Moretown Select Board Meeting
Monday, November 02, 2026 at 6:00 PM
79 School Street
In the John Hoogenboom Meeting Room
Via ZOOM Meeting ID 620 104 2716
call in: 929-205-6099

Members Present: Tom Martin, Sam Rosenberg, Callie Streeter, Mike Brown, not present Don Wexler

Guests Present: MRVTV, Charlie Love, Chris Stephenson, Louisa Wilson, Neal Mostov, Creighton Vogt, Martin Camerson, Kathryn Barnes, Duane Howes, Sasha Elwell

Meeting called to order at 6:00 pm by Tom.

Public Comments – Neal had questions on changing the wording on a petition he submitted for Town Meeting. Tom confirmed that if the wording is changed, you indeed need to get the signatures again.

Charlie spoke about the health/court order for the building at 1013 Route 100B, he is wanting to wrap this up. The inspection with a home inspector is scheduled for Friday.

Duane was present to ask the SB about the Middlesex United Church using the basement of the Town Hall on Sunday mornings from 10 – 12:00. Duane said that the church burnt down a few years back and they are looking for a place to gather. Tom will circle back to him, something will be figured out.

Budget – discussion was had on the Rec budget and possibly having an article for $10K to go into the Recreation Fund. Mike and Chris quickly spoke about putting the logging/harvesting out to bid in the spring for the town forest. Morefest was brought up and the subject of fund raising was discussed, anything raised would help keep costs down since the town pays for the fireworks. The money that is raised would be kept in a fund for the Rec.

Tom **made the motion** to appoint Kathryn Barnes to the Recreation Committee. Callie seconded. All were in favor.

Road Department – discussion was had on the budget, there are items that have gone up in price, same as over the last few years. Trucks with warranties was discussed and the possibility of purchasing those with new truck purchases was had, saving money for the town in the long run, especially with the recent history of the 2018 International. Adding a sickle bar for the Kubota to the budget in a line item will be done. A parking lot scraper was brought up again, but no prices have been obtained.

Reports & Communications – Tom met with Rae Washburn and Tim Crowley last week, they discussed the Lover's Lane situation with the bridge. FEMA will not cover the temporary bridge until construction has started, so the bridge has been pushed off until at least next May.

Tom went to the school board meeting last week and was able to speak. Quick discussion was had on that.

Tom **made the motion** to approve the SB minutes from 10/19/2026. Callie seconded. All were in favor.

Warrants signed and approved Payroll 26045 e – checks 5208 – 5217 and checks 27540 – 27543; Accounts Payable 26046 checks 27544 – 27583

While signing the Payroll, there was a reminder note to bring up to the SB on a library timesheet. Just for clarification, mileage can only be taken out of that line item, if there is an overage, it needs to show for transparency and budgeting in the future.

Purchase & Sales agreement was signed for the Lynch Hill property

Adjourn – Tom **made the motion** to adjourn at 7:50 pm. Mike seconded. All were in favor.