BOARD OF SELECTPERSON
Meeting Minutes
February 18, 2026

CALL TO ORDER:

Brady called the meeting to order at 6:00PM with the Flag Salute.

SELECT BOARD MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Howard Burnham, Wade Andrews, Brady Connors

MEMBERS IN AUDIENCE:
Alesha Buzzell, Stephanie Bishop, Joanne Andrews, Cheryl Edgerly, Lori Harmon, Bud Finch, Jerry and Ellen Gilpatrick, Walter Ricker, Dean and Lisa LePage, Charlie Pellegrino, Craig Allen, Rick Richardson, Michelle Graffam

MINUTES:

Approve minutes- February 2nd- Wade **motioned** to approve, Howard **seconded, all** in favor.

WARRANT:

Motion to accept the warrants- Howard **motioned** to accept, Wade **seconded,** all in favor.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Wade read the announcements.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

The Board opened the bids for 3 Division Road- The bids will go to the CEO and will be reviewed again if needed.
Property Preservation- $49,500.00
Highland Farm Logging-$39,900.00
Moodys Tree Service-$40,000.00
Woods Excavating- $14,311.00
NJ Construction- $59,450.00
CIA Salvage-$29,049.00

Stephaine Bishop-
Concern over why she has not been paid out her EPL time. She accrued time and it was on her timecard in November but at the end of 2025 she was at 0, she was not paid out for her and now it has disappeared. She has requested copies of all her timecards but has not received them from the Treasurer. Brady will follow up with Julie, but she has reached out the lawyer for further input. This is time that the Board believes she should be paid out.

Hearing of Citizens

Cheryl Edgerly- She wanted to know about EPL and who handles the time, if it is the Treasurer or the payroll company and who handles the W2 and 1099. She also thought the Town was not paying anything for the sidewalk down by Dunkin Donuts, the Town did not but held the money in escrow for the State to make sure the job was completed. She also wanted to know how much information can be included on the warrant. She also wanted to know who Theresa Mackenzie is and why she is on the payroll. She is the Town Medical Director. She also wanted to know where the Fire Chief's car is. Questioning the lawyer bill and what it was for, the bill was $553.50. She was asked about how she gets her lawyer bills, if any comes from Julie. She said she has not gotten anything from Julie.

Walter Ricker- He spoke to the Treasurer and what was going on the with the 1099, it was not a hostile conversation and was very pleasant. He did not harass her as someone on Facebook accused him of. He wanted to know if the Board knew why the W2s and 1099 were late. This can be a fine for the Town on late 1099s, his was over 12 days late.

OLD BUSINESS:

Review of Legal Accounts- There was a small bill last week. We will also be getting a bill for a taxpayer reaching out and asking a question, the email included one Board member, so Brady allowed the attorney to release the information.

Municipal Parking Lot Paving Update- Howard did not have an update.

Deepvale Update- First payment has been submitted.

Discuss System Administrator and Carbonite Subscription- The Board will meet on Monday, February 23 at 6PM for the workshop before the Board meeting.

New Auditing Firm- Howard spoke to an auditing firm that works alone and by the hour and will submit a proposal to the Town. Howard **motioned** to reach back out Stephen Hopkins and get a proposal in writing, Brady **seconded, all** in favor.

Recreation Director- Brady re-emailed someone who reached out and was interested. Brady sent the job description, and we will wait to see if they would like to move forward.

Job descriptions for Deputy Positions-Wade **motioned** to get the job descriptions advertised as the Town Clerk and Tax Collector wishes, Howard **seconded, all** in favor. Alesha will work with Deedee on these.

June Ballot Articles- Money for Grange Hall ceiling, three contracts coming up for bid, Fire Dept. money that needs to be moved, Town accepting Emma's Way, paving for the Municipal Building, supply money for the Comprehensive Committee.
The Board will review the contracts for the weekend and then we will email over to the Town Attorney.

YCSWCD Grant- The Board needs to decide what items they want to move forward with; they will decide these at one of the next meetings.

New Business:

Sign Mowing Contract-This contract was accepted back in the fall; the Board will sign tonight.

Review quote from Boucher-Electric for replacement of lights in basement in the Boiler Room-The quote was for $980.00; this includes labor and materials. This is desperately needed. Wade **motioned** to approve the bid, Brady **seconded, two favor, one abstains.** Alesha will reach out and set up the work appointment.

Discuss Internet at Brick Town Hall- We are currently paying $180.00 for internet at the BTH but we need to get a new modem. The Board agreed to keep paying for the internet. Alesha will follow up.

Approval of Plumbing Permits for TCE Contamination filter systems- Waive Fees- Howard **motioned** to waive the fees, Wade **seconded, all** in favor.

Appointments and Resignations:

None

Discussion of Agenda Items- Public:

Wade Andrews- On 2/7 at 8:18AM, a plow truck was seen on camera and by multiply people plowing the slush on the sidewalks, it was not a state truck but is a state road. It was a yellow truck and is one of the Town Contractor's trucks. The Board did not have the sidewalk contractor re-do the sidewalks as it would have cost the Town more money. It was eye-witnessed who driving the truck. Wade is going to be reaching out to the Town Contractor.

Cheryl Edgerly- She said that things happen mechanically and things can break on plow trucks. Cheryl got confirmation that he had a chain break. She confirmed again she has not gotten any information from Julie directly.

Walter Ricker- He wanted to know why this truck would be going down this road and that the Contractor needs a warning and that this person should not be allowed to work for any contractors in Town.

Dean LePage- He stated that Lisa took out the first recall papers and that our ordinance does not specify a date that it has to be returned so the Town Clerk contacted the Town Attorney and said that it would then fall at state level. The recall was dropped. He also wants to know why he cannot get his FOAA requests, follow-up emails have been sent, and he still has no information. He does not think it's right that he needs to spend his own money to file a complaint in Superior Court.

Correspondence:

ADJOURN MEETING: Wade **motioned** to adjourn; Howard **seconded** at 7:00PM; **all** were in favor.

These minutes were approved by the Limerick Board of Select Board on: Wednesday, February 25, 2026

End of Broadcast

Respectfully submitted,

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