

GOSNOLD BOARD OF SELECTMEN

September 24, 2018

Meeting open @ 10:10.

Present: Stewart Young, Gail Blout, Lisa Wright, Fran Veeder, Paula DiMare, Lexi Lynch, Bonnie Veeder

BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

A motion was made to approve the minutes of July 13, 2018. Duly seconded. Unanimous vote.

The Board of Selectmen would like to wish Gail a Happy Birthday!

Mark Rasmussen of Buzzards Bay Coalition will come to the island for a presentation on the land acquisition on October 13. There is a federal grant program for land acquisition through the Buzzards Bay Estuary Program. Stewart will follow up with Brendan Annet at the Coalition who contacted Gail about the grant program.

Warrants were reviewed and signed.

The annual Surf Casters Fishing Tournament was a huge success. There were over 50 participants, lots of fish were caught. There was an awards party with live music.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

The Finance Committee will meet on October 13.

BOARD OF HEALTH:

The Day's septic system has been approved and installed. The water has been turned on.

CEMETERY:

Gail will get in touch with Christine Fairchild about the survey for her property donation to the cemetery.

SCHOOL:

There was discussion about replacing the surface on the playground which could be \$20,000 - \$25,000. If the playground is relocated as part of a new library building there would be no point in resurfacing it now. Gail will speak to Mark Rasmussen about acquiring a piece of land behind the school to relocate the playground.

Ms. Carvalho and the students are taking a camping trip to Monhegan Island, Maine.

Lexi Lynch reported that she will go off of the School Committee at the end of the school year.

LIBRARY:

There have been some silent pledges for the new library building.

AVALON:

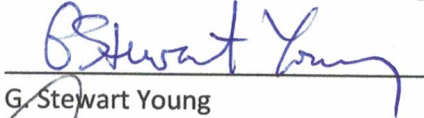
Both the Artists' Residency and Writers' Residency at the Avalon were huge successes. The Writers' Residency just finished and was led by Ethan Canin, there were several community events during the weeklong residency.

ASSESSOR:

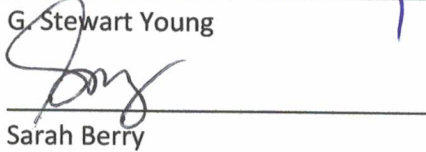
A motion was made to accept Fiscal Year 2020 61B Application for the Cuttyhunk 2008 Trust. Duly seconded. So moved. Unanimous vote.

A motion was made to adjourn. Duly seconded. So moved. Meeting adjourned @ 11:55.

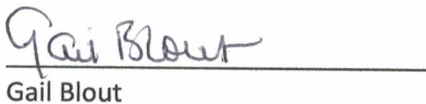
Respectfully submitted by Lisa Wright.



G. Stewart Young



Sarah Berry



Gail Blout

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December 3, 2018