## **MEETING TRANSCRIPTION AUGUST 24, 2020**

## MB – Mayor Barrett; TC – Trustee Crary; TM – Trustee McComb; TR – Trustee Rudes; CO – Crystal O'Brien; RB – Roger Blanchard; BH – Bobbie Hoover, Guest.

All: I pledge allegiance to the flag, of the United States of America, and to the Republic, for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible with Liberty and justice for all.

MB: We'll begin with a motion to accept the regular meeting minutes from August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Do I have a motion? Letty. Do I have a second?

MC: Second.

MB: Mark Crary. Any discussion or corrections? Hearing none may I have a motion to accept the meeting minutes from 8/10 2020. All in favor say "aye"

ALL: Aye

MB: Opposed? I see now so I will vote yes as well. Public comment. Hearing nothing so we'll move along. We will now have the report of public works. Roger, if you would like to go ahead. RB: OK last month we were picking up limbs and stuff from storms, work on sidewalk getting ready for paving, mow and trim grass as needed, shoulder work here but won't be doing a lot of that until next month, I have close beach on here, that may end up going into September. I'm not sure when the beach is being closed.

MB: Early next week.

RB: Okay, well, it might go into next month. Garbage and recyclables, getting Black Bear ready for paving, we replaced the culvert on Elm Lake Road, we are always checking on the dirt section making sure it's all good and we fix potholes. Next month: pave the sidewalk, mow and trim grass as needed, ditches, shoulder work, garbage and recyclables, Pave Black Bear Run, haul winter sand, work on Elm Lake Road, haul in item four for culvert work, and ready trucks for winter. Next 60 days, roadside ditching, we'll be doing a lot of that in the fall, playground work which it's pretty much done now we got to head of ourselves a little bit and we got a lot of that done. Shoulder work on the roads, especially the new paved road, dirt sections of Elm Lake Road, dress trucks for winter, garbage and recyclables, pickup benches, trash cans, etc. Clean ditches along the roadside and cut hanging brush along roads, we always will be doing that. Six months, same, pave Black Bear Run, haul in item four, order stock culverts, look into specs for new pickup. Our dump truck did come in July. We've got that all licensed and, on the road, and it's working, we just have to get it lettered and Casey is going to do that at the end of August or early September because he has been so busy. Also, pave the sidewalk. Tracy asked me about the Chalet sign, we have that ordered. It's down by the water department and the sign got knocked over. We did order one, but the aluminum was on back order, but I guess someone had called and asked about it.

MB: So, I understand with the shoulder work and cutting the sides we haven't been doing that, correct?

RB: We mowed every road.

MB: We did. But the ditching?

RB: The ditching, we do it a little bit as needed but we don't have time in the summer to do it. MB: How much longer do we have Ryan Marshall?

RB: That's a good question. Last I knew he said until the end of August, but he said he had more painting to do in a few more rooms so that is entirely up to you guys. He's willing to do that a couple nights during the week, even when he goes back work school. But he said that's up to you guys.

MB: So, we'll have to see what is in the budget. So right now, the painting that he's completed in here is this room, the hallway, the clerk's office, and the mayor's office, correct? RB: Yes.

MB: And so, the rooms that he would do?

RB: The map room and the storage room. I don't know he can do the storage room or not, but he said that that ceiling in that little vestibule in that room, before Crystal's room, he said he had to do that. I think going in toward the bathroom, he has to do that.

MB: So, it's minimal.

RB: Yes. Most is just to match the ceiling, I believe.

KS: I'm just curious and I may be in the wrong spot, maybe it's not the village but on Rt 8 there's been a something that sticks out and I'm kind of worried about that.

MB: There was a leak this spring, so the land itself, the property owner has been fixed but the road cannot be fixed until the state comes through. So, the State is coming to do the sidewalks after Labor Day so it's my hope that they would do that.

KS: There's just so much traffic this year.

MB: So maybe we can remind DOT.

