

Town of Stratton
Selectman's Meeting
January 26, 2026

Present: Selectman: Chair – Al Dupell, Chris Liller, and Greg Marcucci; Clerk, Kent Young; and Treasurer – Alyson Peterson.

7:30 pm: Al Dupell called the meeting to order. Orders were reviewed and signed.

Modifications: No modifications were made.

Town Meeting Preparations: Alyson Peterson was present to discuss a request from the Stratton Mountain Volunteer Fire Co. to add an Article to the Warning to finance a new Fire Truck to replace the oldest of their trucks, which is about 30 years old. If the Selectmen wish to include this on the Warning, she and the Clerk had agreed upon one of the options presented by the finance co., The Article written was to finance the truck, with the first payment due in 2028, so that this will not affect the budget to be voted on this year. The Selectmen agreed with this option. They reviewed the full Warning. Chris Liller moved to approve the Warning. Greg Marcucci seconded – all concurred and all present signed the Warning. The Clerk stated that he will get it into the Town Report, which needs to be sent out to the printer in the next two days. At this time, Alyson Peterson left the meeting.

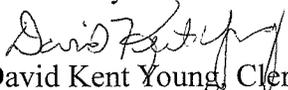
Town Forest: Following a discussion regarding the Nature Conservancy's latest proposal to resolve the dispute over the trails added within the Town Forest, the Selectmen believe that the trails are compliant with the deed restrictions. Chris Liller moved to reject the Nature Conservancy's proposal. Greg Marcucci seconded and all concurred. The Clerk will inform Attorney Fisher of their decision.

Road Crew Issues: Temporary Access Permit: Pitts and Sons Logging requested a temporary access permit onto National Forest property from Grout Pond Rd. The Road Foreman said that it was not located on the disputed land between the National Forest and Mr. Tarbell. Following a review, the Selectmen concurred and all present signed the temporary access permit. **Road Salt:** The Foreman explained that salt has been difficult to obtain especially for private contractors, but that currently he has a sufficient supply. **Transfer Station Issues:** Chris Liller said that he had compared our charges for refuse with surrounding towns and thought that we need to increase the charge for mattresses and construction debris. The Board agreed that they should do so, once an appropriate price has been determined.

Minutes: Greg Marcucci motioned to approve the Selectman's minutes of January 12, 2026. Chris Liller seconded – all concurred.

Adjourn: Chris Liller motioned to adjourn at 8:00pm. Greg Marcucci seconded – all concurred and the meeting adjourned.

Minutes by:


David Kent Young, Clerk