Town of Pomfret Special Selectboard Meeting September 8, 2021

Present: Emily Grube, John Peters, Jonathan Harrington, Chuck Gundersen Public: (Kevin Rice (Fire Chief), Ben Brickner (ZBA, Auditor), Nancy Matthews (Auditor), Cathy Peters, Cynthia Hewitt (SB Asst), Wan Jun (Standard), Baird Staud

- 1. Emily called the meeting to order at 7 PM
- 2. No Public Comment
- 3. Agenda Review Emily moved and Chuck seconded we add warrants for payment and clarify mask mandate. Motion carried
- 4. Items for Discussion or Vote
 - a. Emily moved and Chuck seconded payment of the following Warrants:

22021	\$6737.75	Payroll
22022	4398.72	Accts Payable
22023	2532.80	Tax refund
Unanimous Vote		

b. Fire Truck Contract

John moved and Chuck seconded approval of the Fire Apparatus Contract with Desorcie Emergency Products in the amount of \$317,707. The Board also authorized Emily Grube as signer of the contract as written. The town will take advantage of the optional 3% discount ($$9500 \pm$). Unanimous vote

c. Audiovisual Equipment

Emily moved and John seconded the Town Purchase a Meeting OWL Pro to optimize the sound quality for Zoom meetings. After discussion the motion passed 3/1. Further necessary equipment includes a lap top and a smart tv. Cathy Peters explained that residents who CANNOT attend meetings need the technology to clearly listen and HEAR meetings. She also feels there is a large number of people who need to attend remotely.

- d. Clarification of Mask Mandate. The Board has mandated that masks are to be worn in all town-owned buildings. Becky will be notified
- 5. John moved and Chuck seconded adjournment at 7:49 PM unanimous