Town of Webster Shared Services

Shared Services Meeting Notes January 22, 2015

Members attending: Ken Ross-Raymond and Joe Schmidl from Salisbury, and Bruce Johnson and Paul King from Webster.

Plow Blades – Paul shared work he did with Road Agents when working with Jordan Equipment. He suggested we work towards pulling together purchase orders for snowplow edges, grader edges, and similar equipment, purchase in bulk, and deliver in bulk, for a lesser cost. Paul will start contacting Road Agents from neighboring towns.

Assessing – Discussion on finding other towns to join the Salisbury/Webster Cross Country contract.

Emergency Management – Ken asked that Salisbury and Webster work together on the Reverse 911 calls whenever needed. The expectation would be that whenever there is an emergency that includes opening either the Salisbury or Webster Safety Buildings, that one town would contact the other for similar information, and then contact Reverse 911 to include both towns on the same call.

Salaries and Performance Evaluations – Bruce to contact New Hampshire Municipal Association to request seminars or webinars on salary schedules and performance evaluations.

Warrant Article on Education Funding – Bruce shared an update on the Warrant Article on Education Funding. There appears to be about 20 cities, towns, school districts where the warrant article will be included at annual meeting, 20 cities, towns, school districts who have responded with "no", and another 20 still asking questions.

Flood Control – Discussion on HB 176 which will be discussed next Tuesday. This relates to State reimbursement of the flood control money that has yet been paid to towns.

The next meeting will be on Thursday, March 26, 6:30 p.m., in Webster. Agenda items include updates for all of the above, as well as any new business that may come before the committee.

Submitted by: Bruce Johnson Webster Selectman

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