Town of Sunderland Selectboard Meeting Monday June 13, 2022 7:00 PM

104 Mountain View Road Sunderland, Vermont

Meeting Minutes

- 1. Call to Order- CTO at 7:00 pm by Chair-Jon French
- 2. Introduction of Board Members and speakers- Alex Bresnick, Dixie Zens, Jon French-Chair, Andrew McKeever and Bruce Mattison. David Durfee-Legislative Representative.
- 3. Approval of Minutes from May 23, 2022 meeting.-Motion to approve made by Mr. Zens, second by Mr. Bresnick unanimous vote motion carried.
- 4. Legislative Update, David Durfee- Representative Durfee gave a brief summation of what has been happening at the State level. Gov. Scott has signed the Budget and Transportation bills. State budget has topped 8 Billion dollars for the first time ever. That money includes allocated ARPA funds. 5 major areas State will be spending ARPA money on, Broadband, Clean Water, Housing, Climate and Economic and Work Force Development. New law requiring Insurance companies to cover hearing aids. Changes have been made to State pension plans. Education tax lowered.
- 5. Public Comment- None
- 6. Road Liaison Report- New blower has been mounted on the front of the grader. Town will look into Insurance on covered bridge.
- 7. Committees
 - a.) BCRC- Household Hazardous Waste event Sept. 17 in Dorset. 110 Compost Bins were sold.
 - b.) Energy Looking at possible spots for Charging Stations
 - c.) CUD- Installations have begun in the Southern part of Bennington County. All areas should have access to high speed internet by 2023. Costs and other information can be found at fidiumfiber.com.
- 8. Old Business- Nice turnout and ceremony for retired Town Clerk/Treasurer Rose Keough on June 11.
- 9. New Business-

- 10.ARPA updates- Looking to have special ARPA Meeting possibly in early September.
- 11. Review of Correspondence/Signing of Warrants-
- 12.Next Meeting June 27, 2022 7:00 PM-
- 13. Adjourn- Motion made by Mr. Zens, second by Mr. McKeever unanimous vote meeting adjourned at 7:46 pm.