Minutes of the Roxbury Selectmen’s meeting March 25, 2019

In attendance: Selectmen Mark Funk, and Tim O’Brien

Discussed weight limits on Davis Road and that a resident maybe not adhering to the road being posted and also violating weight limits in general. Our Police Chief will be investigating as well as gathering information from other residents on the road.

There has been an issue with non-residents removing sand from our storage area. One person in particular has been identified and Our Police Chief is going to investigate whether a discussion with the individual is sufficient or an arrest warrant should be pursued.

US Corps of Engineers wants to put additional signs for Otter Brook dam at the 4 corners and in addition we would like to find out if our road agent can get access to the closed road from Davis road to the Otter Brook park area so that it would make it easier to access Houghton Ledge Road with heavy equipment. Selectman Funk will pursue that line of inquiry.

Granite Gorge owners would like $2,500 that the State will be paying for land to be directly applied to their taxes. This requires a letter to the State on our letter head which will be done by Selectmen O’Brien.

Concern about obvious tree cutting off of Branch Road without an intent to cut will be investigated by Selectman Funk.

Discussed setting up a 5 year plan for the roads and consider as well a way and when to put out bids for road maintenance.

The Selectmen responded to an election issue regarding eligibility to vote as 2 individuals were denied the right to vote on March 12th. One resident wrote a letter expressing disappointment and felt our election officials at the check in point were in error. Selectmen Funk called the Secretary of State and found that these 2 individuals could have voted if they filled out an affidavit. Selectman Funk reached out to the resident whom had written the letter and informed him of the results of our inquiry. In addition Selectman Funk spoke with the moderator who was unaware of the situation but will address the error and the law with the Supervisor of the check list and also reach out to the other individual who was denied.

Selectman Funk filled out the manifest and it was signed by the Selectmen.