TOWN OF FRENCHBORO

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Selectboard Meeting Minutes January 17th 2020 6:00pm

Meeting called to order at 12:45pm by C. Hodgkins

- I. Approval of Minutes
 - Motion by J. Lunt to approve the minutes from December 18th, second by C. Hodgkins. **Motion Passed**
- II. Old Business
 - a. Bond- The town has a bond, with \$2600.00 left to pay on it. We pay \$100 dollars a month. Daniel has requested we have a warrant article to see if the town will approve us paying it off early. **Motion** by S. Brake to create an article in the 2020 town report to see if the town will allow us to pay the bond off early. Second by C. Hodgkins. **Motion passed**
 - b. Residents of the town have approached S. Brake with the idea of adding some sort of play structure (pirate ship) near the basketball courts. This would allow a place for younger children to be during school hours, as well as it can serve as a place for children to go when there is a town event at the municipal building. This is an idea the board would love to move forward with and will add an article in the town report of it.
 - c. Payroll- The payroll service is still halted until the school is on board.
 - d. The board began discussing budget. This year with our new treasurer we feel confident we can make more informed decisions. These talks will continue the next few months.
 - e. Floats- We have had a concerned citizen come to the board about the floats, and the pin that can come undone and make them uneven. The board has also discussed the possibilities of new floats. Board members will gather quotes to see the cost of building a new one.
 - f. Tax maps need to be updated. We also need to add the old FFDC land to the maps with map and lot numbers
 - g. FFDC Land- The land has been transferred to the town. After discussing with the board it seems the best way to go is to have soil test done on all of the land the is available to sell, as well as having them marked so that when we do show the land we can give a clear idea of their boundaries.
 - h. The furnace in the municipal building has been out. We thought it was because the fuel ran out (the gages did not work properly) then it was a pump. Kevin Lunt ordered the part we need and D. Dunphy will have someone help him install it.



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- i. Dakota Dunphy needs to have surgery again. Cody Lunt and Logan Watson will be he replacements for any plowing needs.
- III. New Business
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Warrant- Motion to approve both warrants dated 1/15/2020 by S. Brake, second by C. Hodgkins. Motion Passed

- IV. Mail
- V. Next Meeting; TBA

MOTION by C. Hodgkins to adjourn at 1:28pm, second by J. Lunt. Motion passed

