

ARPA COMMITTEE MEETING TUESDAY, JULY 11, 2023 AT 9:00AM

Present: Bob Best, Ellen Fox, Oscar Roberts, Denise Daigle, Robert Tetreault, Joanne Guyette-Worth

Joanne called the meeting to order at 9:08AM

Denise made a motion to recommend to the selectboard to award the town garage addition to Tetreault Lumber at a cost not to exceed \$178,000.00, excluding heat, seconded by Joanne. Some discussion followed and Robert answered concerns the committee had. This passed on a voice vote. Denise made a motion to recommend to the board the total cost of this project, including heat and possible unforeseen issues, to not exceed \$212,000.00 for the total project, seconded by Joanne and passed on a voice vote.

Joanne made a motion to recommend to the selectboard to award the recycling center building to Jim Daigle Construction at a cost not to exceed \$94,850.00, excluding power from the pole or to the power panel, seconded by Bob Best. Some discussion followed. This passed on a voice vote with Denise abstaining from the vote. Joanne made a motion to recommend to the board the total cost of this project, including the power and possible unforeseen issues, to not exceed \$104,850.00 for the total project, seconded by Bob and passed on a voice vote, with Denise abstaining.

Bob made a motion to recommend to the selectboard installing a gate on Watermelon Lane at a place where Mike Baraw deems necessary at a cost not to exceed \$4,200.00, seconded by Ellen and passed on a voice vote. The board discussed a fence at the upper reservoir. This was tabled until Mike Baraw could be present and explain exactly where this will be located.

Joanne made a motion to recommend to the selectboard an amount not to exceed \$115,000.00 for property records to be imaged and put on line, seconded by Ellen and passed on a voice vote.

Voted to adjourn at 10:35AM.