Approved

Town of Randolph office of the selectmen

MINUTES OF MEETING June 9, 2025

Members Present: Paul Jadis, John Turner and Michele Cormier Bill Demers, Paul Kenison, and Linda Dupont

The meeting began at 6:00 pm

Vouchers were reviewed and signed.

* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *

Paul Jadis stated, the repeater project is moving forward, set the tower's height at 50 feet. Michele Cormier noted the town has not received or signed an updated MOU with a retirement plan of the tower if it were no longer necessary. Paul Jadis will contact Chief Cloutier for a revised MOU.

Michle Cormier added, the town could have a Public Meeting on the Repeater, is not necessary. It was decided to place an article in the Mountain View regarding the Project. Bill Demers added the Planning Board recommended the placement of a gate to restrict access.

Howie Wemyss has again requested the town become part of NH Clean Energy. The Board of Selectmen have stated they do not see the need several times. Paul Jadis requested Linda to send a response to Howie.

Michele Cormier has created a MOU for the end of Boothman Lane. The Board members will review and bring to the next meeting any additions or subtractions before sending to the land-owners for their input.

Michele Cormier recommended to pay a Code Officer \$75 per permit inspected and a \$1000 stipend a year. Paul Jadis stated that the residents do not like change and does not feel the town needs a Code Officer or pay for one. The Board agreed that a member of the board would be assigned a permit to monitor. Michele stated that the BOS members would need to make the commitment.

The Friends of the Library requested the Board support a Free Little Library within Randolph. Small book selections would be placed by the hiking trails, and other areas in town. Paul Jadis moved to support the Friends of the Library with this project. John Turner seconded. All agreed. Michele Cormier recused herself from voting as she is a member of the Friends of the Library.

Paul Jadis gave a report of the Forest Commission, noting Joel White will be addressing the Japanese Knotweed located on the Farrar Farm. Glyphosate-based herbicides are the most effective way to kill Japanese knotweed permanently, though it may take multiple applications over a few

years. Late summer or early autumn, after the plant has flowered, is the best time for application, as the herbicide is then transported to the roots.

Paul also reminded the Forest Commission will hold the Annual Day on June 17th at the Pond of Safety and on Thursday June 19th walk the Pond of Safety.

The Board received a letter from the Anne Kenison, Tax Collector stating an error was made and an abatement would be needed to correct it. Michele Cormier moved to abatement the error as requested. Paul Jadis seconded. All agreed.

The Board reviewed a bid from Tech Pros to update the town's computers to Windows 11 and replace the computers needed to comply. Michele Cormier moved to accept the bid. Paul Jadis seconded. All agreed.

The town has received one bid for crack sealing from NICOM, Paul Jadis and Paul Kenison met with NICOM and reviewed the area. Paul J. has appointments set up with other companies.

Rick Fournier noticed the Bucket on the Backhoe was getting cheesy and needed to be rebuilt or replaced. Case does not have replacement parts for the bucket and no longer provide that part. He presented the board with a estimate to build and replace the bucket at \$7000. Paul Jadis will call dealers to see if he can acquire different quotes.

Bill Demers commended Michele Cormier, Yvonne & Larry Jenkins for picking up the trash and tires from Pinkham B Road.

Michele Cormier moved to go into Non-Public session under RSA 91:A-3-2-E & RSA 91: A-3-2-C at 6:55 p.m. Paul Jadis seconded. All agreed.

John Turner YES	Michele Cormier YES	Paul Jadis YES	
Michele Cormier mov John Turner seconde		ession at 7:17 p.m. and seal the minu	ıtes.
John Turner YES	Michele Cormier YES	Paul Jadis YES	
The meeting adjourne	ed at 7:20 pm		
Randolph Board of Sele	ectmen		
Michele Cormier, Co-	-Chair John Turn	John Turner, Selectmen	

Paul A. Jadis, Co-Chair

Linda Dupont, Assistant to the Selectmen