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Monday-Thursday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

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The Town Hall will be closed Monday, February 17th for President's Day. The Transfer Station WILL be open.

NOTICE

On January 6, the Selectboard adopted the Ethics and Investigation Enforcement Ordinance. This notice is published pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 1972 to inform the public of this ordinance and of the citizens' right to petition for a vote to disapprove these amendments.

The full text of the ordinance may be found at www.wallingfordvt.com on the VT Open Meeting Law and Code of Ethics page under the Government heading on the Home page. The full text of the Ordinance may be examined at Wallingford Town Hall, 75 School Street, during regular office hours.

Title 24 V.S.A. §1973 grants citizens the right to petition for a vote at a special or annual Town Meeting to disapprove ordinance amendments adopted by the Selectboard. To exercise this right, citizens must present to the Selectboard or Town Clerk a petition for a vote on the question of disapproving the amendments signed by not less than five percent (5%) of the Town's

qualified voters. The petition must be presented within 44 days following the date of the adoption of the amendments. Unless a petition requesting a vote is filed pursuant to 24 V.S.A. §1973, the amended Revised Ordinances of Wallingford, Title 4: Health & Welfare shall become effective 60 days from the date of said adoption.

Additional information pertaining to this Ordinance may be obtained by contacting Town Administrator, Sandi Switzer, 75 School Street, or by calling (802) 446-2872 during regular office hours.



2025 Dog Licenses

In the 2024 session, the Legislature increased the fee to be collected for the State's Rabies

Control Program from \$1 to \$3, for each license sold, effective January 1st. (Act 167) <https://legislature.vermont.gov/bill/status/2024/H.626>

The purpose of this increase was to create a new division under the Department of Public Safety called the Division of Animal Welfare. This division was sought in response to the number of animal cruelty complaint cases reaching a crisis point. This new animal welfare division will be the point of contact for citizens to report animal abuse.

This new bill also created an animal welfare fund to, among other things, compensate rescue organizations for some expenses. Therefore, dog fees increased \$2 effective January 1st. Fees are now \$12 for spayed/neutered dogs; otherwise, it's \$16.

Vermont state law requires all dogs, age 6-months and older, to be registered by April 1st each year. If you become a dog owner after April 1st, you will need to license the animal within 30 days.

Dog licenses are available at the Town Clerk's Office. A current rabies certificate is also required. You may register in person, by mail, online, or drop your payment through the front door mail slot at Town Hall. Please provide the following: A copy of the most current Rabies Certificate and Payment. Pay online at: <https://www.wallingfordvt.com>. Give us a call at 802-446-2336 or send us an email at: townclerk@wallingfordvt.com to see if we have an updated rabies certificate. We're happy to mail you the license and tag.

NOTICE

Cut off date for submissions is the 23rd of each month. Send articles to:
Julie Sharon at
townclerk@wallingfordvt.com.

The Standard's mission is to provide information on Town news and to be pro active for local business and events. We hereby reserve the right to refuse articles that express opinions of political nature in order to give our readership a format of information without prejudice.

REGULAR MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Conservation Commission	4th Monday of every month	4:30 p.m. Town Hall
Planning Commission	2nd Tuesday of every month	7:00 p.m. Town Hall
Prudential Committee	1st & 3rd Wednesday	6:00 p.m. Town Hall
Selectboard	1st & 3rd Monday	6:30 p.m. Town Hall
Energy Committee	1st Tuesday of each month	5:30 p.m. Town Hall
Development Review Board	3rd Wednesday of each month	7:00 p.m. Town Hall
Recreation Committee	2nd Thursday of every month	5:30 p.m. Town Hall
Shade Preservation Committee	2nd Tuesday of every month	6:00 p.m. Town Hall
Mill River Unified School District	1st Wednesday 3rd Wednesday	7:00 p.m. MRUHS
Wallingford Rotary	Every Monday except holidays	7:00 a.m. Rotary
Bone Builders	Every Tuesday & Thursday	9:00 a.m. Library
Wallingford Vol Fire Dept. Training	Every Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Wallingford Fire Station
Wallingford Food Shelf	Every Tuesday & Thursday	9:00 a.m.-Noon Town Hall
EW Vol Fire Dept. Training	First Monday of every month	8:00 p.m. EW Fire Station
Library Board	2nd Tuesday of every month	6:30 p.m. Gilbert Hart Library
Friends Meeting	2nd Thursday of every month	10:00 a.m. Gilbert Hart Library
Legion Breakfast Meeting	1st Tuesday	8:00 a.m. Wallingford Cong. Church
Community Acupuncture	4th Tuesday of most months	6:30 p.m. RSVP Thrive Ctr 802-446-2499

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GILBERT HART LIBRARY by Wendy Savery

The library will host a community discussion connected to the VT Reads selection *Gather* by Kenneth Cadow on Friday, February 7 at 3:30 p.m. downstairs in the Klock Room. Copies of the book are available now at the circulation desk. Please consider reading this poignant story and stay tuned as another event around this title may surface this spring.

