southwestern Community Services for the 2021 appropriation approved at the 2021 Town Meeting on April 10, 2021.

Letter from the State of New Hampshire Department of Revenue with the 2020 Total Equalized Valuations. The 2020 Total Equalized Valuation Including Utilities and Railroads is used for Richmond's portion of the county tax and our portion of any cooperative school district taxes. The amount is for 2020 \$124,755,313. The 2020 Total Equalized Valuation NOT Including Utilities and Railroads is used to calculate a portion of the state education property tax. The amount for 2020 is \$113,439,153.

Reviewed attorney fees for Map 201 Lot 056-4 Corners.

Email from Andy Powers at Cheshire Floral Farm in Marlborough. An anonymous donation has been made for a medium garden share to go to a family in need. Harrington will contact the Welfare Administrator. The Cheshire Floral Farm would like to donate \$150.00 to the Town of Richmond for plants. Harrington to contact Historical and Agriculture Commission.

Board discussed the 30 day follow up for 160 Sandy Pond Road will be May 5, 2021. Harrington to send reminder to homeowner.

Board discussed attorney fees.

Board requesting the Zoning Compliance Officer to visit Map 409 Lot 029-120 Whipple Hill Road.

Board discussed GovOffice emails.

### **Appointments**

**Town Clerk, Karen O'Brien** met with the Board to discuss on behalf of the Agricultural Commission to conduct a Farmers Market at the 4 Corner property occasionally on Sunday afternoons.

### **Phone in Appointment**

**Tax Collector, Steven Boscarino** called to explain a check request he submitted that will create a paper trail for tax payments from the Town of Richmond to the Town of Richmond/Tax Collector.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Susan Harrington



Southwestern Community Services

People helping people in Cheshire and Sullivan Counties since 1965

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*Southwestern Community Services (SCS)*

**Thanks the citizens of Richmond**

SCS' Community Statement reads,

*"In partnership and close collaboration with local communities, SCS will provide leadership and support to develop resources, programs, and services to further aid this population".*

True to our community statement, we could not do this without your community's assistance.

*Southwestern Community Services* would like to thank the **Town of Richmond** for your generous financial support. Please contact us at 1-800-529-0005 if there is ever a citizen in need of our resources, and we will do our very best to assist them.

We look forward to future "partnerships and close collaborations" between SCS and the **Town of Richmond**. We always welcome visitors. I encourage you to contact me to arrange for a tour of our offices in Keene or Claremont as well as to further discuss the programs and services that SCS is able to offer.

Please accept our most sincere gratitude. Best of luck.

Sincerely,

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