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Town of Ira
Select Board Meeting Minutes
Date: January 27, 2026

Present: Nathan Hewitt, Tim Carter, Bobbi Raiche, Jerri Hoffman, Larry Taggart, Alden Hewitt, Nathan called the meeting to order at 6:07 pm.

Review and approve agenda: Nathan made a motion to approve the agenda, Tim 2nd; passed unanimously.

Warrant for bills: Tim made a motion to approve & sign the 01/27/26 warrant, Nathan 2nd; passed unanimously.

Nathan made a motion to approve the 12/23/25 meeting minutes, Tim 2nd; passed unanimously.

Business and Administrative

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	RESOLUTION
Select Board	<p>Review, adopt and sign the warning for the Annual Town Meeting</p> <p>Town Hall use and rental agreements signed: 2/7/26 potluck and 2/14/26 CPR Training</p> <p>Review amendment request for Road Erosion Inventory Agreement</p> <p>Review & Complete Small-Scale Grant</p>	<p>Nathan made a motion to adopt and sign the warning; Tim 2nd; passed unanimously.</p> <p>The two rental agreements have been signed.</p> <p>Amendment was reviewed. Nathan made a motion to approve the amendment, Tim 2nd; passed unanimously.</p> <p>The grant is due February 2nd. Nathan made a motion to have Tim complete the grant, Tim 2nd; passed unanimously. No town match is required.</p>
Treasurer Report	None	None
Highway Business	<p>General Road/equipment update</p> <p>Certificate of highway mileage</p>	<p>Lightbar was purchased for the town truck and Tim will install. Roads are being well maintained.</p> <p>Annual certification of town highway mileage; there are no changes. Tim made a motion to approve; Nathan 2nd; passed unanimously; Board signed.</p>
TOPIC		
Public Comments		Larry commented that the Board is doing a great job.
Maintenance & Repairs to Town Buildings	<p>Report of maintenance concerns from monthly inspection by DHP</p> <p>School House roof</p>	<p>No report</p> <p>Nathan has gotten no response and will place another call</p>

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		to Jim Mailhoit.
Cemetery Committee		Jerri advised that members of the Ira Historical Society have expressed interest in conducting a work day this summer.
New or Other Business		<p>Dogs running at large on Ira Birdseye Road continues to be an issue. The Town Constable visited but the owners did not answer. A registered letter from the Board will be sent to the dog owners with a copy of the dog ordinance policy providing a date for them to address the issue.</p> <p>Board reviewed the 2025 Equalization Study Results showing Common Level of Appraisal.</p> <p>The town's appointment to the Regional Ambulance Service Board is up for renewal. The Select Board will be receiving a letter requesting reappointment or appointment. Jerri does not wish to be reappointed. Larry Taggart indicated willingness to serve on the Board.</p>
Executive Session (legal, personnel, real estate)	None	None
Adjourn		Nathan made a motion to adjourn at 7:11 pm, Tim 2nd; 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 January 27, 2026.		

Recording: Jerri Hoffman