REPORT OF THE TOWN ELECTIONS

First Selectman:
Doris Thompson with 186 votes

Second Selectman:
Chris Smith with 161 votes

Third Selectman:
Brian Church with 193 votes

Treasurer:
Marti Gross with 190 votes

Tax Collector:
Connie Smith with 114 votes and Annie Tibbetts with 94 votes

Town Clerk:
Connie Smith with 110 votes and Annie Tibbetts with 97 votes

Road Commissioner:
Linwood Meader, Jr with 118 votes and Danny Goucher with 87 votes

FROM THE TOWN SELECTMEN

Report on Town Meeting:

All the incumbent town officials were reelected at the town meeting election held on March 12th. The budget articles were all passed on March 13th as recommended with the following two exceptions:

Article 29 - To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate for Winter Roadwork.
Recommended: $158,000 Amended to $148,000 and passed.

Article 34 - To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate for the Waste Management Account.
Recommended: $53,000 Amended to $55,000 and passed.

The total appropriation amount for 2010 is $478,049.

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SELECTMEN’S MEETINGS

Selectmen’s Meeting
February 2, 2010

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Brian Church, Linwood Meader, Jr., Marti Gross

1. Reviewed and signed Warrant #3.
2. Linwood reports that most of the damage to our roads due to the heavy rains last week has been repaired.
3. Wayne Whittier came in to talk to selectmen about the town roads issues as a follow up to last week’s meeting. It was clear that many townspeople were opposed to turning any paved sections of road to gravel at the time. The selectmen will be gathering more information on this issue and alternative paving materials, etc. Wayne has volunteered to take any information we gather and add it to his for a printed handout for future meetings.
4. The town received a
Minutes From Selectmen’s Meetings (Cont’d from Front Page)

1. Finalized final draft and signed the Warrant for Town Meeting.
2. Dodi reported that Dan Onion has agreed to be the Town’s new Health Officer.

Selectmen’s Meeting
February 16, 2010
Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Brian Church, Linwood Meader, Jr., Marti Gross, Steve Lilley

1. Reviewed and signed Warrant #4
2. Dodi reported that the Town Report has gone to the printer. The reports will be delivered to the Town House on Thursday, March 4th.
3. Dodi has gathered the tax transfer information, deeds, etc. and given them to Creston Gaither who will update our tax maps for 2010. He also creates the list from which we update the property cards per changes.
4. Linwood reports there are no major road problems at this time.
5. Marti and Dodi have begun working on the Town’s Tax Anticipation Note application.

There are no minutes available for the February 23, 2010 meeting.

Selectmen’s Meeting
March 2, 2010
Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Brian Church, Linwood Meader, Marti Gross, Connie Smith, Ed Lawless, Dan Onion, Lidie Robbins.

1. Reviewed and signed Warrant #5.
2. Linwood reports that the Stream Road has been repaired and is now passable.
3. The Selectmen appointed Ed Lawless to the Planning Board for a 3 year term
4. Connie Smith, Town Clerk swore in the following: Ed Lawless - three year term on the Planning Board; Dan Onion – three year term as Vienna’s Health Officer.
5. Lidie Robbins and Dan Onion from the 30 Mile River Watershed Association met with the selectmen to update us on how the 2009 season went and what the group is planning for 2010.

Selectmen’s Meeting
March 9, 2010
Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Brian Church, Linwood Meader, Jr., Marti Gross

1. Marti has filed the paperwork for the town’s T.A.N. (Tax Anticipation Note) with T.D. BankNorth. The note amount will be $100,000.00. The note will be issued on Tuesday, March 16, with an interest rate of 3.20%. The total interest will be $2568.89 with the bank paying the legal fees. Lee Bragg of Bernstein-Shur will act as bond counsel.
2. Linwood has posted all the roads. There are some potholes forming on the Tower Road. He will take care of them as soon as the weather permits.
3. Peg Lane came in and expressed her concerns about the broken guard rail on the Tower Road. This guard rail was damaged by the snow plow earlier this winter. The plow contractor will be repairing the rail this spring as soon as the ground dries up.
4. State Representative Pat Jones came in to meet with selectmen. She gave us an update on the House of Representatives and state budget cuts which affect municipalities. There was also a discussion about the condition of Town House Rd (Rt. 41).

Selectman’s Meeting
March 16, 2010
Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Brian Smith, Marti Gross, Linwood Meader, Jr.

