

**Town of Benton**  
**Select Board Meeting**  
**Monday September 14, 2020**

**Select Board Members:** William R. Darcy, Chair; Regina Elliott (participating via conference telephone), Kimberli Carpenter

Also Present: Dwight Swauger, Treasurer; Joe Boutin, road contractor; Gil Richardson, Moderator

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The meeting was called to order by Chairman Darcy at 6:30 PM.

Member Elliott moved approval of the August 31, 2020 minutes, seconded by Member Carpenter and approved.

Board members reviewed and approved the building permits, subject to later Planning Board concurrence, for Susan Welch for a Tunnel Stream Road new single family residence and Ken and Donna Bullard for a garage on recently subdivided land adjacent to the Town Hall on Coventry Road. The Welch permit was also contingent upon the Planning Board approving a driveway permit for the property.

Treasurer Swauger reported the operating account had \$133,452.41 and the ICS account \$383,363.77. The Board signed checks prepared by the Treasurer.

The Board approved building an improved road to the upper part of Mountain View Cemetery and the removal of stumps in the newly cleared area.

Member Elliott discussed the improvement of the triangle area at the intersection of Coventry Road (Route 116) and Bradley Hill Road to make it simpler to maintain.

The next meeting will be September 28, 2020.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:00 PM.