

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE – TOWN OF SURRY

SELECTMEN

MEETING MINUTES FEBRUARY 23, 2026

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

The selectmen signed payroll.

The selectmen signed and paid bills.

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

Steve Goldsmith is working on updating the phone list.

Steve Goldsmith contacted Maggi Goodlander office for potential grants available for school building.

The information for brush truck is completed for the newsletter.

Confirmed date for School Meeting with Kim Caron March 23, 2026 at 6:30 P.M. Prior to selectmen's meeting.

Bruce Smith has completed US Census Bureau 2026 Boundary Survey.

HMGP – 4799 still open.

Jay Crote4au motioned to approve the pistol permit application. Ron Profaizer seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed. Permit returned to the town clerk.

Cleaning position for town hall still open.

Confirmation of Hazard Trees Webinar for March 3, 2026 at 10:00 A.M.

Discussion of motion detector light for townhall porch light.

The Town of Surry received an application for a ZBA Variance for Paws to Groom.

No response to Bethel Bible church land purchase for cemetery.

New Tax Collector education on 4/3/2026 offered on line by Avitar.

No response for nuisance dog letter for Mine Ledge Rd.

E Morse request for rental of garage on Brown property.

Steve Goldsmith will inspect for 12 inch culvert for Roe property next week.

New Business:

Jay Croteau motioned to abate Russo \$1926.00 for 2025 for Map 41 lot 7 per Avitar recommendation for over assessment of ADU. Ron Profaizer seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed .

Check for Current Use application returned to Dean Dorman . Land already recorded at Registry of Deeds. Application kept for file.

Dean Dorman driveway application needs to be amended. Note on application \$24.00.

Melissa Crotto Young has requested town hall rental for 3/21/2026.

Annual Review of Investment policy for next week.

Emergency and Fire reports have been received.

Wayne Hartz will email for voting day set up. Voting March 10th, 2026 at 2-7 P.M.

Town auditor email for tax collector accounts.

Ron Profaizer motioned per RSA 41:36 to request Bruce Smith to complete the tax collector audit following the transfer to tax collector office. Jay Croteau seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed.

Selectboard discussed posting the roads. Jay Croteau motioned to post for the road for March 6,2026. Ron Profaizer seconded the motion. The selectmen agreed. Jay Croteau will notify Keene Sentinel.

Steve Goldsmith proposed increased to tax exemptions for Veteran's and Elderly corresponding with the state's exemptions.

Primex Workman's comprehension and Payroll audit submitted with current Fire Roster.

John Davis will attend NHHOA Spring Conference for 2026. Received the credit card receipt for \$60.00.

Town Report printed and ready for distribution. Master Plan insert to be added midweek.

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

The meeting adjourned at 9:00 P.M.

Submitted J Lane