1. Reviewed and signed Warrant #6
2. Had some discussions about Town Meeting and the resulting budget. The total amount appropriated was $478,049.
3. Linwood reports that he checked all the town roads today and saw no immediate problems. The frost is just about out of the dirt roads.
4. The selectmen signed an engagement letter with Stephen T. Hopkins, CPA, for auditing services for the year ending December 31st 2009.
5. Reviewed and approved Selectmen’s Meeting Minutes for all of February and the first two weeks of March.
Planning Board Minutes

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE VIENNA PLANNING BOARD
HELD JANUARY 27, 2010

The meeting convened at 7:00 PM at the Town House. Members present were Waine Whittier, Alan Williams, Nanou Laliberte, and Creston Gaither. Minutes of the December 23 meeting were read and accepted.

Howard Charles' forest management plan for the Potter parcel on Tower Road (tax map 5 lot 14) was reviewed along with the Resource Protection and Timber Harvesting Ordinance (RP/THO). Erosion control and regeneration plans required by the Ordinance were not explicitly labeled as such. It was agreed that, by stipulating "best management practices" and "selective harvesting," the management plan meets, respectively, the erosion control and the regeneration plan requirements. It was agreed that the permit should state these assumptions. The board then voted to authorize Creston to issue a RP/THO permit for this harvest.

Jon Hambrick's application for renewal of his Sept. 24, 2008 Shoreland Zoning Ordinance (SZO) permit was reviewed. The board then made findings of fact as per Sect. 16.D. of the SZO, found the proposal conforming (provided that the same conditions outlined in the 2008 permit are met), and authorized Creston to issue the usual SZO permit by letter, subject to said conditions.

Repeal of the RP/THO was discussed. Creston and Alan's e-mail exchanges with District Forester Morten Moesswilde were reviewed. In general Mr. Moesswilde recommends repeal, due to the Ordinance's redundancy (given current State requirements), the out-datedness of some of its provisions, and some enforcement concerns. The board voted unanimously to authorize Waine to draft a repeal article for Town Meeting.

Creston will reorder the 2010 Land Use Pamphlets, having received no response to the board's earlier inquiries.

Waine expects to miss the board's February meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM.

Creston Gaither, Secretary

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE VIENNA PLANNING BOARD HELD FEBRUARY 24, 2010

The meeting convened at 7:10 PM at the Town House. Members present were Alan Williams, Nanou Laliberte, and Creston Gaither. Also present was Ed Lawless. Alan was elected Acting Chairman in Waine Whittier's absence. Minutes of the January 27 meeting were read and accepted.

Ed volunteered to join the board. Creston will notify the selectmen of this.

Creston did not have the recently issued timber harvest permit for the Potter parcel on Tower Road (tax map 5 lot 14) but will bring it next month.

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**ONGOING EVENTS**

- **Mount Vernon Community Center Café** on Saturdays from 9:30-11:30 am. Coffee, food & conversation!

- **Men’s Breakfast** on Tuesdays from 6:30-7:30 am at the Mount Vernon Community Center. Small donation appreciated.

- The 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month, **McGraffey Mountain Woodcarvers** meet from 6:30-8:30 at the Vienna Community Center. New experienced carvers welcome. For More information about the meetings please call Norma Wing at 293-3725 or Ed Beach at 685-4779.

- Wednesdays from 3:30-5:00 pm at North Vienna UMC: **Creation Station** - for grades K-6th. For more information call Laura Church at 293-3892

- 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month from 3-5 pm at North Vienna UMC: **Youth Group** - for 6th grade and up. For more information call Laura Church at 293-3892

**APRIL/MAY 2010 EVENTS**

- **Vienna Union Hall Coffeehouse** featuring John Archard & Sean Kelley. - Saturday, April 10th, 7:00 P.M. at Union Hall. $5 admission includes refreshments.

- **Vienna Union Hall Variety Show** - Saturday, May 8th, 7:00 P.M. at Union Hall

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**SELECTMEN MEETINGS**

1st & 3rd Tuesdays of every month 6:30 p.m. at the Town House

Vienna Town House - Rte. 41, Vienna, ME

**WORK SESSIONS:**

- 2nd Tuesday at 6:30 pm
- 4th Tuesday at 6:30 pm
- 5th Tuesday at 6:30 pm (as needed)

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**Vienna Planning Board MEETINGS**

The Vienna Planning Board meets on the 4th Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm at the Vienna Town House Route 41, Vienna, Maine

For more information, call Waine Whittier, Chair at 293-2072 or Creston Gaither, Secretary at 293-2909

www.viennamaine.org
FROM THE TOWN CLERK AND TAX COLLECTOR

A reminder of my hours:
Tues. 9-12
Thur. 9-12 and 4:45 - 7:00.
The last Sat. of the month. 1-4

I am still making appointments if these hours don't fit your schedule.

I will be sending out one Tax Bill on May 15th. At the bottom of your bill you will see two stubs, one is for your fist payment which is due June 15th, and the second which will be due September 1. Please mail in your stubs with your payments. Thank you!

