Minutes of the Roxbury Selectmen’s meeting March 4, 2019

In attendance: Selectmen Mark Funk, Tim O’Brien and Jim Rousmaniere; town moderator Marcy McStravick

The meeting opened at 5 p.m.

Marcy McStravick reported on the recent moderator training course that she attended. She proposed that the town ought to consider swearing in a moderator pro-tem in the event that the moderator is unable to attend to the office’s functions.

The selectmen discussed ways that are being used to get the word out regarding the March 12 school district vote regarding cost-sharing in the district. The steps include (a) a prominent article in the latest edition of the Roxbury Report, (b) a mailer to all households in the district, (c) advertisements in The Sentinel and the Monadnock Shopper, (d) signs to be placed in district towns encouraging a NO vote on Article 9 of the district warrant and (e) Mark Funk voicing a 60-second spot on local radio.

The selectmen discussed an upcoming meeting with state highway officials regarding the redesign of Houghton Ledge Road; the meeting will occur sometime this week.

The selectmen discussed a planned meeting March 25 with representatives of Avitar (the town’s [property appraiser) and state officials regarding a revaluation of properties in Roxbury this year. It was noted that the on-site work is expected to be completed by the end of August.

The selectmen prepared signage promoting the annual pre-town meeting pot luck supper.

The selectmen discussed an unauthorized removal of sand/salt from the salt shed. They discussed the idea of placing no-trespassing signage at the site.

There being no further business, Selectman Funk filled out the manifest, which was signed. The meeting adjourned at 6:20 p.m.