



**TOWN OF WESTPORT ISLAND**  
**6 Fowles Point Road**  
**Westport Island, ME 04578**

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**Office of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor**

**Town of Westport Island**  
**Board of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers Meeting**  
**July 27, 2020**  
**Via Uber Telephone Conference**

**Present:**

**Selectmen:** George D. Richardson, Jr., Jerry Bodmer, and Ross Norton

**Citizens:** Julie Casson (Town Clerk), Gaye Wagner (Deputy EMA Director), Jeff Tarbox, and Jason Kates

**Guests:** Phil Di Vece (Wiscasset Newspaper)

**Meeting Convened:** George called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

**Board of Selectman Business Conducted:**

- 1. Warrant:** George motioned to approve Warrant Nos. 08 & 09 for a total of \$186,670.92 (Payroll No. 08 - \$3,705.99; Accounts Payable No. 09 - \$182,964.93); Jerry, 2<sup>nd</sup>; vote: 3-0.
- 2. Minutes:** George motioned to approve the minutes of July 20, 2020; Jerry, 2<sup>nd</sup>; vote: 3-0.
- 3. Citizen's Issues:** Jeff Tarbox requested the use of the Town Hall on Labor Day, Monday, September 7, 2020 for the Westport Island Democrats Annual Picnic. Per Jeff's email to the Board, "*The event is open to everyone, not just Democrats. Due to Covid concerns we'll meet outside and wear masks, but we would like to use the kitchen and restrooms, sanitizing afterward. There will be games, and this year we hope to have a group play music. But we'll avoid sharing food.*" George motioned to approve Jeff's request for the Democrats to use Town Hall on Labor Day; Ross, 2<sup>nd</sup>; vote: 3-0.
- 4. Assessing:** George and Ross went out assessing on Sunday, July 26, 2020 with Evan Goodkowsky the Town's certified assessor.
- 5. Other Business:** George received a request for a Pier, Ramp, & Float hearing from Damian and Katrina Sedney, Map 006-Lot 24. The hearing has been set for August 6, 2020 at 4:30 pm. George will publish the notice on Tuesday and fax to the Lincoln County News.

Gaye Wagner, Deputy EMA Director, informed the Selectmen that there is a 2<sup>nd</sup> round for the COVID Awareness grant that we could potentially apply for. Since we already received an award during the first round of the grant, we are not guaranteed this second round, however the application is due this Friday and with the shortened deadline, we may have a chance for a smaller award. Gaye requested approval to apply for \$1500 - \$1800 for use in Prevention and Awareness for Summer Residents and Businesses. George motioned to approve her applying for second round funding; Ross, 2<sup>nd</sup>; vote: 3-0.

**6. Meeting Adjourned:** George motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:10 pm; Ross, 2<sup>nd</sup>; vote: 3-0.

Respectfully submitted,

George D. Richardson, Jr.  
1<sup>st</sup> Selectman

Gerald Bodmer  
2<sup>nd</sup> Selectman

Ross Norton  
3<sup>rd</sup> Selectman