February might be a great month to try snowshoeing. We have several pairs available to check out.

Staying home and warm? We've got books and puzzles galore, as well as a selection of DVD's and access to streaming video, audiobooks, and ebooks available for the tall and the small with the use of your library card number. And as always, when we don't have what you are looking for within our walls, Vermont's system of interlibrary loan and the courier delivery service can often be used to get your selection to you.

A special thank you to our trustees and volunteers who give their time and talent to keep the library running smoothly and support our librarians in daily operations. Gilbert Hart feels the love of the Wallingford community!

Hours: Monday, Wednesday-Friday 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
and Saturday 9 a.m.-1 p.m. 802-446-2685



NOTICE TO VOTERS

MRUUSD's Annual Meeting will be held on February 27th at 7:00 p.m. in the MRUHS Library at 2321 Middle Road, Clarendon to transact the following:

ARTICLE 1 To elect the following officers: a. Moderator; b. Clerk; c. Treasurer.

ARTICLE 2 To authorize the Board of School Directors to borrow money pending receipt of payment from district towns by the issuance of notes or orders payable not later than one year from date.

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ARTICLE 3 To have presented by the Board of School Directors their estimate of the expenses for the ensuing year. This is a public informational hearing regarding the budget article. (See Article 4).

ARTICLE 4 Shall the voters of the Mill River Unified Union School District approve the school board to expend \$22,042,475, which is the amount the school board has determined to be necessary for the ensuing fiscal year? (By Australian Ballot) The Mill River Unified Union School District estimates that this proposed budget, if approved, will result in per pupil education spending of \$13,570.29, which is 5.12% higher than per pupil education spending for the current year.

ARTICLE 5 Shall the voters authorize the District to transfer current surplus funds to the building sinking fund in the amount of \$300,000? (By Australian Ballot)

The meeting will then be recessed to March 4, 2025 (Town Meeting Day) for the purpose of voting by Australian ballot at the usual polling places in the District towns on the following business. Said ballots shall be brought to the Mill River Union High School cafeteria following the closing of the polls in the District towns where they will be commingled and counted by the officers of the District towns.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Seller: Greg Durgin; Buyers: Pam Atkinson & Joe Squilla; 415 Route 103, East Wallingford; Purchase Price: \$24,500; Assessed Value: \$16,400.

Seller: VT State Grange; Buyers: Brandon Ciarlo et al; 31 Dugway Road; Purchase Price: \$89,000; Assessed Value: \$101,300.

Seller: Estate of Joseph Batten; Buyer: Sean Brothers; 31 Circular Avenue; Purchase Price: \$83,000; Assessed Value: \$80,100.

Seller: Kristine Perry; Buyers: Burke Schmollinger & Sara Laurence; 155 Olde Pine Lane; Purchase Price: \$392,500; Assessed Value: \$254,800.

Seller: StaJay Properties; Buyer: 11 Meadow LLC; 11 Meadow Street; Purchase Price: \$150,000; Assessed Value: \$119,400.

Seller: Chris Nash; Buyer: 380 North End Drive LLC; 380 North End Drive; Purchase Price: \$70,000; Assessed Value: \$58,400.

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Selectboard Meeting Highlights

1/6. The Selectboard: 1) Discussed possible solar options and requirements for replacement of the town's sand shed that's in the floodplain with State of VT Floodplain Manager K. Medash; 2) reviewed the proposed FY'26 Revenue and Administration budgets; 3) heard an update on the Boy with the Boot restoration options; 4) approved two town meeting warning articles for reserve funds from Wallingford Day and Communication (newsletter) donations; 5) approved signing the one-year contract extension agreement with the National Center for Electronic Recycling; 6) adopted a new Code of Ethics Investigation & Enforcement Ordinance that became law in June, 2024; 7) was told that the pre-application for the Land & Water Conservation Fund grant for the concession stand upgrades made it thru the preliminary round; 8) was told that Act 68 of 2023 will require municipalities to most likely have to conduct full reappraisals every 6 years; and 9) was told that the State approved a cannabis license for a Wallingford applicant.

