

MINUTES *approved minutes*

Board of Selectmen Meeting: May 18, 2017

Present: Frank Emig, David Goodwin, Jim Jennison, Ed Babneau

Open Meeting: 6:00PM

Public: Dave Thurber, Glenn Elsseser

There was general discussion of bids submitted for paving on Crane Brook Road. Bids ranged from \$330,000 to \$380,000. It was noted \$356,000 has been budgeted for the project this year which needs to also cover installation of two cross pipes which was bid separately. The successful cross pipe bidder has not committed. There was consensus to move to next lowest bid at approximately \$36,000 plus pipe cost of \$10,000.

The low bid for paving came from Springfield Paving represented at this meeting by Dave Thurber. Mr. Thurber discussed ways to bring the bid within budget including working with other contractors and eliminating chloride application.

Motion DG/JJ to drop chloride application, passed. Motion DG/JJ to engage Springfield Paving, passed.

Springfield Paving will submit detailed contract for signing at the Board's next meeting. EB will contact cross pipe contractors to secure commitment. There was consensus in support of EB's preference to have paving include entire intersection.

Meeting adjourned: 6:20PM; Respectfully, Kathi Bradt.