

August 1, 2016

Present were Larry Fiske, Pierre Letourneau, Larry Gervais, Terry Wright, Polly Rico.

Minutes from the last meeting were read and motion by Terry Wright, seconded by Polly Rico, all in favor, so moved.

Dorothy Preston is the animal control officer and was scheduled to be at the meeting but emailed that she probably would not make it. The board went ahead and did an evaluation on her job performance.

Norman and Sara Ovitt came in to the meeting to discuss a dog complaint against their St. Bernard Diesel. A few weeks ago the dog attacked the neighbor's dog Moose. Larry explained that they want to talk with them about the concerns of all. Norman and Sara have installed an above ground electric fence. They feel that they can't trust the house sitter to contain the dog while they are away, and so they will not leave town with him at home they will bring him to the country where her parents live. Also, he is scheduled to be neutered and hopefully this helps, the town clerk will call to follow up on the procedure in October. If another instance happens the Ovitt's will need to something more drastic, as this is not the first instance or complaint against the dog.

They did speak to the fact that they have had troubles contacting the dog catcher in the past and just would like it noted.

Motion to go into executive session by Pierre Letourneau, seconded by Polly Rico, all in favor, so moved at 7:01. Motion to come out of executive session at 7:45 by Polly Rico, seconded by Larry Fiske, all in favor, so moved.

Adjourned at 7:45