



SELECTBOARD SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

Monday, July 13, 2026, at 5:00 pm

Hartford Town Hall, 171 Bridge Street,

White River Junction, VT 05001

This meeting was conducted in person at Town Hall

Present: Chair, Ida Griesemer; Vice Chair, Erik Krauss; Miranda Dupre; Michael Eigenbrode; Mary Erdei; John Haverstock; Gail Ostrout; Lisa O'Neil; Heidi Duto; John McKeon; Marcy Bartlett; Nudy Howey; Michael Dindo; Tindo Dindo; Michelle Wheatley; Dillon Walsh; Florentina Rollins; Nick Jones; JD Hawks; Melinda Brooks; Scott Cooney; Scott Hausler; Ally Cassidy; Halie Manley

Present on Zoom: Tim Fariel;

Absent: Clerk, Ashley Andreas;

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- I. Special Selectboard meeting called to order by Selectboard Chair Ida Griesemer at 5:02 PM.
- II. Order of Agenda: No changes.
- III. Public Comment: None
- IV. Selectboard Comment

Erik Krauss spoke on his thanks to all for patience and working through the hiring process.

Ida Griesemer spoke on the process, excitement for Gail Ostrout, and thanks to John Haverstock

- V. Appoint Town Manager

Selectboard Vice Chair Erik Krauss moved to appoint Gail Ostrout as Town Manager. Selectboard Member Miranda Dupre seconded the motion. All were in favor and the motion passed.

Gail Ostrout gave remarks

VI. Adjourn the Meeting

Selectboard Member Mary Erdei moved to adjourn the meeting at 5:15 PM.

Selectboard Member Miranda Dupre seconded the motion. All were in favor and the motion passed.

Ida Griesemer, Chair