

Town of Burnham

Select Board Minutes for Tuesday, May 27, 2025

Present: S. Huff, R. Basford, B. Chase and eleven others

The meeting was called to order at 7:0 PM.

Motion made by (BC) seconded by (RB) to accept the May 12, 2025, select board minutes; vote was unanimous.

Motion made by (BC) seconded by (RB) to pay Warrant # 21 Payroll; vote was unanimous.

Motion made by (SH) seconded by (RB) to pay Warrant # 22; vote was unanimous.

Motion made by (RB) seconded by (SH), after much discussion, to send the necessary information to our Town attorney for clarification about Parsons Lane, and whether Parsons Lane is a Town road; vote was unanimous.

Motion made by (SH) seconded by (BC) to sign a two-year lease, with Brian Kenney, with automatic renewal, for the Kenney Ball Field for recreation purposes; vote was unanimous.

Motion made by (SH) seconded by (RB) to appoint Andrya Pulaski & Jamie Young to the Recreation Committee; vote was unanimous.

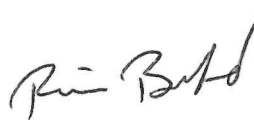
Motion made by (RB) seconded by (BC) to sign the MSAD #53 School Budget Warrant & Notice of Elections; vote was unanimous.

The Road commissioner discussed with the selectboard the need for several repairs to the Sand & Salt Shed. The door latch & track wheels on the doors, saying they were rusty and broken, also a rust hole in the back wall of the building needs to be fixed and the walls need to be sprayed down, and a wall coating applied. The selectboard asked the administrative assistant to contact Apollo Properties, LLC & Mike Sadulski.

The selectboard reviewed an email from Maine Resource Recovery Association/Victor Horton about the procedure for removal of soda & Co2 tanks. No action was taken.

The selectboard discussed KVCOG Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event. After much discussion (RB) made a motion (BC) seconded the motion to take no action due to the costs associated with participation in this event; vote was unanimous.

Motion made by (RB) seconded by (BC) to take \$150.00 out of the cemeteries account to reimburse Sherri Thorton for a grave opening/closing charge. The selected company charged \$450.00 to open & close a grave; the Town of Burnham's Cemetery Rules & Regulations only allows a charge of \$300.00 to open & close a grave; vote was unanimous.



The dump attendant reported a broken clamp at the Transfer station. Brent Chase said he would fix the clamp the next day.

Motion made by (RB) seconded by (SH) to recess the selectboard meeting and enter Executive Session – 1 M.R.S.A. § 405(6)(F) Discussion of Confidential Records, about an animal seizure case in Town; vote was unanimous.

Motion made by (RB) seconded by (SH) to end Executive Session – 1 M.R.S.A. § 405(6)(F) Discussion of Confidential Records and reopen the selectboard meeting; vote was unanimous.

The selectboard reviewed an Animal Control Officer Application and requested the applicant come in on June 9, 2025, for an interview.

Motion made by (RB) and seconded by (BC) to adjourn meeting @ 8:58 PM; vote was unanimous.