

**Town of Paris  
33 Market Square  
South Paris, Maine 04281**

**Selectmen's Meeting Minutes**

**Date and Time:** Monday, November 14, 2022

**Location:** Paris Town Office

1. The Selectmen's meeting was called to order at 6:30pm by the Chair, Mr. Summers. Board members who were present: Mr. McElravy, Mr. Bailey, Mr. Sprague, and Peter Kilgore.  
Absent: None
2. Pledge of Allegiance led by the Chair.
3. Chairman's correspondence – None
4. Consideration of the minutes from October 24, 2022. On a motion made by Mr. McElravy and seconded by Mr. Bailey to approve the minutes from October 24, 2022  
Motion passed 5-0.
5. Consideration of the following warrants:

▪ **Accounts Payable Warrants: 33 (\$31,405.76) 35 (\$31,350.48) and 37 (\$33,638.26)**

On a motion made by Mr. Kilgore and seconded by Mr. McElravy to approve **Accounts Payable Warrants: 33 (\$31,405.76) 35 (\$31,350.48) and 37 (\$33,638.26).**  
Motion passed 5-0.

▪ **Payroll Warrants: 33 (\$31,405.76) 35 (\$31,350.48) and 37 (\$33,638.26)**

On a motion made by Mr. Bailey and seconded by Mr. McElravy to approve **Payroll Warrants: 33 (\$31,405.76) 35 (\$31,350.48) and 37 (\$33,638.26)** Motion passed 4-0-1 (Mr. Summers abstained).

**6. Licenses/Permits:**

**7. Town Manager Update:**

- a. **New Ordinance:** Next steps for the new ordinance/Business Licensing Marijuana
- b. **Sign:** The new sign is up, just working on getting power to it...stay tuned
- c. **Highway:** The 1993 John Deere loader needs repairs – transmission/steering column

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**8. Citizen's Comments:**

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**9. Select Board Comments:**

- Mr. Bailey – Nothing
- Mr. Kilgore – Nothing
- Mr. Sprague – Nothing
- Mr. McElravy – Thanked the residents who spoke about the new policy that the school district is trying to implement
- Mr. Summers – Nothing

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#### 10. Unfinished Business:

- a. Bring back from being tabled. On a motion made by Mr. Bailey and seconded by Mr. Sprague to take from being tabled. Motion passed 5-0. Consideration and discussion on adding electrical inspections to the Building Code Ordinance. On a motion made by Mr. Bailey and seconded by Mr. Sprague to move forward with the electrical ordinance. Motion failed 1-3-1 (Mr. Sprague, Mr. McElravy and Mr. Kilgore voted no, and Mr. Summers abstained).
- b. Bring back from being tabled. On a motion made by Mr. Bailey and seconded by Mr. Sprague to take from being tabled. Motion passed 4-0-1 (Mr. McElravy abstained). Consideration and discussion on the new price list. On a motion made by Mr. Bailey and seconded by Mr. Kilgore to approve the new fee schedule, excluding the "Soil Disturbances" section. Motion passed 4-0-1 (Mr. McElravy abstained).

#### 11. New Business:

- a. Consideration and discussion on awarding the bids on the tax acquired properties.  
***See attached sheet***
- b. Consideration and discussion regarding 30-A legal processing. On a motion made by Mr. McElravy and seconded by Mr. Kilgore to support using Title 30-A on legal processing for the CEO. Motion passed 5-0.
- c. Consideration and discussion on accepting and acting on a petition. On a motion made by Mr. McElravy and seconded by Mr. Bailey to wait for a response back from our legal counsel on being able to move forward with the recall, and to have the Board members available within 24 hours to act on this item. Motion passed 5-0.

#### 12. Executive Session: NONE

#### ADJOURNMENT –

On a motion made by Mr. McElravy and seconded by Mr. Bailey to adjourn the meeting at 8:00pm. Everyone was in favor!

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Elizabeth J Knox, Town Clerk

Approval; Board of Selectpersons, Town of Paris, this **28<sup>th</sup>** day of **November 2022**

Name	Signature
Christopher Summers	
Scott McElravy	
Peter Kilgore	
Carlton Sprague	
Michael Bailey	