

PALMYRA SELECT BOARD MINUTES

9-10-2025

Members Present: Brian Barrows, Michael Cray, Herb Bates and Charles Fields

Citizens: Planning Board Members: Dave Leavitt and Gail Jones, Road Commissioner Corey Collins, Vondell Dunphy, Lorna & Ron Rowe, Jo-Ann Brown, Scott King, Mary Page, Pat White.

6:00 pm – Meeting called to order by Chairman Brian Barrows - Flag Salute

Announcements: Meeting with area Towns Thursday September 25 - 6:00 pm in St Albans.
Hazardous Waste Collection Saturday October 4th. Pre-registration is required.

Reports:

Public Works – Corey has prepared a slide show of culverts that need replacing. The Gate at the Town Garage has been repaired and the yard cleaned up. Ditching is done. Culvert at Route 2 end of the Square Road needs replacing, the State will supply the culvert if we do the work. (State does not have time right now). Hope Road culvert is in bad shape also. Would like to build a shelter for winter sand for residents. Approximate cost is around \$300.

Planning Board – Minutes submitted. Gail updated the Board, Sign permit has been approved for Home Town Health, Kirtas Jandreau plans to submit a new application for a Used Car Business on Main Street.

Administrative Assistant/Treasurer - Treasurers Statement submitted. Have had more complaints of speeding on Lang Hill. Mike has spoken to Sheriff Department trying to get some enforcement. Also have had complaint concerning speed on the Michaud Road. Someone is interested in the Stair Unit in the Gym area. Is sitting outside out of the way right now. Have received the Survey for the property to be donated to the Town. Waiting on wording for Deeds to send to our Attorney to prepare for transfer to the Town and sale of a portion.

Other Committees – Park Boosters would like to install electric lights in the Park instead of solar and replace lights for the memorial. Would provide better lighting and new lights are more efficient. Around \$1900 was realized from the yard sale.

The Veterans Committee is going to provide funds to clean more cemetery stones this fall.

Unfinished Business:

- Motion by Charlie to accept minutes of previous meeting, Herb second. AIF
- Mike made a motion to approve schedule for the Special Election, Charlie second. Nomination Papers will be available September 15th and need to be returned by October 1st. The Town Office will need to be open for at least a couple of hours on Monday the 15th so residents may pick up papers. Vote – AIF
- Charlie made a motion to accept letter to DOT regarding changes to the intersection at Ell Hill and Route 2, Herb second. AIF (letter is attached)

New Business:

- Herb made a motion to abate lot of Michael and Alicia Vining in the amount of \$333.83 in tax, Mike second. This lot was sold along with a portion of abutting lot and assessed to new owner. Vote- AIF
- Motion by Herb to issue a Quit Claim Deed to Catherine Nelson for parcel located at 212 Badgerboro Road, Charlie second. Delinquent taxes have been paid to date. Vote- AIF
- Maintenance on heating issues is scheduled to begin next week.

- Charlie made a motion to build shelter for residents sand, second to motion was rescinded. No vote
May be able to get materials donated to do the project.
- Mike made a motion to allow electric lights to be installed in the Park, Herb second. AIF

Payroll & AP Warrants signed

Meeting Adjourned 6:49

Respectfully Submitted,

Priscilla Jones