GOSNOLD BOARD OF SELECTMEN August 10, 2018

Meeting open @ 10:15.

Present: Stewart Young, Sarah Berry, Gail Blout, Sarah Smith, Lisa Wright, David Warr, Jay Merriam, Paula DiMare, Michael Parker, Seth Garfield

BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

Gail was in touch with the Army Corps of Engineers and they will conduct a survey on the channel at the end of August.

The Selectmen are waiting for Ralph Packer's electrician to come over and inspect the fuel farm.

Gail will notify the USPS that the Town of Gosnold would like to continue with the current operation of our Post Office.

The Martha's Vineyard Commission sent a draft version of the Open Space and Recreation Plan to the Board of Selectmen.

The Fireworks show was great; Asa Lombard IV did a great job putting that all together for a second year.

Warrants were reviewed and signed.

FIRST AID:

Seth had a Ford Explorer sent over to be the 1st Aid vehicle. It will store 1st Aid equipment and a stretcher can be stored on the top. It will be parked near the public bathrooms.

FIRE:

Seth will request \$4,000 from the Volunteer Assistance Grant to maintain fire breaks and fund on-line classes for fire education.

Wharf:

Seth reported that 2 new garage doors were installed at the boat house.

BOARD OF HEALTH:

Karen Walega is waiting to see the new design of the Day's septic system.

LIBRARY:

Gail and Nancy Wilder met with Steven Heintz regarding fund raising ideas for the library.

SOLID WASTE:

There was much discussion about trash and the solid waste area. Some people would like to see the solid waste area relocated as it happens to be at the gateway to the island. David Warr, Jay Merriam and Michael Parker would like that area to return to a resource area. It would be difficult to move all of that material elsewhere and further away from the disembarkation point. Residents should be made aware of the costs of trash disposal.

CONSERVATION COMMISSION:

There was further discussion about the town filing a blanket Notice of Intent for storage of materials near the ferry dock. The Conservation Commission would like residents to file individual Notice of Intent forms in order to be able to store materials within the resource area. The other option would be to find a storage area outside of the resource areas, or not allow storage at all in the resource area and have materials brought to private property immediately. Unfortunately, not all residents have room on their property for storage.

A motion was made to adjourn. Duly seconded. So moved. Meeting adjourned @ 1:20.

Respectfully submitted by Lisa Wright

G. Stewart Young

Sarah Berry

Gail Blout

Gosnold Board of Selectmen October 26, 2018