1/20. The Selectboard: 1) Discussed the State-issued Certificate of Public Good for a net metering solar array installation at the garage. The Town has a year to replace the sand shed in order to get the solar arrays installed. C. Behrendt said at an RRPC gathering of Selectboard members, officials were cautioned about the regulations attached to federal/state grants for sand sheds that drove costs much higher. R. Barker asked about a bond vote. As well as construction cost estimates; 2) approved the annual VTrans certificate of mileage report; 3) approved the warning that included another article for reserve funds for the restoration and maintenance from donations for the Boy with the Boot. The change in the total proposed budget from last year is +\$39,250 or 2.63%; 4) reviewed the town report dedication; 5) revisited the employee health insurance opt out payment; 6) accepted Town Constable R. Cook's resignation effective at the end of his term in March; and 7) agreed that the language in Stone Meadow's deed would prohibit the installation of solar arrays on the hillside.

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By Vermont law, property owners whose homes meet the definition of a Vermont homestead must file a Homestead Declaration annually by the April filing deadline-April 15, 2025.

In Vermont, all property is subject to education property tax to pay for the state's schools. For this purpose, the property is categorized as either nonhomestead or homestead. All property is considered *nonhomestead unless* it is declared as a *homestead*. The education property tax rate levied on nonhomestead property differs from the rate levied on homestead property.

It is your responsibility as the property owner to claim the property as a homestead if you meet, or expect to meet, the following requirements: 1) You are a Vermont resident and 2) You own and occupy a homestead as your domicile as of 4/1/25.

How to File: Online - Taxpayers may file returns using myVTax at myvtax.vermont.gov, the state's free, secure online filing site. Paper Returns - If you cannot file and pay through myVTax, you may still use the paper forms. The Homestead Declaration is filed using Form HS-122, the Homestead Declaration, and Property Tax Credit Claim.

Most file the Homestead Declaration with the VT income tax return. However, if you apply to extend the time to file your income tax return, *the Homestead Declaration must still be filed by the April filing deadline*. Even if you are not required to file a VT Income Tax Return, the declaration must **STILL** be filed by the deadline.

FILING DEADLINE—APRIL 15

Veterans and Property Taxes: What You Should Know

Don't forget to file your application to receive the 2025 Property Tax Exemption for Disabled Veterans and their Survivors before MAY 1st.

The following are eligible for the exemption: Veterans receiving Disability Compensation at a rating of 50% or higher; Veterans receiving Non-Service Connected Pension aka V.A. Pension or Widower's Pension; or Military retirement pay for a permanent medical military retirement.

The exemption is \$40,000 in Wallingford. The exemption reduces the appraised value of the home prior to the assessment of taxes. The exemption only applies to Primary Residences that are owned by the veteran or survivor.

To receive the exemption, the veteran must provide proof of eligibility to the VT Office of Veterans Affairs every year. Veterans who are determined to be totally and permanently disabled only have to provide proof of eligibility the first year they use the benefit for a home (if they move to a new home in a different town, they will have to provide proof of eligibility again). Proof of eligibility is provided by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. Need help? Call the VT Office of Veterans Affairs at 802-828-3379.

FILING DEADLINE—APRIL 30

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VOTE FOR GLENN MAYER

Hi, my name is Glenn Mayer and I'm running for the Wallingford Selectboard. I'm excited for the opportunity to serve this wonderful community and to ensure that it remains a welcoming place that is well-run and fiscally sound. Between graduating from Dartmouth in 1983, and retiring from Bank of America last year, I have decades of experience in financial services as an auditor, project manager, and software engineer. I would be honored to apply my skills and energy to making Wallingford the best place it can be.

Greetings from Mill River Unified Union School District. The board unanimously approved our proposed FY26 budget at the January 8th school board meeting.



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Over the past five months, we have worked to create a district budget that serves the needs of our students while recognizing our responsibilities to our community tax payers. To this end we have created a fiscal year 2026 budget with input from community members, district staff, and our board's finance committee. This proposed budget has many strategic cuts to spending with an important addition of two math interventionists to be shared among the elementary schools.

Other additions to the budget include, a high school special education social worker position, funding for high school summer programs, an upgraded registered nurse position (previously a nurse aide position), and the purchase of a new bus.

