

TOWN OF WEARE, NH
WEARE BOARD OF FIRE WARDS
MEETING MINUTES
Monday, June 11, 2012
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PRESENT: Jon Osborne, Chairman; Ricky Hippler, Dave Hewey, Tim Maskiell, Chief Bob Vezina, Sheila Savaria, Recording Secretary

I. CALL TO ORDER: Jon Osborne opened the meeting at 6:30 pm at the Weare Town Office Building.

II: ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS:

Driveway approval – Samson: 470’ on Rossdale Lane, Map 411-14.2: The Board reviewed the driveway plans and discussed whether a sprinkler should be requested, then realized there was already a sprinkler company listed on the plans.

Ricky Hippler moved to approve the driveway, lot 411-14.2, as designed, with a 50’ turnaround at the building; Tim Maskiell seconded, all voted in favor.

Driveway Extension – Winslow: 1000’ @ 196 Upper Craney Hill Road, Map 401/41: The Board would like to see the drawings with the Planning Board’s stamp of approval for more information. Chairman Osborne said he will put this on the agenda for the next meeting.

Dave Hewey moved to postpone this driveway extension, lot 401/41, with a better drawing and stamp from the Planning Board; Ricky Hippler seconded, all voted in favor.

Minutes: Ricky Hippler moved to accept the April 9, 2012 minutes as written; Dave Hewey seconded, all voted in favor.

III. OTHER BUSINESS:

Discussion about BC/BS: The Board had a discussion about whether to drop their contract with Blue Cross/Blue Shield and save approximately \$100 for each transport using BC/BS for insurance. Chairman Osborne said he had received a letter from Mike Emerson from the billing company dated March of 2011, regarding setting the rates. Chief explained that because there is a current contract with BC/BS, we accept their process. If there isn’t a signed contract, they will pay more, but it may be to the patient and not directly to the fire department. The problem with that is the patient may not pay the fire department directly. Ricky suggested tabling the discussion until they can have a joint work session with the Board of Selectmen. Chairman Osborne will speak with the Town Administrator to set up a meeting in the next couple of weeks.

Chief Vezina, Driveways: Chief Vezina presented the Board with driveway specifications and requirements, including a diagram of vehicle turning radius. The Board feels this is good information and they will present it to the Planning Board to put in the contractor package. Chief Vezina said he will meet with Tim Redmond and ask him to come to the next meeting to be part of this discussion.

IV. ADJOURNMENT: As there was no further business to come before the Board, Tim Maskiell moved to adjourn at 7:30 pm, Ricky Hippler all voted in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Sheila Savaria
Recording Secretary