

**Minutes of Selectboard Meeting
August 6, 2025**

Present at meeting: Selectboard members: Aaron Korzun, Francis Wyatt. Town Clerk: Rebecca Rice. Zoning Administrator and Animal Control Officer: Adrienne Raymond. Road Commissioner: Dan Cavoto. Airport Committee Member: Bob Knudsen.

Members of the public: Paul Stewart. Dan Golfin. Barbara Jean Chadburn.

The meeting was convened at 6:36 PM

Agenda: Motion made by A. Korzun to follow the agenda with the following addition: Allard Lumber Excess Weight Permit. F. Wyatt seconded. All in favor, motion approved.

Road Commissioner's Report: Dan Cavoto reported on grant program for Eastham Road, for ditches and culverts. New employee Timmy Mumford on Road Crew. Hauling winter sand. VELCO is looking into the damage done on Town Hill Road.

Tax Rate: Aaron Korzun made a motion to accept the tax rates as calculated by the Treasurer Linda McGuire of the following rates:
Homestead Rates: Town: 0.6609 School: 1.6764 Appropriations: 0.1279 Local Agreement: 0.0030 Total: 2.4681 (2% increase from 2024)
Non-Resident Rates: Town: 0.6609 School: 1.8077 Appropriations: 0.1279 Local Agreement: 0.0030 Total: 2.5994 (3% increase from 2024)
Seconded by Francis Wyatt. Approved.
Aaron Korzun made a motion to not assess penalties for late homestead declarations. F. Wyatt seconded. Approved.

Airport Committee Update: Bob Knudsen reported that the airport is trying to improve airport utilization. Vermont has a tax that isn't assessed in neighboring states. The state is looking to getting that tax repealed or modified.

Vicious Dog Update: The Sheriff came and picked up one of the dogs Tasha, but not the dog that has bitten people (Baby Girl). Barbara Jean Chadburn and Dan Golfin claim that Baby Girl's personality has changed since Tasha is no longer around. We learned for the first time that the dog bit two people on the say day that the dogs had gotten out. The original order still stands. We decided to revisit the issue next meeting when we have all Selectboard members present, if the dog has not been picked up by the Sheriff yet.

Excess Weight Permit – Allard Lumber: Aaron Korzun made a motion to approve an excess weight permit for Allard Lumber. Seconded by F. Wyatt. Approved.

New Business/Open to the Public: None

Review Minutes: A. Korzun made a motion to accept the 7/16/2025 Selectboard meeting minutes. Seconded by F. Wyatt. Approved.

Review Orders: F. Wyatt made a motion to approve Selectboard Orders #8 for \$3,044.35 and Road Orders #8 for \$16,584.37. Seconded by A. Korzun. Approved.

Adjourned at 8:09 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Francis Wyatt

These minutes are unofficial until approved by the Selectboard at the next regularly scheduled meeting.