Town of Swanzey, New Hampshire
Board of Selectmen
Meeting – Thursday, May 28, 2026
Town Hall - 620 Old Homestead Hwy - Lower-Level Conference Rm - Swanzey, NH

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Chair James Tempesta at 11:30am at Town Hall - 620 Old Homestead Hwy in the Lower-Level Conference Rm, Swanzey, NH. Other members present were Selectmen Mark LaBelle, W William Hutwelker, James Ward, Alan Gross and Town Administrator Lori Rautiola.

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The Board discussed a resident's offer to let the town lease the house at 106 Partridgeberry Lane. The Board decided not to pursue this option. Lori agreed to call and notify them of the Board's decision.

Lori left the meeting at 11:46am.

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ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Mark LaBelle to adjourn the meeting; Jay Ward seconded the motion, and it passed 5-0.

Adjournment occurred at 1pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jay Ward
Secretary of the Select Board

Approved on June 3, 2026