TM: I would like to thank whoever it was in your Department that moved the pile of dirt that was in the parking area because we had about 50 cars that drove in there and that allowed for more parking and they will be doing that again on September 15<sup>th</sup>.

RB: I think he puts it there so he can fix the road in certain spots.

TM: Right but it can use up the whole parking area.

RB: If something like that happens just let us know and we can move it because he just puts it there in different places but if they are in the way just let us know.

MB: That was on the 16<sup>th</sup>? The 15<sup>th</sup>. Alright, if you could just let him know. Alright does anyone have any additional comments for Roger.

TC: I have a question for Roger. Roger, a little road that the water well is on, you just called that Chalet Rd.

RB: No, the Chalet Rd is the road down next to the Jack Wolfe's old house. It's one of the roads going back into the cabins there. I think it's the first one just after the Black Bear Run. TC: OK

RB: There used to be a sign there just said Chalet Drive and it got knocked down.

TC: But speaking of the road to the water well, I was in there early this spring several times to go to the brush pit. Are there any plans to upgrade that a little bit? It seems to be a nasty shape in the spring. It's not so bad in the summertime when it's dry. I don't know if you had thought about that at all.

RB: We rake it now and then but that's actually a town road but I mean I'm sure Randy would have anything against us filling potholes and upgrading it a little bit, but I can talk to him maybe he can do a little bit of work do it.

TC: I'm sure you've noticed his little mushy there in April and early May. And it seems to me that's a vitally important access road.

RB: I can talk to Randy and maybe we can figure something out.

TC: Alright great.

TM: I wanted to mention because someone had mentioned to me, I understand there were some people who were having a hard time finding a clean spot to put their blankets because of all the geese excrement. I guess it was quite a difficult situation and then last Wednesday there were people who were struggling to find a spot that was clean enough to either eat your pizza or your hot dog so now that food is being brought down there or served down there and having a hard time finding a spot that's clean. I don't know what the answer to that is.

MB: They have been a problem everywhere.

TM: But we didn't talk this year at the beginning of the season about previous contracts that we have for geese elimination of different options. The string works out great for the ones that walk in but the ones that fly in that doesn't work.

TR: Do they do anything up here at the Lake Pleasant Golf Course?

TM: I don't know. I do not know.

TR: They must have the problem as well.

TM: It isn't close enough to the water.

TC: The golf course has a flock of about 40 geese, and they tried to herd geese with a golf cart, and it doesn't work so well.

MB: I know that the school fields are getting a lot of geese. When they're not down at the lake they're up there. If you can check with Hamilton Lake to see what they have done. It's a huge issue.

RB: Yes, I can give them a call.

MB: Alright, if there's nothing else for Roger, thank you.

RB: Thank you.

MB: So now the clerk-treasurer's report.

CO: Village elections are just about three weeks away. As of today, there's, fingers crossed, been no change postponement or additional executive orders regarding Village elections so hopefully we'll see, it will go on with this election as planned.

TR: Is that the 15<sup>th</sup>?

CO: Yes, September 15<sup>th</sup>. I do have to put an additional notice in the paper next week and the notices go up around the village.

MB: There will be flyers hung in prominent areas of the Village.

CO: Well, it is required. It will cover the majority of the Village.

MB: And just to clarify about absentee ballots?

CO: Absentee ballots that we've already received will be counted in the election. I have somebody come in and decide that they want to come vote in person they can do that. Their absentee ballot it will just be void. I do have a webinar this webinar coming up on Wednesday for clarification on what needs to be done before election. Just some more details so I will be doing that as well. Hopefully I'm fingers crossed that we're going to get through this this time. The NYCOM's fall training school has gone completely viral or virtual this year and is scheduled for three days of the week instead of the full week. With this they reduced the price of registration to \$99 per person so I'm really hoping that Tracy will be able to register so she can do some of the webinars as well. I found them really helpful last year and I think she'll find

