

Road Review Committee
11/15/2006

Attending: Don Drew, Ron Perro, David Woodsome, Jon Tufts, Fred Fay and
Committee Secretary, Nancy Roberge

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM

The first order of business was to change the meetings from twice per month to once per month every first Wednesday of the month. It was unanimously decided.

The minutes from the November 1, 2006 meeting were approved.

Fred Fay mentioned that he purchased 150 tons of salt today.

Star Hill Road: No tree work has been completed as of yet. Fred believes that recent rain storms have prevented any work from being completed.

It was mentioned that Route 5 (near Limerick line) where the new church is being constructed is a mess with the work that is being done. Jon asked Fred if they could recommend they spread rocks, but Fred indicated that there was nothing he could do because it is a state road.

David asked if anything had been done with providing a list of all the private and public roads in town, nothing has been done due to the manpower that is involved to compile the list.

Fred suggested that private roads should be designated with blue road signs and the public roads have the green signs. David suggested bringing this up with the Selectmen and also asked if the town would have to pay for them. Fred commented that green road signs cost approximately \$25.00 each. David recommended that if townspeople put in private roads, it should be part of the process with the planning board that the townspeople pay for the blue road signs.

Fred reported that he had to ask more people to move their vehicles on Bennett Hill Road due to the inability of getting the trucks through.

Jon asked the committee how would they go about bringing up the recommendation for the blue road signs for private roads. It was mentioned, at one time the Selectmen used to have council meetings and the purpose of these council meetings was to meet with all the committees and talk about recommendations such as the road signs. It was mentioned that these council meetings would be very beneficial to the various committees. It was suggested that the recommendation to re-establish the council meetings should be

brought up with the Selectmen but open the meetings to all members of committees rather than just the chairmen.

The next meeting will be held on December 6th at 7:00 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM

Respectfully Submitted:
Nancy Roberge,
Committee Secretary