

**3/3/2026 Alamoosook Lake Watershed Management District  
Meeting Agenda and Minutes**

In attendance: George Schelling, Brian Sale, John Gray, Dave Milan, Mary Giard

Members of the Public: Claus Haman, David DePrez

**Call to Order 6:00**

**Approval of revised minutes; changes to tonight's agenda**

Dave moved

John provided the second

All in favor

**Public Session**

**A grant proposal idea was presented:**

Review of grant writing efforts/action on current proposal

Claus and David, from the Orland Community Resilience Committee, came to speak to us. To be eligible, a town would need to sponsor the Community Action Grant. They are seeking a letter of support. The RFA will be issued in the next week or two. By mid April we should be able to review the grant. Funds would likely be available in 2028. There may be guidance for dams. The grant would provide an updated Alamoosook Watershed plan according to the DEP. They would request input from the Alamoosook Lake Association as well as the Alamoosook Lake Watershed Management District. They hope to have Orland to sponsor the grant. The grant writers are hoping to ask Blue Hill, Surry or Penobscot to also cosponsor.

**Review of proposals from bookkeeping organizations**

Three letters of interest were sent to Brian and Dave and shared with the whole committee.

TLC Bookkeeping

Twin Birches

By the Book Bookkeeping

References will be called for any company under consideration. Committee members may contact one or more of the companies to get more detail for the services they will provide.

**Update on volunteer time recording system**

Brian will send us a free tracking system link to log the hours we volunteer for the district.

Orland had a small surplus from funds they had raised and our GoFundMe campaign. The Watershed District received a check from the town of Orland to add to our account. The check is in the amount of \$2,196.06.

To get a letter from the IRS to provide tax deductible status we may need to pay \$250.00

**Update on shoreline computation**

This coming Monday the computation will go forward to Blue Hill. The Orland assessor may then move forward and get support from the Orland Select Board.

**Executive session on fundraising**

Move - Dave

Second - John

All in favor 7:06

Return to meeting

Move - Dave

Second - John

7:27 - all in favor

**IRS and Tax Deductions**

George moved to spend \$250.00 to get the tax exemption document to prepare for tax deductible contributions.

Second - John

All in favor

Next meeting April 7, 2026 @ 6:00 pm - location to be announced

Adjourn

7:29

Move - George

Second - John

All in favor