

Town of Danby
Select Board Meeting Minutes
November 09, 2023
Town Office, Danby, VT 7:00pm
<https://www.danbyvt.org/government-information>
ZOOM MEETING ID: 834-6028-2318

Public Present – D. Stoddard, B. Thompson, M. Wesko, M. Shea, B. Franzoni, R. Morales

Virtual Present – KB Donahue, C. Hardaway, T. Parker, D. White, G. Derr, Temashana

- **Call to order at 7:00pm**
 - **Pledge of Allegiance**
 - **Roll Call**
 - **Abbott, Fuller, Haines, Bender – present**
 - **Powers - absent**
 - **Procedure for Remote Access Attendance Statement**
 - **Beth Thompson**
 - **Motion to set agenda**
 - **Additions**
 - **Ryck Morales – SBA**
 - **Treasurer – dump stickers**
 - **Motion by Haines Secoded by Fuller**
 - **Motion passes unanimously**
 - **Public Comment**
 - **none**
 - **Motion to adopt minutes of Select Board Meeting September 14, 2023**
 - **Motion by Haines, seconded by Abbott**
 - **Motion passed unanimously**
 - **Unlicensed dog issue**
 - **Mike Wesko**
 - **Has a neighbor with aggressive & violent dogs**
 - **Breeding them**
 - **A fellow neighbor has been bitten by one of these dogs.**
 - **Attempted to speak with owner about dogs several times**
 - **Dogs have attacked livestock**
 - **There have been other incidents and reports but nothing has been done**
 - **What can be done? Is it the Sheriffs responsibility to take on issues like this?**
 - **Who is animal enforcement**
 - **Are dogs up to date on rabies shots**
 - **Bender will speak with town attorney to find out what statutes apply and recommend a course of action**
- **Presentation by Mark Shea- RCSWD**
 - **Spoke with the town about a grant received from the USDA for outreach**
 - **To help increase recycling and composting**
 - **Throwing recyclables in the trash, leaf & yard debris, and food scraps are all illegal**
 - **Needs of Danby when it comes to trash**
 - **Close out meeting for all the information that has been received thus far**
 - **Report will be put together for each town with an analysis**
 - **Breanna Franzoni – data analysis**
 - **Explains about participation of a survey**
 - **Danby didn't have a lot of participation for the survey**
 - **The mark was missed**

- Keep single sort cleaner, take food waste out of the picture
 - Potential cost savings for the town
- Here to assist with potential issues, and help with corrections
 - Following the regulations
- Ryck Morales - SBA
 - Reaching out with information for assistance from storm damage
 - Businesses, home owners, renters, etc.
 - Can still apply with FEMA and SBA
 - All helpful for possible future events
- Treasure's Comment – dump stickers
 - Color coding with town name and bag size
 - When is this being put into place
 - Quote for \$500 for 25,000 stickers
 - 4 rolls left of the original dump stickers
 - Use them up and then transition
 - When do new stickers get purchased
 - Will monitor current stock and advise
 - Motion to order 25,000 stickers for \$500 that are 3 different colors
 - Motion by Haines, Seconded by Fuller
 - Motion passed unanimously
- Road Commissioner's Report: T. Fuller, Jr. -
 - Working on fall grading
 - Lily Hill bridge is about 80% done
 - Guard rails on Parish Hill and Lily Hill
- Old Business
 - none
- New Business
 - none
- Motion to adjourn 8:12pm by Fuller, Seconded by Abbott
 - motion passes unanimously

Respectfully Submitted by:

Drea Stoddard
Minute Taker