



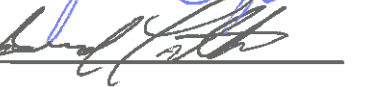


**Select Board Meeting
Town of Bowdoin
03/17/2025**

A true record is recorded:







Those present:

Marc Bernier

Brad Totten

Jane Boyle

6:30 PM: Pledge of Allegiance

Administrative: signed warrants for 03/17/2025 and minutes for 03/10/2025. Brad made the motion to accept the minutes, Jane second, all in favor

Other business:

- The Board signed paperwork from MDOT regarding overweight permits that may be needed while the bridge on Main Street/Rt 125 is being replaced, The Board requested the names of the roads MDOT would be using so the Town could require a bond from the contractor if needed. Melanie will call MDOT and get those road names.
- Russ Stevens came in to inform the Board of a broken pole on Litchfield Road leaning out into the Road. CMP has already replaced the pole and moved the power lines onto the new pole. The remaining cables on the broken pole are pulling it toward the Road are telephone and cable. The Town will attempt to contact Comcast and X-finity and request they move their cables to the new pole and remove the old pole.
- Members of the Fire dept and Ladies auxiliary were in to discuss how to increase staffing of the Fire Station. Several ideas were discussed including how other Fire Departments in the area are staffing

their stations. It was a productive discussion, and all look forward to future discussions as we work toward the goal of staffing the Fire Station.

- The Board discussed a request from Jerry Highfil to see the opinion from the Town Attorney concerning his proposed ordinance and why the Town Attorney says his ordinance is not enforceable. The Board will speak with the Town Attorney to see if the opinion can be released to Mr. Highfil.

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Adjournment at 8:18 PM. Motion by Jane, second by Marc, all in favor.

Respectfully submitted by Melanie R. Page Town Clerk