

VILLAGE OF ENOSBURG FALLS
Meeting of the Board of Trustees
May 26th, 2026

Present: Eli Gabuzda, Leonard Charron, Heather Moore, David Gervais

Staff: John Dasaro, Laurie Stanley

Public: Jim McKinstry, Karen and Gary Jacobs, Roberta Morin, Northwest Access Cable

The meeting was called to order by Eli Gabuzda at 6:31pm

1. Modifications/Changes to Agenda

Add executive Session; For the Purpose of Discussing Negotiations in which Premature Public Knowledge May Compromise the Position of the Municipality to item 11 and move item 11 to item 12.

2. Public Comment

None

3. Review/Approve Minutes for May 12th, 2026.

A motion was made by David Gervais to approve the minutes for May 12, 2026, as presented. Seconded by Leonard Charron. Heather Moore abstained from the vote due to her absence during the May 12, 2026, meeting. Unanimous

4. 594 W Enosburg Rd – rescinding of one allocation request

Leonard Charron made a motion to rescind one water allocation from 594 W. Enosburg Road. Seconded by David Gervais. Unanimous

5. Investor in the Spavin Cure, Village Manager to discuss CHIP and Preservation Trust Grant

John Dasaro explained that a potential investor is interested in meeting with the Board to discuss the possibility of the Village assisting with applications for CHIP and Preservation Trust grants related to the Spavin Cure. The Board expressed interest in pursuing further discussion.

6. Review quotes for leased Wastewater pickup truck or purchase.

The Board reviewed the quotes for purchasing or leasing of a pickup truck with a extended cab and plow for the Wastewater Dept. David Gervais made a motion to purchase the truck from Champlain Chevrolet using the funds from the truck savings account and the balance from the operating checking account. Seconded by Heather Moore. Unanimous

7. Motion to change Staff Accountant and CSR's job description.

David Gervais made a motion to approve the Staff Accountant and Customer Service Representative job descriptions as presented. Seconded by Heather Moore. Unanimous

8. ATV ordinance – a petition to repeal was received by the Clerk, discussion.

John Dasaro reviewed the response provided by the Village's attorney and VLCT regarding the wording of the petition received to repeal the ATV ordinance. The Board discussed that even though it isn't worded correctly they understand the intent. There was discussion on next steps. The village would need to get legal assistance to word it correctly, then present it to the public at a special meeting then hold a vote after the special meeting. Heather Moore made a motion

to accept the petition as intended and hold a special meeting to be held on June 9, 2026, to vote on a legally worded ballot item. Seconded by David Gervais. Unanimous.

There was further discussion regarding lack of policing related to current ATV enforcement. Heather Moore and John Dasaro explained that, because policing falls under the Town of Enosburgh General Fund, the Town would be responsible for providing law enforcement coverage.

9. Vermont Gas line installation approval.

David Gervais made a motion to approve the Vermont Gas Line Permit for a gas line installation at 363 Dickinson Avenue. Seconded by Leonard Charron. Unanimous.

10. Other Business

- Eli let the board know that a member of the Town of Enosburgh's band was very appreciative of the new lighting under the band stand.
- David Gervais on behalf of the board wanted to thank veterans for their service.

11. Executive Session For the Purpose of Discussing Negotiations in which Premature Public Knowledge May Compromise the Position of the Municipality.

Heather Moore made a motion to enter executive session at 7:10pm. Seconded by David Gervais. Unanimous.

Heather Moore made a motion to re-enter the Board's regular meeting. Seconded by David Gervais. The Board re-entered their regular meeting at 7:50pm.

No actions were taken.

12. Adjourn

There being no other business to come before the Board at this time David Gervais made a motion to adjourn. Second by Leonard Charron. The meeting was adjourned at 7:52pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Laurie Stanley
Staff Accountant

These minutes were approved by the Board of Trustees at a Regular Board Meeting on June 9, 2026.