A HUGE thank you for all those who took the time to vote!

Connie Smith, Town Clerk

FROM THE EDITOR

Greetings from your new town newsletter editor!

I ask that you be patient with us as we learn to produce this bi-monthly publication. A great thank-you to Norma Wing for the years she did this! Had I realized it was such a big job, I might have thought twice! And Norma has left quite the page to fill!

I will be the gatherer of information. You may email articles etc. to me at church5@fairpoint.net or mail them to PO Box 146, Vienna ME 04360. Rachel Church will be the actually publisher of the newsletter as she has skills far greater than mine!

A few minor changes . . . the fee schedule per issue for advertisements is as follows:

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Checks may be mailed to me made payable to “Town of Vienna.”

Rachel and I hope you enjoy our efforts. We’ll only get better!

Laura Church

PLANNING BOARD
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Susan Burns notified the board through Creston that she was ill during the board’s January meeting but hopes to attend in March. She has also notified the board informally that the State Planning Office expects to ask municipalities to revise their flood-plain management ordinances but that it has postponed its deadline until 2011.

The board went over its duties and practices with Ed.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM.

Creston Gaither, secretary

COMMUNITY SHOP & SWAP

If you have stuff that is not trash but is in your way, it is now possible to have it posted on the Vienna website and in this newsletter at no cost to you. Check here for things that people in Vienna may want to sell, swap or barter. Just send a description of your item along with contact information to Laura Church at 293-3892 or church5@fairpoint.net.
Placing an ad in The Vienna Record will help support your community newsletter and promote your business. For more information, call Laura Church at 293-3892 or e-mail church5@fairpoint.net.

Creative Sandwiches, Salads & Soups
Homemade Breads, Pastries, Pies & Cakes

Call To Order baked goods & catered meals for small or large groups

293-4978

DINNER & MUSIC Nights
Saturdays 5:30 pm - 9:00 pm
No Reservations
April 24 - Fabulous Burn'n Band
May 15 - TBA

The Olde Post Office CAFE

HOURS
Spring Hours:
Wed. thru Fri.
7:00 am - 2:00 pm
Sat. & Sun.
8:00 am - 2:00 pm
Open 7 days a week starting Memorial Day

Bob The Glass Man
GLASS & SCREEN~REPAIR & REPLACEMENT
25 YEARS EXPERIENCE
"If it's glass related, I can do it!"
~NO JOB TOO SMALL~
Custom Screens & Storms ~ Display Boxes
Call Anytime
Bob Ouellette 293-2232

Buying products and services locally will help develop the economic vitality of our community.

The 27th Annual Vienna Grange Seedling and Bake Sale
will be held
Saturday, May 22, 8 am to noon
& Sunday, May 23, 10 - noon

As always, we'll have a wide variety of flower and vegetable seedlings plus hanging baskets, perennials and annual plants ready to plant in your garden. All are supplied by Longfellows greenhouse.

Home baked pies, beans, foods both sweet and savory will be available. All proceeds benefit Mill Stream Grange.
COMMUNITY SUPPORT

The Maine Land Sculptor

Home site design and construction!
Expert Excavation!
Septic systems, driveways, foundation holes and foundations!
Land clearing, ponds dug, trees and stumps removed!
Selective Timber harvesting! Snow removal!
Many, many references, Most good!!
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“I will nail down all of your building needs”
Youth Conservation Corps Projects Needed

The 30 Mile River Watershed Association (30MRWA) is seeking project sites for this summer’s Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) work in our watershed. The YCC’s mission is to preserve and improve water quality by addressing erosion and run-off issues on watershed property. The YCC provides all project labor free of charge; the landowner is responsible only for the cost of materials.

To arrange a site visit, please contact 30MRWA Executive Director Lidie Robbins at info@30mileriver.org or 293-2181. We are available to look at specific problems or simply to review your property and suggest ways to reduce your impact on the lakes.

All work is strictly cooperative with landowners and no sites will be identified for enforcement action. Our purpose is to encourage good stewardship of our lakes.

Summer Jobs

We are currently seeking summer employees for our Courtesy Boat Inspection (CBI) and Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) programs. YCC members work as a team to complete shoreline stabilization and erosion control projects. Crew members and a crew leader are needed. Applicants should be willing to perform physical labor and have an interest in environmental stewardship. The program will run for eight weeks during June, July and August – four days per week.

Courteous boat inspectors are the “first line of defense” against invasive aquatic plants, by preventing plant fragments found hitchhiking on boats and trailers from entering our lakes. CBIs work at boat launches throughout the watershed, talking with boaters and inspecting their watercraft as they launch and remove their boats. The program runs Memorial Day-Labor Day, with weekends and holidays being the primary coverage times needed.

