# GOSNOLD BOARD OF SELECTMEN October 26, 2018

Meeting open @ 10:15.

#### Present:

Stewart Young, Sarah Berry, Gail Blout, Lisa Wright, Kris Lombard, Dillon Storek, Seth Garfield

### **BOARD OF SELECTMEN:**

A motion was made to approve the minutes of August 10, 2018. Duly seconded. So moved. Unanimous vote.

Sarah Berry has an appointment to meet with Mary Aicardi regarding human resources.

Bill Archer is working on reinforcing the bunkers.

Gail reported that the survey of the channel found a lot of eel grass. Susan Nilson is working on an environmental assessment. Dredging needs to be done in the channel.

There will be a Special Town Meeting on November 9 to fund the \$80,000.00 overage from FY 2018. There was discussion about the best way to fund the overage; from stabilization or to raise and appropriate. An article for each method was included on the warrant. The Board of Selectmen signed the warrant.

Warrants were reviewed and signed.

Stewart is working on an update for the Community Development Strategy.

The Selectmen are going to tour Peter Spengler's Broadway property which is currently for sale. They are researching affordable housing options. This property has 4 – two-bedroom apartments.

### POLICE/FIRE/FIRST AID:

Seth reported the new emergency storage vehicle has been detailed. The emergency equipment will be relocated to town hall for winter.

Seth is working on the fire breaks. Bill Archer has widened the breaks to 20'. Burning will take place in April & May from Bayberry Hill Road to the well area.

Gail and Seth have been working with Joann Taylor of the Martha's Vineyard Commission regarding the Hazard Mitigation Plan and possible funding possibilities.

Seth reported there may be grant money available to purchase a generator for town hall in the event of a major power outage.

## SHELLFISH:

8 bags of contaminated quahogs have been transplanted to the area south of the boat house. The area is marked with orange cones and these quahogs will be ready for harvest next fall.

Scallop seed will be released soon which will be ready for harvest next fall.

## AVALON:

A meeting is planned on November 5<sup>th</sup>.

## INTERNET:

Dan Doyle is meeting with Open Cape to research signal options with them.

Respectfully submitted by: Lisa Wright

G. Stewart Young

Sarah Berry

Gail Blout

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January 4, 2019