

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE – TOWN OF SURRY

SELECTMEN

MEETING MINUTES FEBRUARY 2, 2026

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. Present were Jay Croteau, Steve Goldsmith and Ron Profaizer.

John Davis dropped of Conservation driveway checklist for Dorman. He received key for file cabinet and a key to the townhall middle door.

Townhall water is frozen as well as the Town Library. Andy Smith was called to check them out.

Library hours: Monday 3-6 P.M. and Saturday 9-12 A.M . The Town of Surry welcomes Kelly Reeves as the new librarian.

Jay Croteau motioned to accept the minutes. Ron Profaizer seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed to accept the minutes.

The selectmen signed payroll.

The selectmen signed and paid bills.

Kelly Reeves was entered as new employee.

Leslie Johnson checked with the selectmen about GIS Mapping and will sign up for the free mapping service offered to the Conservation Committee.

Steve Goldsmith confirmed the 600 East Surry Road as a E911 address established several years ago.

The Town of Surry received ck # 2146 in the amount of \$25.00 from Walter Goodnough for building permit # 1715. Jay Croteau emailed permit to him.

The Town of Surry received ck# 1719 in the amount of \$35.00 from Becky Russo for building permit #1716. Jay Croteau emailed permit to her.

The Town of Surry receive ck# 3054 in the amount of \$25.00 from Wayne Hartz for building permit #1717. Jay Croteau emailed permit to him.

The Town of Surry is still looking for someone to clean the townhall.

No response to church letter.

Received Proration Application from Lower for RSA 76:21. Forwarded to Avitar.

The Town of Surry received petition article from Judy Lundahl for inclusion with warrant articles.

Jay Croteau has not received a response from Paws to Groom. He will contact her.

February newsletter has been posted to website.

Ron Profaizer has not received answer to tiny home question.

Budget meeting set for February 4, 2026 at 7:00 P.M.

Ron Profaizer is working on list of projects for 2026.

Selectboard work meeting is posted for President's Day.

Public Hearing for School and Town Meeting scheduled for 2/12/2026.

Gilsum Road Bridge Project meeting confirmed for March, 25, 2026 at 7:00 P.M.

The selectmen received the Trustee Report for the Town Report.

Abatement signed for Justine Palmer 31 26 A for \$2.15.

Abatement signed for Russell Fiorey 01 028 for \$26.25.

The Town of Surry received \$5991.04 from the State of New Hampshire for the Highway Block Grant.

Response to Morse email for use of storage garage on Brown property no guarantee of use and would require a ZBA special exception.

John Davis returned the Driveway application for Dorman property noting no swale on road and no culvert. Conservation Committee recommends culvert.

The selectmen signed letter to Dorman to close second driveway.

Treasurer and Tax Collector have left audit items for auditor in the selectmen's office.

Steve Goldsmith was asked to establish a call list.

Warrant article for Planning Board is all set.

Notification of Hazard HMGP 4799 received and submitted.

Discussion of open candidacy on list. Cemetery trustee and budget committee member. Wayne Hartz has agreed to Moderate.

April 3, 2026 New tax collector workshop offered by Avitar.

Andrea Plaskiewicz emailed a nuisance complaint about Jason Anderson's loose dog. She has notified the state police. This is the second complaint the selectmen have received regarding this animal. Dog ordinance was voted on by petition on March 11, 1969 and remains in effect. Courtesy letter to Anderson about ordinance. Separate response letter to Andrea Plaskeiwicz.

Jay Croteau motioned to enter a nonpublic session. Steve Goldsmith seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed to enter into the nonpublic session t 9:25 P.M.

The non public session ended at 9:40 P.M.

Water was restored to the townhall at 9:00 P.M.

Steve Goldsmith motioned to adjourn. Jay Croteau seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed to adjourn.

The meeting adjourned at 9:50 P.M.

Submitted J Lane