them just as helpful for her position as deputy. And then Jeanette was also, since she missed the spring conference, she was hoping to, yes, it was cancelled, she was looking to also register for this one. Additionally, ONC has they originally cancelled their accounting schools for this year or going to be having and then they just sent out a notice that they were going to have them all online. In budget preparation I had put away like I budgeted enough for one of the government accounting courses but since the reduction of the NYCOM school I was hoping that I'd be able to take both of these and the advanced. I think it would really just help with everything that pertains to my treasurer side of the job. We would still stay well under the budget about for, we budgeted \$1,700 for the fall training school and then \$150 for extra schooling so we would be well under that at around \$500 if Tracy and I both do that. Actually, less than that if Tracy and I both do the NYCOM training school and then if I do both accounting schools. I was originally calculating Jeannette's into that as well but then I remembered hers goes on the card. Two weeks ago, actually just after about the last meeting, the beach had their inspection. We were in violation for the no swimming while there's no lifeguard on duty, sign. Apparently, it wasn't properly worded so Casey actually helped me out and he had one aluminum sign left for the size that we needed to have to be within the regulations and he got that done within a week for us and then I can put it up at the beach. I think it was actually like 4 davs.

MB: It's the size of the letters.

CO: So, it was the actual wording. The wording had to say "No lifeguard on duty. Swimming prohibited". The other sign said something about maybe "no swimming when lifeguard not on duty" so it was close but not the right wording. The inspector said it was fine to add wording, so I added, "Beach Closed". It had to be a certain size it had to be 32 inches by 24 inches and the lettering has to be at least 2 inches in height, so he did a really good job with that and actually Ryan helped put hooks on the back of the chair so we could hang it on the back of the chair in the evening after the lifeguards are done. That brings me on to my next thing. Unfortunately, we did have to close the beach. The lifeguards actually found out that they both had to get tested again before they go to school and one of them goes to school out in Buffalo so she was planning, they were planning to stay open for the rest of the week and but with having to be tested and she has to get her results before she can start school. So, she had to go back today in order to be tested today and get her results before she starts. So, unfortunately, the beach had to close early.

MB: It has been really rough beach season this year.

CO: It has been a really rough beach season this year. I had them pull the buoys but had them leave the chair so that the signage could all stay there.

MB: OK any comments or questions for Crystal? And Tracy is working out well? She's been here almost a month?

CO: Yes, she's picked everything up really quickly and she's great with people.

MB: I know the next three weeks are going to be busy with the elections. OK so everyone has had an opportunity to review the financial report which we do monthly, so I'd like the motion to approve the financial report #2.

MB: Karen, 2<sup>nd</sup>?

TR: Second.

MB: Letty, second. Any questions or comments? All in favor of approving financial report #2 say "aye".

ALL: Aye

MB: All opposed say no. Motion carries. Then a motion to approve abstract #6.

TR: So, moved.

MB: Letty. Second?

TD: Second.

MB: Mark Crary. All in favor say "aye".

ALL: Aye

MB: Opposed? Motion carries. Old business. It was pointed out to us after the last meeting that although we had approved the water and wastewater fees, we forgot to include a calculation for the return trip of the men taking the underground boring machine. So, what we have done is we calculated how much time and effort it cost to go up there and get the free machine and we forgot to put in how much time and effort is to actually return the machine. So that actually comes to \$750 instead of what we had originally planned that it was \$450 and so I would like a motion to correct the boring machine to cover the costs of retrieving it and returning it to be set at \$750.

TC: So moved.

MB: Mark Crary. Second?

TM: I'm not familiar with the whole scenario so I'm hesitating to second.

MB: What we did, Karen, is at the last meeting we went through and looked at all the water **phase P** schedules. How much is the cost for hook up because this had not been done since 2009. What we did is we calculated the manpower that was required, the equipment required, the resources as well as 20% since we seem to be doing it for 20 years. TM: This is for the water hook up.

