

Greensboro Selectboard

January 24, 2017

Special Meeting – Minutes

SELECTBOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Peter Romans, Susan Wood, Sean Thomson

SELECTBOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Michael Lapierre, Judy Carpenter

OTHERS PRESENT: Valdine Hall, Josh Karp

CALLED TO ORDER: 5:50 PM

Town Meeting Warning

The Board signed the Town Meeting warning.

Parking at Recycling Center

Recently a car was parked in front of the recycling center, preventing a truck from backing up to the trailers in order to empty them. After discussion, the Board unanimously agreed that 'Do Not Block These Doors' signs will be put up. These signs won't be visible when the center is open to minimize confusion.

New Signs on Taylor and Garvin Hill Roads

In recent months, some tractor trailers heading to Hill Farmstead Brewery via Taylor Rd. have not made it up all the hills, causing major safety issues. Trucks going to Jasper Hill Farm via Garvin Hill Rd. have had a lesser degree of trouble.

In the interest of public safety and to help truckers who don't know local roads, the Selectboard had previously agreed that new signs should be put up at the beginning of Garvin Hill and Taylor Roads, requiring chain use by trucks over a certain weight limit. Dan put up the signs.

Andy Kehler expressed concern that chains are not always necessary and that requiring them in all circumstances inconveniences truckers. He added that recent winter road maintenance on Garvin Hill Rd. has not been as good as previous years. Peter will talk to Andy about his concerns.

Discussion; the Board agreed that the road liaisons will assess the signage for consistency and necessity, and explore options for pull-off areas for chain ups.

ADJOURNED: 6:20 PM

Respectfully Submitted: Josh Karp, Selectboard Clerk

AMENDED 2/14/17 J.K.