Applications may be able to combine both YCC and CBI positions for full-time work. For complete job descriptions and an application, visit www.30mileriver.org. Application deadline is May 1st.

Male lead in Katie’s Beau; script-writer, director, set designer, artist, producer for two productions of The Second Shepherd’s Play, Noah and the Ark, The Village and the Giant, Saint George and the Dragon, A Christmas Carol, Adam and Eve, and SIXTEEN other productions of the Mount Vernon Reveals; host, with Fred, of huge parties at their home on Journey’s End Road after the Reveals; member of the Community Center Board from its beginning; founder of The Arts Group; owner of The Corner Shop, outlet for local crafts, Flea Attic, used books, annual Christmas party, yard sales, local produce and baking, and village gathering spot for 13 years; Santa Claus in the Memorial Day Vienna-Mt. Vernon Parade; maker of chicken barbecue sauce for annual Fireman’s Barbecue; started the Mt. Vernon newsletter and wrote it for years; poster-maker extraordinaire; annual tree-lighting event, culminating in the exuberant, improvised tree-lighting of December 2009.

THANK YOU, ALICE. WE LOVE YOU.

QUIZ. Define the following: Bananacook; creature-feature; dins; treats; the willage; Farm Town. Name the secret ingredient in the chicken barbeque sauce.
WHO YOU GONNA CALL?

Tear out this page and post it near your phone.

Board of Selectmen:
- Dodi Thompson: 293-2670
- Chris Smith: 293-3383
- Brian Church: 293-3892

Town Clerk/Tax Collectors:
- Connie Smith: 293-3383

Treasurer:
- Marti Gross: 485-4415

Road Commissioner:
- Linwood Meader, Jr.: 293-2270

Animal Control Officer:
- Donald Tibbetts: 293-2915

Game Warden:
- 624-7000

Vienna Fire Department:
- Steve Lilley, Chief: 293-9308
- Brian Church, Deputy: 293-3892
- Mark Holmes, Asst.: 293-3572

Code Enforcement Officer & Plumbing Inspector:
- John Archard: 293-2674
- David Giroux, Alt.: 685-9877

Health Officer:
- Daniel K. Onion: 293-2076

Winter Road Contractor:
- Lenny Meader: 778-3022

Addressing Officer:
- Laura Reville: 293-3156

School Board Representative:
- Helen Wilkey: 293-2351

Planning Board:
- Waine Whittier, Chair: 293-2072
- Creston Gaither, Sec.: 293-2909
- Alan Williams: 293-2620
- Lional Laliberte: 293-2097
- Ed Lawless: 293-2635

Board of Appeals:
- Jim Anderberg, Chair: 293-2673
- Marie Kohtala: 293-2534
- Ray Anderson: 293-2679
- Jim Gajarski: 293-2910
- Helen Wilkey: 293-2351

Merry Dumpsters (Recycling Board):
- Hillary Hutton, Chair: 293-3686
- Steve Richardson: 293-2610
- Ann Gibbs: 293-2610
- Muffy & Jim Floyd: 293-2148

Recreational Land Committee:
- Dodi Thompson, Chair: 293-2670

Town House Committee:
- Millie Whittier, Chair: 293-2072
- Norma Wing, Vice Chair: 293-3725
- Helen Wilkey, Treasurer: 293-2351

Municipal Cemetery Sexton:
- Ernestine Emery: 293-2332

Jay Recycling Center: 897-5552
Norridgewock Landfill: 634-2714
Riverside Disposal: 623-2577
Vienna Town House: 293-2087
Vienna Community Building: 293-4000
Vienna Post Office: 293-9332
SAD #9: 778-6571
Cape Cod Hill School: 778-3031
Mt. Blue High School: 778-3561

Central Maine Power Emergency: 800-696-1000
Franklin Memorial Hospital: 800-398-6031
Poison Control Center: 800-442-6305
MaineGeneral Medical Center: 626-1206
Maine State Police Emergency: 800-452-4664
Kennebec County Sheriff: 623-3591
Police-Fire-Emergency: 911
TOWN OF VIENNA, ME

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Dodi Thompson  Chris Smith  Brian Church

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Tax Collector            Connie Smith
Road Commissioner        Linwood Meader, Jr.
Fire Chief & Warden      Steve Lilley
Health Officer           Daniel K. Onion
Animal Control Officer   Donald Tibbetts
Plumbing Inspector & Code Enforcement Officer    John Archard
Addressing Officer       Laura Reville
SAD #9 Representative    Helen Wilkey
Cemetery Sexton          Ernestine Emery

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