MB: Right, correct. There are two ways to do road crossings. One is to cut out the asphalt, so you have to have a saw for that, the other way is to bore underground which is what they have done on Elliot Lane. which is nice if you hopefully know that there aren't any rocks under there. In that situation is much cheaper than cutting through the road we are able to share the equipment with Indian Lake, the issue is you have to send two men and a truck to get it and so that's up and back and then you have to return it with two men and a truck so the machine itself doesn't cost anything but it's actually the manpower that's required to do that. And we had miscalculated for the return trip. So, I would still look for a second to confirm that the road crossing for use of boring machine is \$750.

TM: I'll second that.

MB: all in favor say "aye".

ALL: Aye

MB: Opposed? Motion carries to correct that fee. That will be posted OK. The next is the COVID-19 update and I will share that, so you'll be able to see it on that screen. This is what's

been happening in the counties so as you can see, we're seeing that slight increase in progression so Hamilton counties on the far left. We're now up to 16 cases. That I'll go into in a moment. Essex County is growing steadily. Fulton and Warren have the most cases with over 300. Herkimer is fastest growing County with the number of cases, so they are up to about 275 cases. So, these are the PUI's as of last Tuesday. So PUI's are patients under investigation. Last week as well as this week we have about 10 or 11 people who are under quarantine. We have a few patients who are in isolation precaution of being exposed to COVID or have positive COVID. At present the patients currently hospitalized are two, based on reports out of Raquette Lake there were three people from out of state and came up camping three of them turned out to be positive, two of them were taken to the hospital with pretty serious complications of COVID in addition the EMS who transported those people were not using proper PPE so that that created a whole issue. Within Speculator/Lake Pleasant our EMS is fully stocked with PPE, thankfully, all the protocols we use with every call is to make sure that they recovered and sprayed down and things like that, so, we're well placed for that. We have quarantine travelers so again the Department of Health is collecting information from flying travelers at airports so we're running anywhere between 130 and 175 people under guarantine from that. The number of tests we are continuing to do the appropriate number of tests. So the positive tests to date are 16, as I said, this was the first incidents within the last two weeks. There was a birthday party/gathering 2 positive people came in from outside the County and it resulted in three additional positive COVID cases in Hamilton County, one of the positives went to a hair salon and that hair salon was not using the appropriate procedures and exposed another 20 clients after that positive case 30 people have been tested, they all came back negative which was great. Then the next testing clinic is August 25th and then again, we have the three additional cases from Raquette Lake, bringing our total up to 16. These are the future testing that's going to be available. Most of them will be schools, all school children will be required to be tested as well as staff. Lake Pleasant will be tested on September 9<sup>th</sup>. There will be a Wells community testing tomorrow and the next time it's in Speculator or Lake Pleasant Courthouse is September 22<sup>nd</sup>. If you wish to be tested, you know someone who should be tested, please call public health and make an appointment and they will do that. They also have additional resources to allow for more testing than they had done previously which is great. So, it was 50 at any given time and now they are, I believe they're going up to 100. So that really helps. In addition to COVID-19 update we're still going through with the elections. There's been no changes the open meeting law. Extension is through the 1st week of September. We haven't heard anything in addition to that, so I think it's kind of quieting down, I hope. FEMA: we have both the emergency Halloween storm update we have put in all of our categories now, so we've been reimbursed for the debris. They have our emergency work that they are in the process of signing off on. We have successfully completed all of our virtual inspections which was no small ordeal. So that is the Marion Ave culvers and as well as mitigating things that they're going to do by adding more riffraff, shoring up some things. We are awaiting approval from the US core of engineers for that because you're working in a waterway and any DEC and APA permits. I don't think we need an APA permit, but Lenny is

getting all those letters whether we need permits or not. Then the third one is the pump station 2 that is tilted. All three of those are complete which is a huge accomplishment. We should be progressing that hopefully. Any questions on that?

TR: We are getting 25%?

