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SELECTMEN MEETING Minutes

February 17, 2026

Present: Oren Remick, Scott Powers, Justin Bradshaw

Oren moved to open the meeting at 7:00 p.m.

1. Approval of the February 10, 2026 Selectmen Meeting Minutes and February 10 Budget Hearing Minutes. Oren moved to approve the February 10, 2026 Selectmen Meeting Minutes and February 10, 2026 Budget Hearing Minutes and Justin seconded the motion. The minutes passed unanimously.
2. Public Input -
  - a. Tom Gould was present to ask about several items.
    - i. Culvert on Winchester Drive – he wondered if there was any update. Scott noted the culvert is full of leaves and debris. Will watch to see what this culvert does this spring when snow melts.
    - ii. Transfer case for pick-up. Justin stated the transfer case has not been ordered as of yet. Tom will review and order to make sure all information is provided to the dealer.
    - iii. Burrill Road – Tom wondered if this road and possibly Fairfield Road could be thrown up. Information will be researched on this process.
    - iv. Justin stated he has the bid ready to go out for the new truck. He requested Tom to review and make sure it was okay to go.
    - v. Tom stated he would like a bigger bucket for the excavator – a 3 ft bucket instead of the 2 ft bucket. This will need to wait until after Town Meeting.
    - vi. Tom stated he needs an adaptor for a 3-inch fire hose down to a 2-inch hose (banjo type fitting). It was suggested that he check with the Fire Chief regarding this as we may already have something that can be used.

3. Discussion items.

- a. Trash Hauler bid – Diane provided an updated copy of the bid that was previously used. This will go out in March. Once a company is selected, the next contract will go through the end of the year instead of through June.
- b. Review and approval of Charitable Organization Financial Statement for the Grange Hall. The Selectmen reviewed and initialed the report.

4. Items for Approval - all items were approved except as noted.

- a. Emergency Water Plan for 2026 – this was approved and signed.
- b. Warrant Articles and Budget – these were signed and ready for posting.
- c. Town Hall usage Requests – 2 were approved. The third request will need to be verified before it is approved.

Scott moved to adjourn the meeting, and Oren seconded the motion, and the meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Diane Gibson Smith, Administrative Assistant