

**TOWN OF BARNET, VERMONT
SELECTBOARD**

WARNING & AGENDA FOR SPECIAL MEETING

**DATE & TIME: WEDNESDAY, 19 AUGUST 2026 - 7:00 P.M.
LOCATION: BARNET TOWN HALL (154 CHURCH STREET)**

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AGENDA:

Each of the following items to be discussed or acted upon within a period not to exceed twenty minutes:

Approval of Minutes

1. Consideration of approval of minutes of regular meeting held 27 July 2026

Appearances by Members of the Public

2. Other business presented by members of the public

Appearances by Town Officers

3. Appearance by Road Foreman Mark Chase regarding Highway Department matters; take any action
 - a. Consideration of, and take any action on, correspondence from Vermont Agency of Transportation with recommendation of closure of Bridge #42 on Garland Hill
 - i. Consideration of, and take any action on, installation of temporary bridge
 - ii. Consideration of, and take any action on, planning for repairs or replacement of existing bridge structure
 - b. Consideration of, and take any action on, application of Andrew Sullivan and Elizabeth Medina for highway access on Comerford Dam Road
 - c. Consideration of, and take any action on, progress report on reimbursement funding for July 2024 flooding disaster
 - d. Other business
4. Other business presented by other town officers

New Business

5. Consideration of, and take any action on, correspondence from Sue Persson regarding resignation from Beach Committee
6. Consideration of, and take any action on, correspondence from Northeastern Vermont Development Association (NVDA) regarding town representative to NVDA Board of Directors
7. Consideration of, and take any action on, correspondence from New England Power Company (NEP) regarding petition to Vermont Public Utility Commission regarding proposal to upgrade portion of existing 34.5 kV line in Barnet
8. Consideration of, and take any action on, certification of 2026 property tax rates
9. Other business presented by Selectboard

Old Business

10. Consideration of, and take any action on, correspondence from Passumpsic Fire District #1 regarding resignation of Fire District officers
11. Consideration of, and take any action on, library electrical upgrades
12. Consideration of, and take any action on, proposed change of speed limit on Harvey Mountain Road
13. Consideration of, and take any action on, proposed sale of former Town Clerk's Office located at 1743 US Route 5 South

Check Warrants

14. Consideration of approval of outstanding check warrants

Executive Session(s) Anticipated

15. Consideration of, and take any action on, proposed tax appeal stipulation agreement with VTel Wireless (executive session anticipated pursuant to 1 V.S.A. § 313(a)(1)(F))

Adjournment

16. Adjournment

Attest: _____
Benjamin P. Heisholt, Town Clerk