MB: It's 75%. So, they have not committed to that yet. This is the first FEMA storm catastrophe up here that they haven't committed to. So, they haven't said flat out that they won't do it but they haven't committed that they are. And the mitigation is being covered 100% by FEMA which is great. We do have a FEMA project that was accepted for COVID so we will be able to put in any COVID related expenses with regards to PPE, cleaning materials, any extra costs that we have had to pay. For example, we've put on postings in the newspaper, we put in postings on the website, we've had additional signage at the beach, in the park, and all those things will be allowed to be captured. In addition, Mason was not able to be a lifeguard because he never able to get a fully certified, but we kept him on as a beach monitor which was required by New York State. His salary will be covered 75% and then portions of Ryan's time. So whatever Ryan has done that specifically related to COVID like increased bathroom cleaning frequencies and those types of things are being separated out in his hours to be able to apply for that. Usually there is an end date and end date for disasters in this case they have the beginning date in March it's open ended. They have suggested the minimum requirement that we have is \$3500 to file with and we have exceeded that and then we can just keep adding to that as needed or as our expenses commit. We've ensured that we have a sufficient number of masks and cleaning things on hand so that we can progress.

TR: Nothing available for Not-for-Profit.

MB: Really?

TR: Nope.

MB: Verizon small cell; we're still waiting tribal approval. Just as an FYI the tribe that we are awaiting approval from the **Wyannotte tribe** for those of you who have Indian history I will give a quarter to anyone who can name what tribe they're associated with. I was thinking Blackhawk myself or Mohawk myself but it's Iroquois that they're associated with. That's your history lesson for today. Fire tower: we are submitting some of the expenses that we've had again the DEC had been on hold giving out grants. We've been told that we can submit our expenses. The one outstanding thing that we have, and I'm still waiting to hear back from DEC, is that we still owe Mr. Vilegi \$35,000 in the down payment. DEC is telling us that we have to put that up front and then they would reimburse us. So, I want to make sure when that reimbursement will happen so that we'll get it in a timely manner rather than being on the hook for a long time. So, I'd like to hold off on progressing with that until we hear back from the DEC.

TM: He's been very patient. We did get the opportunity to meet.

MB: Right, yes! He said that he met you.

TM: Yes, we had a very nice conversation. He is so delighted that we are taking this fire tower. I'm not going to say that his patience is indefinite.

MB: No, because he has some issues that he does need to get paid, so I would like to see it sooner rather than later. He's really very enthusiastic, another point of interest is that we do need to have someone in the village step forwarding to fund raising. Just by way of reminder we do have the \$100,000 DEC grant. We have \$10,000 from the Adirondack foundation leaving us \$20,000 to raise. Which is pretty nominal but it's challenging in this in this period of time. There are two people, when I need to confirm that, two people have come forward saying "yes we would like to do that" and Mr. Vilegi as well as Karen Rankin from New York State Fire Tower are very interested in having a kickoff meeting to talk about the history of the fire tower. We had originally planned that with the author of I think you know him, Letty, so he is cancelled any in person presentations, but I think that we can get other folks and if he's willing to do it by zoom and we project him on a large screen we should be able to do that. Hopefully will be able to kick off and finish by next summer, get interactive. So that's the fire tower. Any other old business? The last bit of old businesses is I have reached out for LED lights. I have spoken with National Grid about the lights and their cost for converting the bulbs, so not us buying them, but National Grid converting them, it would cost us approximately 23-24 hundred dollars to change out the bulbs to new LEDs, but then on the backside we would get incentives of approximately \$5200 for converting to LED streetlights. So, we would be ahead approximately \$2500 dollars \$2600. Joe **Cologne** from National Grid is sending over the details because we had asked him about opportunities to change the wattage on the lights. We want to make sure that the roster of lights is correct. I know, Karen, you had done that with Roger in the past so if you would be willing, I would ask you to just reconfirm because we have shut down a couple of lights in the in the meantime, to make sure those are correct. Then Mr. Pallone says that the lights will shine more downward than the lights we have now that shine into people's windows. Although they are able to put up shields that would block light going into people's homes if that's desired and of course as we go through the inventory if there are lights that are out, they need to be turned on and the opposite if there are lights that really should be turned off, we can have that opportunity to correct that. Once that comes in next week, Karen, I'll forward that to you, and I'll have you take that over. We do have a resolution today. If you will recall everything has been put off with COVID and so we have not had our organizational meeting because we were delayed. So, what has come to light now, is that during that organizational meeting as part of it we have a resolution to approve attendance at schools and conferences. So, what I've asked here is to put together a resolution to address and approve the attendance at schools and conferences because that will happen very shortly after the election which is when we usually have our organization meeting. So, whereas an organizational meeting which is normally scheduled for the 1st Board of Trustee meeting following the elections was postponed due to COVID pandemic and the executive orders delaying the Village elections until September 2020, and whereas the Village board of the trustees must adopt a resolution for attendance at schools and conferences. Whereas this is going to be held in the coming year at the New York State training for city and village officials in training school conducted by the New York conference of mayors and the government basic and advanced accounting classes provided by the office of the state Comptroller. Whereas it's determined by the village board

