

Town of Temple, NH
CIP Committee
Meeting Held on December 15, 2014

Final Minutes

Present: Connie Kieley, Gail Cromwell, Tedd Petro, Gary Scholl

Absent: Mary Beth Ayvazian Barry West

The meeting began at 7 p.m. with a visit to the Fire Station. Chief George Clark and other FD members were on hand to show the current Jaws of Life, present the bid for new models, show the airpacks and compressor, and the recent purchases of new cribbing and on-scene lights. It was acknowledged that the bid is for two complete battery operated units, a cutter and a spreader, each with a backup power supply. The current unit is carried on the fire engine. It goes first to an accident, followed by the rescue truck and then the pumper. The brush truck goes only if needed to transport additional firemen. Airpacks are mounted in all of the vehicles as space allows. The jaws cutter model is the more needed of the two. A second spreader tip is available but the FD preferred two independent units rather than one with two tips.

The meeting then adjourned to the Annex for discussion at approximately 7:30.

The first order of business was a general review of the projected CIP plan. Tedd wished to add a new column to the spreadsheet to show total cost when an item is financed. This was agreed to. The tennis courts refurbishing was moved to 2019. The town office computer estimate of \$12,215 was discussed briefly and entered in. Tim Fiske is considering several models for the loader replacement and we should know more about this in January. Leave \$159K for now.

It was voted (3-1, Petro no) to recommend that the 2015 warrant article for the Jaws purchase be \$12,025, the cost of the cutter unit plus backup power supply. The second unit for \$12,625 would be considered for 2016.

The meeting adjourned at 8:38.

Next meeting: January 5, at 7 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Gail Cromwell