

SELECT BOARD MINUTES
WELLS TOWN OFFICE
August 25, 2026

PRESENT: Select Board: Don Preuss, Paul Woodruff Jr., Julie Cannata
Also: Sherry Newton, Nancy Dauenhauer via zoom, Amanda Weeden via zoom

1. Meeting was called to order by Selectboard Chair Don Preuss at 7:00 P.M.
2. Minutes were read and approved.
3. Bills were studied and discussed and orders were signed.
4. Paul made a motion to sign and approve the winter salt contract from Cargill. 2nd by Julie. Passed unanimously.
5. The Selectboard has spoken with Nora and money is available to purchase the sander.
6. Don would like the Transfer Station attendant applicant to work with Captain Jack a couple of days to if he would like the job.
7. The town had an insurance claim from a plowing incident this winter. They have received a bill from the insurance company saying the town was at fault and the cost of the claim.
8. Don talked about replacing the ramp at the library. The pressure treated ramp that is there now has been painted and repaired many times over the years. The present platform would stay in place. Don would like to see if a grant might be available to help with the cost of replacement.
9. The Selectboard discussed the Transfer Station bulky waste rates. The Selectboard has compared prices with what other towns are charging for bulky waste and we are extremely low. The Selectboard will go over the costs of items and come up with a new price list for bulky waste.
10. The grader has been repaired.
11. Don will trim some trees at the library. Don will check on windows for the library.
12. Julie made a motion to add town justices to the back of the general election ballot for the November 3, 2026 election. 2nd by Paul. Passed unanimously.
13. The Selectboard talked about moving forward with the salt shed.
14. Paul made a motion to adjourn at 8:05 P.M. 2nd by Julie. Passed unanimously.

Don Preuss

Paul Woodruff Jr.

Julie Cannata