of trustees that attendance by certain municipal officials and employees at one or more of these meetings or conferences benefits the community therefore be it resolved that the expenses incidental to these conferences will be paid by the Village of Speculator including mileage room and board and registration fees. As Crystal has said these fees have been dramatically reduced by virtual attendance. There won't be mileage, there won't be room and board, which would be great. Then they start taking place the second half of September. TM: Why does this have to be in the form of a resolution?

MB: It's according to municipal law. It's done every year during the organization meeting and it's actually included as a resolution when we do all that huge stuff.

TM: Question #2: is it open ended or do each municipal employee when you have a different school to attend, have to ask for approval to attend. This is very open ended. This means that any other any school or any conference or anything that tells during the year, you're entitled to go to because we approved that.

CO: She does list the schools that are included.

MB: It's listed the New York Conference of Mayors virtual fall training school, the training school for the Conference of Mayors and then the accounting classes, so they are specified.

CO: If there was anything else that came up, I would bring it to you.

KM: Another board I was on we had to approve each individual one.

MB: If there were ones in addition to these then we would do resolutions and get approval. These are all budgeted in our in our training.

TM: I figured that they would be budgeted, I didn't realize that the specifics were listed.

MB: May I have a motion to accept the resolution as written?

TM: I'll make a motion.

MB: 2<sup>nd</sup>?

TR: Second.

MB: Letty. Then all in favor say "aye"

ALL: Aye

MB: Opposed say, no? Mark Donecker is absent. So, the motion passes. Is there any other new business? Okay, hearing none, Round table; I did want to bring up we had our annual consolidated health meeting so the Village and the town of Lake Pleasant and Doctor Parslow from Nathan Littauer get together once a year and there is a budget that comes out of Lake Pleasant in the amount of about \$60,000. So, we had a meeting earlier and we went through to determine where those monies would go, and I thought it would benefit us to understand where those monies go. So, what we have is this case for GAVAC, so that's the advanced life support that that we do we pay the consolidated health pays for approximately \$48,000 of that. Last year we started Camp of the Woods very generously donated the fourth quarter payment. They will be unable to do that this year under the given circumstances. There's also an annual contract that we pay to Nathan Littauer and that's in the amount of \$4500. There is also BTI for the black fly treatment. So, that is not only the product but it's the licenses and paying for the administration which leads me to my second point there is a BTI position open. There may even be 2 positions open. If you know of anyone who would be interested in that position. It

