

## TOWN OF RIPTON SELECTBOARD MINUTES

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Meeting No.</b>	<b>Start:</b>	<b>End:</b>	<b>Next Meeting</b>	<b>Next Time</b>
08-28-06	2006-16	8:20	9:30	09-11-06	7:30 p.m.
<b>Attendees:</b>	William Ford, Laureen Cox and Ronald Wimett, Selectboard and Debra Karpak, Board Clerk				
<b>Visitors:</b>					
<b>Minutes:</b>	Minutes of 08-14-06 returned for editing.				
<b>Approval Actions:</b>					
<b>Orders:</b>	Orders for 08-28-06 were reviewed and signed. Total for Roads: \$25,663.15. General Fund: \$5,071.09.				
<b>Budget:</b>					
<b>Reports:</b>					
<b>Delinquent Taxes</b>					
<b>Road Commissioner Report</b>	Culverts/Bridges	Culvert replaced: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• #4 Chandler Hill Road (15" x 30')</li> <li>• #10 Natural Turnpike (18" x 30')</li> <li>• #3 North Branch (15" x 30')</li> <li>• #3 Goshen Road (18" x 30')</li> <li>• #21 Goshen Road (24" x 30')</li> <li>• #7 Dragon Brook Road (15" x 30')</li> <li>• #7 Dugway (24" x 30')</li> </ul>			
	Gravel/Resurfacing	Graveling has been completed. Resurfacing has been done from the driveway culvert on Natural Turnpike at physical address 11 Chandler Hill Road to 991 Peddlers Bridge Road.			
	Major Roads Reconstruction Projects	Nothing to report this period.			

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### Roads

06-03-VTran-a	<b>VTrans Grants</b>	02-13-06	08-28-06	DK
Submitted Structures Grant on 3-24-06. Received verbal notification that Ripton did not receive a grant this year.				

06-03-G-BBR	<b>Better Backroads Grant</b>	02-13-06	08-28-06	DK & RW
Grant has been delayed Summer 2007. Nothing more to report.				

06-15-RDSMP	<b>Major Projects</b>	08-14-06	Ongoing	RW
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Anticipated: Robbins Cross to be brought to standard.
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### Miscellaneous

06-09-JNKOR	<b>Junk Ordinance</b>	05-22-06	Ongoing	DK
<p>The legal voters of the Town of Ripton who attended the Special Meeting on this day (August 28, 2006) voted to accept the Amendment to the Civil Ordinance Regulating Outdoor Storage of Junk and Junk Vehicles. The procedure to enforce the Ordinance is pending based on registration with the Judicial Bureau; anticipated to be in place on or before the next Board meeting.</p>				
06-07-Daig	<b>Daignault Property</b>	04-24-06	Ongoing	DK
<p>The Board will revisit once the enforcement procedure for the Civil Ordinance Regulating Outdoor Storage of Junk and Junk Vehicles is in place with the Judicial Bureau.</p>				
06-15-FIRMA	<b>Fire Station Materials</b>	08-14-06	Ongoing	DK
<p>A reply was received from the Fire Department in response that the materials need to be stored in the Fire Station. It was decided to invite a representative from the Fire Department to the next meeting to discuss a solution for storage of the materials. The meeting will either be at the Fire Station or the Town Clerks Office.</p>				
06-16-FR54	<b>Green Mountain National Forest</b>	08-28-06	08-28-06	DK
<p>Through a letter to Tracy Topfooven, District Ranger, the Board registered its concern on Alternative <u>G</u>. The Town of Ripton has no interest in changing the jurisdiction of FR 54. Of the alternatives presented, Alternative <u>E</u> seems to be in the best interest of safety, the property owners, and the general public. (<i>copy of Alternatives filed with Minutes</i>)</p>				
06-16-ZPLC	<b>Driveway Access</b>	08-28-06	08-28-06	BD
<p>At the request of the Planning Commission the Board reviewed a proposal for driveway access on the Lincoln Road for a subdivision on the corner of the Dugway and Lincoln Road (<i>southern half of Clark's existing 10-acre lot; proposal filed with Minutes</i>). The Board took no exception to the gravel driveway as proposed.</p>				
06-16-COND	<b>Telephone Line Conduit</b>	08-28-06	ongoing	RW/SH
<p>A conduit will be laid between the Town Clerks Office and the Community House to accommodate a telephone line which will be used by</p>				

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legal voters of the Town of Ripton who are sight-impaired to register their votes.

06-16-RECU	<b>Recycled Culverts</b>	08-28-06	08-28-06	RW
Ron Wimett, Road Commissioner took 3.78 tons of old culverts to be recycled. \$274.54 will be added to the Town budget line for Miscellaneous Income for the value of scrap metal.				

William Ford

Lauren Cox

Ronald Wimett