

Town of Whiting Select Board Meeting

Warning

And Preliminary Agenda

Date: Monday July 27, 2026 @5:00pm

@ The Whiting Town Office

Attendance:

SB- Bob Wood, Steve Quenneville, Marcia King

Town Clerk- Heather Bouchard

Visitors- Steve White

Meeting opened at- 5:00pm

Any additions or deletions from agenda: VTel appeal of the Tax Valuation. They went to grievance and the listers denied their appeal. Now they have sent an appeal to the town. This is new process from the state where they can do a stipulation and just have the select board agree or deny. The select board can choose not to do this process and send it to the BCA for a hearing. Checked with the town attorney and he advised the select board to send it to the BCA. Marcia King made a motion to send it to the BCA. Bob Wood seconded the motion. All voted in favor.

Minutes Approved from meeting dated:

Old Business:

New Business: Liz Wolf from Women's Cycling Collective is coming to discuss a proposed bike ride that would go through Whiting. They would only be on Murray RD and West RD. Liz did not show up for the meeting.

Discuss Town Forest Fire Warden with the Fire Chief (Steve White). The state has made several changes to Vermont's forest fire laws, including the designation of town forest fire warden. Steve White informed the select board that he is going to decline the Town Forest Fire Warden. The select board is going to keep Austin Quesnel as the Town Forest Fire Warden.

Discuss, approve and sign Cargill salt contract for 2026-2027 season Select board approved and signed the contract for Cargill.

Discuss, approve and sign Fyles Brothers, Inc town shed propane contract for 2026-2027. Select board discussed and approved the contract for Fyles Brothers, Inc for 2026-2027.

Public Comment/Unscheduled Appearances (limited to 15 minutes TOTAL)

Executive Session:

Review of mail/email received: Shelburne dispatch bill. The bill that the town has just received went up almost \$200 for one quarter. Heather talked to the Chief of Police (Josh) he said that another increase will be coming before too long. Talked to Steve White and he suggested finding out what Middlebury Regional EMS (Communication Central) would cost. Heather asked if he would like her to check into this and he said yes.

Orders Approved: Yes.

Next scheduled meeting:

August 24, 2026

Meeting Closed at 5:30pm