**TOWN OF LIVERMORE**

**Board of Selectpersons**

**Meeting Minutes**

**April 5, 2021**

**6:30 p.m.**

**BOARD:** SCOTT RICHMOND, TRACEY MARTIN, MARK CHRETIEN, BEN GUILD, BRETT DEYLING

**DEPT HEADS:** AARON MILLER

**PRESS:** PAM HARNDEN

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approval of Minutes
   1. March 16, 2021

Ben first motioned to approve, seconded by Tracey; 5-0.

* 1. Budget Committee Meeting Minutes – March 15 & 22

Ben motioned to approve second by Scott with a 5-0 change from 4-0 as noted under the insurance discussion; 5-0.

1. Open Mowing Bids
   1. Award mowing bid

The town received bids from Bob Martin, Jeff Laroche of Sunshine Pools and JD Lawn Services. Each bid was $7,000 a year for three years. Scott motioned to accept Jeff Laroche’s bid, seconded by Brett; 5-0.

1. Town Meeting Discussion
   1. Open or Closed Town Meeting

Brett and Tracey agreed they would like to see an open town meeting this year. Ben argued that the town must have a plan in place to keep residents safe. Tracey motioned to hold an open town meeting, seconded by Brett; 2-2-1. Mark and Ben voted against, Scott abstained. Motion failed.

Scott proposed having another vote on April 26 after receiving some legal advice, which was agreed by all.

* 1. Treasurer Position: Appointive vs. Elective

Brett motioned to add language to the warrant asking voters to change the treasurer position, from appointive to elective, second by Ben; 4-0-1. Scott abstained.

* 1. Move Date of Annual Town Meeting to April

Mark noted that this would get the town in line with preparing for road paving and the school vote. Mark motioned to move the annual Town Meeting date to April, seconded by Brett; 5-0.

1. Fourth of July Fireworks

Aaron asked the board to think about what they would like to do regarding Fourth of July fireworks.

1. Warrants

The board signed accounts payable and payroll warrants.

1. Other

Scott asked about how the tree cutting at the cemetery is going. Aaron reported that hasn’t been done and will follow up. Scott also asked about the electronic speed limit sign. Aaron will follow up next week.

1. Adjourn

Mark motioned to adjourn, seconded by Ben; 5-0.