

Alexandria Highway Advisory Committee

March 16, 2016 Minutes

Members Present: Dennis Ford, Ronald MacLean, Donald Beaulieu and Jeffrey Cantara

The meeting came to order at 6:00 p.m.

The committee discussed the leasing of new equipment and vehicles for the Highway Department and the wording of potential warrant articles for the items. Attached is a copy of the notes provided by Mr. Cantara on the quotes he has received for the truck and the backhoe.

For the truck, Mr. Cantara would like to go with the Freightliner; the HAC agreed with Mr. Cantara's recommendation.

For the backhoe, Mr. Cantara would like to purchase the JCB; the HAC agrees with Mr. Cantara's recommendation and suggested Mr. Cantara demo the machine before deciding.

Mr. Cantara will present their determination on the truck and backhoe to the Selectmen at their next meeting.

Mr. Cantara reviewed the salt and sand purchases and budget for 2016 and concerns that the salt and sand budget may be over the amount budgeted.

The mud conditions of the roads and the closures due to mud were discussed. There was discussion regarding whether to open Shem Valley Road to the AMC lodge back up; the consensus was to keep it closed until the roads dried out more.

There was discussion regarding the transition of Thomas Moore as foreman; Mr. Cantara said the transition has gone smoothly.

The meeting ended at 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Jennifer Dostie

TRUCK

FREIGHTLINER 114SD \$179,017 TOTAL
INCLUDED w/ \$76,159 BODY #
\$28,150.34 YR LEASE 3.33%
7 YR BUMPER TO BUMPER WARRANTY

18,000 truck in (owned)
great truck

WESTERN STAR 4700 \$197,256 w/ \$69,500 BODY #
5 YR LEASE \$41,833 YR 3.00%
PETERBILT 348 \$98,000 LIGHT DUTY
w/ \$79,500 BODY #
7 YR LEASE \$27,605 YR 3.6%

BACKHOE

J.D. 410L \$118,096 \$18,424 YR 3.0%
7 YR WARRANTY
CASE 590SN \$114,800 \$18,481 YR
7 YR FULL MACHINE WARRANTY
JCB \$123,500 7 YR WARRANTY (northland equipment)
- 4,000 - 5,000 LAST TWO YEARS
MAJOR COMP ONLY
ADD \$8,360 FRONT COUPLER + ROCK BUCKET
- \$8,000 TRADE FOR 416B