## Town of Ira **Select Board Meeting Minutes** Date: November 25, 2025

Present: Nathan Hewitt, Tim Carter, Darin May, Deb Perry, Bobbi Raiche, Jerri Hoffman

Nathan called the meeting to order at 6:09 pm.

Review and approve agenda: Darin made a motion to approve the agenda, Tim 2<sup>nd</sup>; passed unanimously. Warrant for bills: Darin made a motion to approve & sign the 11/25//2025 (3) warrants, Nathan 2<sup>nd</sup>; passed unanimously.

Tim made a motion to approve the 10/28/25 meeting minutes; Nathan  $2^{nd}$ ; passed unanimously.

## **Business and Administrative**

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	RESOLUTION
Select Board	Appointment to the Regional Emergency Management Committee (REMC)	Bob Toppin and Dan Perry had been contacted and agreed to 2025-2026 fiscal appointments. Nathan made a motion to appoint Bob Toppin as the REMC Director and Dan Perry as the Emergency Services Voter for the fiscal year; Darin 2 <sup>nd</sup> ; passed unanimously.
	Budget FY27 discussion	Board reviewed and discussed line items.
Treasurer Report	None	None
Highway Business	General Road/equipment update	Another cylinder leaking on the grader. This will be fixed over the winter when grader is not in use.  Truck needs wing put on; some parts are back ordered.
		Dan from Avalanche will come and assess needs.
		The truck is registered for 26,000 lbs. There was additional discussion on CDL requirements. Currently have a CDL driver.
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<b>Public Comments</b>	None	None
Maintenance & Repairs to Town Buildings	Report of maintenance concerns from monthly inspection by DHP	No report; power washing of town office has not been done.
	School House roof	Some slate is missing; Nathan will contact Jim Mailhiot.
Cemetery Commit- tee	None	
New or Other Business		The board received a letter from a resident saying that dogs on Ira Birdseye Road had been on their property and were chasing deer. The dogs are registered. The dog ordinance policy states that dogs must be under owner's control. Justin Turner, Game Warden, has also received complaints. Nathan will contact the Town Constable to follow up.

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		Received a letter and invoice from the Vermont Council of Conservation Districts for Rutland rural fire protection program in the amount of \$200. No action taken.
Executive Session (legal, personnel, real estate)	None	None
Adjourn		Tim made a motion to adjourn at 7:11 pm:, Darin 2 <sup>nd</sup> ; passed unanimously.

In my capacity as the minute recorder for the Ira Select Board, I certify that the above is a true and accurate copy of the approval minutes of the board meeting held on November 25, 2025.

Recording: Jerri Hoffman