**Selectboard Meeting**

**Richford, Vermont**

**Approved Special Meeting Minutes**

**March 16, 2023**

Vice Chair Paquette called the meeting to order at 2:08 pm with members Alan Fletcher and Wally Steinhour present. Guests at the meeting included Town Administrator Michael Olio, and Town Clerk Kiley Deuso, and Highway Foreman Jason Wetherby.

Selectman Steinhour requested the special meeting to discuss the leasing of a new highway truck, as two of the current three will not pass inspection. Highway Foreman Jason Wetherby presented six quotes from various dealerships in the area. The most economical quote that met the town’s needs was a Chevy Silverado K2500 from Champlain Chevrolet. Everyone agreed it would be the most convenient purchase since the dealership is only ten miles away, and it meets their needs at a reasonable price.

A motion was made by Selectman Steinhour to lease the 2023 Chevy Silverado K2500 for $ 71,059. Selectman Fletcher seconded. Motion passed 3-0.

The board discussed selling the other two highway vehicles that cannot be inspected for parts. They all agreed it would be a good idea.

A motion was made by Selectwoman Paquette to sell the 2006 Chevy Silverado and the 2010 Chevy Silverado for parts. Selectman Steinhour seconded. Motion passed 3-0.

Submitted by

Michael Olio – Town Administrator

Attest: