

**Location:** Carmel Town Office

**Selectmen Present:** Suzan Rudnicki, Daniel Frye, Jared Fitts and Timothy Richardson, Jr.

**Absent:** Isaac Raymond

**Town Manager/CEO:** Kevin Howell

**Rec. Secretary:** Coreen Sylvester

**Guests Present:** Glennis McSorley and Toby Pelletier

**6:30 PM:** Suzan Rudnicki called the Selectmen’s meeting to order.

**MINUTES:** Jared Fitts made a motion to accept the minutes of March 13, 2023 as written. Tim Richardson seconded. Four voted in favor.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Election of Selectboard Chair:** Tabled until next meeting.

**Open Roadside Mowing Bids:** Selectmen received the following bids for roadside mowing, including state roads:

<u>Company</u>	<u>Year One</u>	<u>Year Two</u>	<u>Year Three</u>	<u>3-Yr Total</u>
S&M Lawncare	\$ 6,936.16	\$ 9,008.00	\$11,260.00	\$27,204.16
Hopkins Paving LLC	\$19,610.00	\$21,571.00	\$23,728.00	\$64,910.00
Municipal Mowing LLC	\$ 9,458.40	\$ 9,458.40	\$ 9,458.40	\$28,375.20

Timothy Richardson, Jr. made a motion to go with Municipal Mowing LLC for a total three-year contract of \$28,375.20 subject to a follow-through of recommendations and equipment. Daniel Frye seconded. Four voted in favor.

**Quitclaim Deed – Jessica Freeman – Tax Map 4 Lot 11-3:** Jared Fitts made a motion to sign the quitclaim deed for Jessica Freeman as long as it is paid in full. Daniel Frye seconded. Four voted in favor.

**Sheriff Troy Morton – Community Policing Contract:** Tabled until Sheriff Morton is able to attend.

**2023 Paving Specs:** The Selectmen and Town Manager went over the proposed paving projects for 2023. After discussion, it was decided Kevin would put the bid packets together and have the bids due for next meeting on April 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Public Works:** Kevin let the Board know Willie Dunton and Jason Witham will be back to work next Monday.

**Trash Pickup:** The Town Manager stated Casella will start picking up our trash next week. Spring cleanup will be the second Saturday in May at the Town garage lot.

**WARRANT:** Jared Fitts made a motion to accept the payroll warrant of March 20, 2023 in the amount of \$6,904.59. Tim Richardson seconded. Four voted in favor.

**WARRANT:** Jared Fitts made a motion to accept the payroll warrant of March 27, 2023 in the amount of \$6,769.74. Tim Richardson seconded. Four voted in favor.

**WARRANT:** Jared Fitts made a motion to accept the accounts payable warrant of March 27, 2023 in the amount of \$47,857.16. Daniel Frye seconded. Four voted in favor. Tim Richardson abstained.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Sue Rudnicki made a motion to adjourn. Dan Frye seconded. Four voted in favor. Meeting adjourned at 7:11 pm.