Town Hall Committee Meeting Minutes
October 19, 2026 at 3pm at Moretown Town Hall

Present: Louisa Wilson, Jack Byrne, Sybil Schlesinger, Don Wexler, Peter Hourihan, Elizabeth Burt

- Prep for Finance Committee Meeting on 10/20/26
    - Looking at a bond vote for November 2027 or to a special vote, but to avoid Town Meeting Day.
        - We will need to take the temperature of the community.
        - Economy - if the bond market continues the way it does, it would not be in our favor.
        - We can also use Town Meeting to gather community questions and feedback.
    - Meeting with a representative from the bond bank. The goal would be to have him/her explain how a Town goes through the bond bank process.
        - As it relates to the Finance Committee, it should help Cherilyn map out the details of a bond.
- Communications Plan
    - The committee reviewed the communications calendar and made some assignments for writing content
- Fundraising
    - Peter brought up the point that more attention needs to be on the cycle of grants that become available.
    - Elizabeth will review the existing grants spreadsheet and see opportunities are out there.
- Town Hall Tour on November 7th
    - Louisa went over the event plan and asked committee members to remind people of the event.
    - Peter will try to put together a StoryWalk of the renovation, so that there is signage around the building about the project - people can view the project at any time.
- Other
    - Utilize old election signs to promote the project's motto around town "Preserve the Past. Embrace the Future."