



Town of Richmond

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August 4, 2021 Meeting

Location: 343 Fitzwilliam Road in Richmond, NH Map 407 Lot 095 Taylor property.

Selectmen present: William Daniels, Douglas Bersaw and Andrew Wallace

Non-Board member present: Non-Board members present: Jeff Taylor, Susan Taylor, Kris Stewart of Francistown Sand and Gravel, Joe Sootkoos of Industrial Tower and Wireless, Colin Daniels of Dynamic Drilling and Blasting, Wayne Daniels of Dynamic Drilling and Blasting.

Meeting opened at 5:00PM

Board met at site of new cell tower to review progress and whether best management practices for blasting were being followed. The board discussed concerns raised by neighbors about the safety of the project. Construction site appeared to be operating in a safe manner with extra precautions being taken to protect landowner's property. Blasting mats were visible at the site and have been used throughout the blasting process at the request of the landowner to protect the trees on the property. Board was also informed that multiple smaller blasts were conducted at the request of the land owner (to prevent any possible damage to surrounding trees) rather than the standard method which would have been competed all at once. Board was also informed that blasting has been completed at the site. Board informed all parties that if for some reason further blasting is needed, there will need to be a blasting plan submitted as an addendum to the site review. The review would need to be reviewed by the planning board before further blasting is conducted.

Selectman Bersaw also gave an update regarding the Planning Boards discussion at their recent meeting about the lack of blasting details requested on the site review and steps being taken to remedy the issue.

Meeting Adjourned 5:35PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Andrew Wallace