pays anywhere between \$1,000 and \$1200 for the season. In addition to that, they provide some monies for health activities within the town and village. Last year they gave some money for pickleball equipment, they've set aside about \$1000 this year, they have not yet determined what that is, and then based on a generous donation of \$10,000 they'll be using that to refurbish the floors in the Primary Care Center. Lastly, we put in for a Northern Borders grant for the wastewater treatment plant. We have been rejected again. We would like to try again since we're in a different situation now and it never hurts to keep trying and in addition, we'd like to try again for Bike paths with Northern Borders. Oak Mountain has put in an extensive trail that is drawing people in. We continue to be in conversations with the DEC over recreation management plans to see what we can do. We had evaluated Brister Brook in the past but due to the logging from lime timber what had been put in a number of years ago was really decimated and it's after evaluation with Randy and Roger and few bike trail specialists, they said it was impossible to bring it back. So, what we're looking at, we have identified 2 trails that would actually connect the tree farm, our nature trail, and Oak Mountain and connect it to a path that would take us from four corners all the way to the Moffit's Beach. Right now, the only way that you can get to Moffett's Beach is to walk on Rt 8. There are no trails. There are two 2 pathways and have been identified we put that before the DEC. They should be coming back with their management plan hopefully draft by December and we should be able to get the thumbs up to be able to progress with that. I realize that there were day passes there's one that goes through the main gates that would connect to Rt 8 and there's one that would be farther up and go more towards the state lands to the north. We would certainly advocate people doing their day passes as required by the state but thank you. Then the last connection working with the town of Lake pleasant is to make sure that trails are in shape between Fawn Lake and Piseco airport. There you get a huge pathway that people can really enjoy mountain biking and if I understand correctly from the O'Brien's they had a lot of interest, lot of participation building the trails, using the trails already that they would have opened to the public and at our next meeting I'll provide you with two papers that have been written in other areas showing how it is significantly improved the economic development of towns and villages by bringing in these bike paths and bringing these folks who can use those trails. Those trails would be multi use so not only bikes, but you can hike them, you can cross country, and snowshoe. It's one of the additional requirements. That's all I have my part anybody like to bring anything up from a round table perspective? OK, public comment? BH: One thing I wanted to say.

MB: If you could just say your name for the recording.

BH: Bobbie Hoover. I just wanted to say that the testing for staff and students isn't mandatory.

## MB: Oh, it's not mandatory?

BH: The Health Department is suggesting and they're doing it themselves, not through the school. They will be at school doing it in the parking lot I guess, but it's not mandated.MB: They are having policies and I don't have them before me so I can't speak to them but there are policies that there saying if there are kids who are showing signs and symptoms

they'll be tested or they'll be required to get tested before coming in. I know in other regions they are having mandatory testing before you're starting.

BH: We're going to have someone on every bus taking temperatures when the kids get on the bus in the morning and the parents you know when the parents bring them in there will be somebody in front of the building to do that.

MB: It is added steps. Hopefully people will continue to comply with the distancing, the masks as appropriate, the sanitizing, I did send out a letter last week that you all received just reminding you we're into now almost are six months of this and it gets very tiring and when we hear 16 cases, oh that's nothing, but 16 cases can very rapidly spread, and vaccines should be available by the end of the year. There are some good candidates.

BH: Actually, I think I'm losing weight because I get halfway to the store and remember my mask or halfway to the post office.

MB: I think the majority of people who come and visit, and locals are adhering to that but we're very blessed to be in an area that we can walk down the street and not have masks on. When we get to Metropolitan areas people are jogging with masks and biking with masks and I just think that that would be horrific. I like it up here. If there are no other public comments, we'll close that, and we will be going into executive session to discuss Moose Creek Holding notice of claim. So, thank you, Bobby, for coming. If I can have a motion to go into executive session.

TR: So moved.

MB: Second?

TM: Second.

MB: And we will stop the recording.

MB: Now we back in regular session, so we will put a motion on the table regarding Moose Creek Holdings that we will revert to our insurance company if a lot is bought, we will terminate the services of the lawyer that we have today, Mr. Schopf, who's done a great job, but we will terminate and have everything goes through???? Do we have a motion for that?

TR: So moved.

MB: Second?

TM: Second.

MB: All in favor say "aye"?

ALL: Aye.

MB: Opposed? Motion carries. Letty, would you like to make your motion?

TR: I make a motion we adjourn.

TM: Second.

MB: All in favor say "aye"?

ALL: Aye

MB: Have a good evening!