

BOARD OF SELECTPERSON
Meeting Minutes
February 25, 2026

WORKSHOP ON SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION 6:10-6:30PM

CALL TO ORDER:

Brady called the meeting to order at 7:00PM with the Flag Salute.

SELECT BOARD MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Howard Burnham, Wade Andrews, Brady Connors

MEMBERS IN AUDIENCE:

Alesha Buzzell, Joanne Andrews, Dean and Lisa LePage, Rick Richardson, Lori Harmon, Jerry and Ellen Gilpatrick, Cheryl and Donald Edgerly, Walter Ricker, Gail Libby, Scott Logan, Shawn Mackie, Craig Allen

MINUTES:

Approve minutes- February 18th- 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. Brady also added that W2s are in the mail but Julie, the Treasurer, has e-file copies that you may get from her.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

None

Hearing of Citizens

Joanne Andrews- Discussed her concern over the previous Treasurer Laura May having her name blasted on Facebook. She felt that there was no basis for the comments that had been made placing blame on her for the Town books. She was always honest, truthful and diligent in her work ethics. She worked for the Town for over 20 years. She read through a management letter from 2023 from RHR Smith, the Town Accounting firm at that time and a few other financial statements.

She added after Donald's comment about the chain being broken that the Transfer Station attendees are the ones who monitor that chain before the Transfer Station and Salt Shed. There sometimes are trucks too big for the Main Gate that come and they need to come in the back way.

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Walter Ricker-The porta potty at the ballfield needs to be emptied and the Boat Launch one needs to be replaced. Alesha will reach out and see what she can find out with Pottys R Us in getting a newer one and have the ballfield one emptied.

Cheryl Edgerly- She said that Laura May was always very helpful and she is not sure where all the bad information about her is coming from. She also wanted to know about the Harassment Policy that the Board has and that they should be following it. She has hand delivered a complaint to the Board a while back and still has not heard anything from them. She said the policy is only as good as its being followed. Brady will follow back up.

She came back up and asked Joanne what chain it was she was talking about just to make sure they were on the same page. She sent a picture to Howard to look at.

Donald Edgerly- Anyone can get into the dump anytime they want. He said the back gate has been driven through so anyone can get through. The gate has been vandalized.

Shawn Mackie- Concern over 3 Division Road and if the Town is not going to demolish it then he wants it cleaned out because he said he is still getting rats at house that have chewed through his siding and he has spent \$600 to get rid of them. He is frustrated since this has been ongoing since September and would like to see it handled sooner than later.

Rick Richardson- He said he has plowed for the Town for over 40 years and never had any issues with the dumping of the snow and why suddenly it is all chained up making it impossible for him to dump and access his materials. He is happy to help the Town road contractor but does not feel he needs a reservation to get to his pile of materials.

Craig Allen- He said that up until a few weeks ago, everyone seemed to be happy with all snow plowing. He doesn't understand why everyone complains about everything, he has had a mailbox taken out, had a trailer taken out, lots of trash on his property, he does not say anything and just takes care of it. Stuff falls off trucks all the time including CIA, he just picks it up and does not call them. He said he is not picking sides no matter who he is friends with. He has two broken windows right now from the State, but he is not going to call them, he is just going to replace them. He had a car hit his house and luckily fire and police were there to take care of it. He would like to see people stop complaining and he has always tried to find the middle ground. He said what was said to him and another citizen at the last meeting was uncalled for.

Lisa LePage- The Historical Society will be having a bake sale on voting day on the 13th. They need items to sell so bring stuff to sell and make sure to buy stuff as well. They plan to be there from 8-8PM unless they sell out before. She also wanted to know if there was an update on the Fire Truck Restoration Account. Brady has asked but will ask the Treasurer again for the update.

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Dean LePage-Asked who the snowplow contractor was. He wanted to know as the owner of the company, Dennis Bridges, and why he is not reaching out to the Board if he has an issue at the Town salt/sand shed.

OLD BUSINESS:

Review of Legal Accounts- There were no bills this week on the warrant.

Municipal Parking Lot Paving Update- Howard said that once the snow is gone, he can get contractors in to bid on the parking lot. He would like to see this on the June ballot if possible.

Deepvale Update- First drawdown has been completed. They opened bids today for the Deepvale project, they received 7 bids. Dirigo takes all bids and reviews all of them in detail and puts them together for the committee to review. She appreciated the drawdown but also referenced that there is a 7-day deadline for the invoice to be paid once the drawdown has been completed. She also does not see the ARPA funds that were to be transferred over and hopes that this will be done as soon as possible. All the transfers that have not been completed were voted on by the Townspeople.

Discuss System Administrator and Carbonite Subscription- The Carbonite Subscription was re-instated and can now come off the agenda. The workshop was before the Select Board meeting at 6PM, they discussed the two parties that had reached out. One proposal was for \$18,000 a year, the current System Administrator is willing to stay on for \$3,000 a year. The Board is still open to a new Administrator, but Brady will reach out to Chris at Modem Wavs for a formal proposal.

New Auditing Firm- Howard stated that the new firm will not start until the previous year audit of 2024 has been signed, then he will look at the audit and send a proposal.

Recreation Director- Brady re-emailed someone who reached out and was interested but has not heard anything back yet.

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, supplying money for the Comprehensive Committee.

The Board will send any changes that they would like to see on the contracts to Alesha, and she will make one copy of changes that then can go to Town Attorney for review.

YCSWCD Grant- The Board would like to see energy efficient upgrades with the emphasis on insulation of the Municipal Building. We just need to have the priorities listed.

New Business:

Nothing New

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Appointments and Resignations:

None

Discussion of Agenda Items- Public:

Gail Libby- The Revitalization/CDAC Committee would like to see a set of financials before the audit is signed so they can verify the adjustments. They want to make sure the postings have been done correctly for Hollandville. They waited 14 months for this to happen and would appreciate this request.

Lori Harmon-Wanted to know if the Board would be adding the cleaning of hydrants for the Water District to the Sidewalk Contract and not charging them because we do pay the Water District for the hydrant rentals.

Dean LePage-He was hoping that room by room the Board could look into painting because they all could use some updating especially here at the Municipal Building.

Cheryl Edgerly- Clarified that the Water District shovels out the hydrants and not the Fire Department, Brady clarified. Once they asked for the Fire Department to shovel them out while they were away.

Lisa LePage- Was wondering how you go about adding an article to the June ballot about changing the Treasurer from elected to appointed. The Board could add this to the ballot if they chose.

Craig Allen- He just wanted to confirm that the Water District started charging the Fire Department to fill the water tanks and asking the Fire Department to shovel out the hydrants. He said they should be for Limerick.

Walter Ricker- Just be neighborly and help when you can. If there is an overwhelming storm, we want the hydrants accessible, plain and simple.

Correspondence:

The Board received a complaint about cell phones beeping during the meetings.

Also, the Board received an email from Alesha right before the meeting from the snowplow contractor with a complaint. They will review this complaint and decide the next step and will be discussed at the next meeting.

ADJOURN MEETING: Howard **motioned** to adjourn; Wade **seconded** at 8:06PM; **all** were in favor.

These minutes were approved by the Limerick Board of Select Board on: Monday, March 2, 2026.

End of Broadcast

Respectfully submitted,

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