## Lebanon, Maine Select Board Town Office Conference Room Minutes –Meeting May 19, 2023

## Members Present

**Others Present** 

Paul Philbrick - Chairman Ernest Lizotte, Jr. - Selectman EXCUSED

58 Shelli Boucher - Selectwoman

Michael Walsworth - Vice Chair EXCUSED

Richard Harlow III - Selectman

For complete meeting minutes please view the meeting in full at https://www.youtube.com/c/TownofLebanon

10:10 am Pledge of Allegiance

Chair Philbrick stated that this is a continuation of the meeting from last night (5-18-23). There was not a quorum to do the marijuana portion of the meeting last evening.

Selectman Harlow discussed the Marijuana Ordinance changes that will be voted on June 13, 2023. Some changes are things such as the Town will no longer be doing marijuana inspections. The State performs these inspections, so there is no reason for the Town to duplicate. This will eliminate any potential liability for the Town as well. There was much discussion about the changes and reasons why. Selectman Harlow consulted with the State and took their advice as well. The Ordinances and the redlined copies of the changes will be posted on the Town Website at <a href="www.lebanon-me.org">www.lebanon-me.org</a> and also available at the Town Office. This will be discussed at the Public Hearing on 5-20-23 and copies will be available there as well.

Paperwork – Quit Claim Deeds signed for:

Map R08 -065 Map R08-071-23

Chair Philbrick advised the Board that M&K Property has refused the Forest Grove and Prospect Hill Cemetery Mowing Contracts. The Board will award this to the 2<sup>nd</sup> place bidder Birch Point – the Board signed the new contracts.

There will not be a Select Board Meeting on May 28, 2023 so that everyone can attend the School Board Meeting on that evening. The next Select Board Meeting will be June 1, 2025. The Town is having a Public Hearing on May 20, 2023 at 10:00 am at Lebanon Elementary School to review the Warrant for the June 13, 2023 election.

11:06 Chair Philbrick motioned to adjourn. Selectwoman Boucher seconded. Vote taken; vote carried.