Even with these meaningful additions, as well as rising healthcare costs, staff increases, and general inflation, we have kept the total expenditure budget to \$22,042,475, or just a 3.32% increase over FY25. Our total spending per student is estimated at a 5.12% increase, as we have also had a small decline in student numbers. We can expect that about half of the expenditure budget will be funded by the state education fund and other outside funding sources, and half covered by locally collected taxes.

At this time, final town tax rates with included CLA adjustments can only be projected as the state will need to adjust the yield number AFTER town meeting day's budgets are voted on throughout the state. That being said, our local projections look better than the state's prediction of an average property tax increase of 5.9%. As of mid January, we are projecting property tax rate percentage changes as follows; Tinmouth with a -10.3% decrease, and Clarendon 0.48%, Shrewsbury 1.18%, and Wallingford 0.57% with increases.

Again, these are our best current projections. Typically the final numbers don't change much, but this year given some changes in the 2024 yield bill, we believe there could be a little more movement, perhaps a percentage point or more.

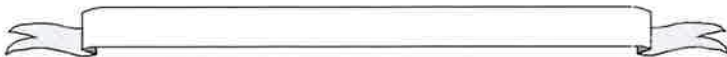
The board feels this proposed budget best serves the needs of our students while recognizing our responsibilities to our community tax payers, and the question of its approval will be on your Town Meeting Day ballot.

The ballot will also ask voters to authorize the district to transfer \$300,000 of current surplus funds to the building sinking fund. This is existing surplus money from this fiscal year that will go towards large facilities projects such as school floors, heating systems, parking lots, etc.

Looking forward, we are keeping an eye on changes in education at the state level. Governor Scott's inaugural address called for "an entirely new student centered funding formula", as well as "a new simpler governance structure". We should have more clarity on these proposals in the Governor's upcoming proposed state budget. We welcome positive change, and we have a plan in case nothing changes.

We welcome your budget questions and comments at our annual meeting on Thursday, February 27th, at 7:00 p.m. in the Mill River Library. School board members are not required to attend all town meeting day informational meetings, but are going to make every effort to be present for questions at these meetings as well.

You can find more information about Mill River Unified Union School District, our board, and meeting agendas and minutes at <https://www.mruusd.org>. You can find information on upcoming school board meetings and their virtual sign in information at <https://www.mruusd.org/board/calendar>.



ANNE AWAD for SELECTBOARD

I ask for your vote on March 4 as I try for a seat on the Selectboard. I am one of those {dreaded} summer people who has been coming up to Wallingford every year for 40 years. I always loved the Town and moved up here to our "vacation home" 8 years ago. I am here to stay (Bought our plots in the Green Hill Cemetery!).

I have time and skills to offer. I am retired from a large health center in Springfield where I developed and managed a \$22 million dollar budget and had a staff of over 400 people. I was previously on the Amherst, MA Selectboard for 9 years (Chair for 8 years). I love the role, even the pain of making sure the budget balances, and I know it will combine my love for Wallingford with making sure we keep the Town both forward-looking and stable.

I am eager to talk to anyone with concerns or hopes for the town. anneawad@comcast.net or 802-446-2227.



→ Don't forget that that any issues involving snow on the sidewalks are handled by Wallingford Fire District #1. The contact info is: Fire District Clerk/Treasurer: Marianne McClure; Telephone: (802) 446-2964; or E-Mail: walfired1@vermontel.net.



→ To report a road issue, leave a message at the Town Garage at (802) 446-2472. The Road Commissioner can be reached at (802) 446-2131. State Highways (Routes 7, 7B, 103, 140 East, & 155) are maintained by the Vermont Department of Transportation.



Congratulations to Liz Filskov and Patrick Wheeler who were wed on January 1st.

Do you need a Notary Public? The Town Clerk's office offers this FREE service. It's available any time the office is open.



Wallingford High School Alumni Association

The Wallingford High School Alumni Association will be busy making plans for our annual banquet, which is scheduled for Saturday, July 12th, at the West Rutland American Legion. This will be an incredibly special celebration because it has been 50 years since the high school closed.

We want to get the date out there early so that Alumni can plan to attend the event. Classes will have time to make plans for their reunions. There will be more information in the annual Alumni newsletter, which will be mailed in late April. If you have any questions, ideas or suggestions as to how we can celebrate this milestone event, please contact anyone on the Board of Directors. We will be meeting on a regular basis beginning in a few weeks and would like to hear any thoughts that you may have. Any input would be greatly appreciated.

Just a reminder about our Scholarship Program. If you know anyone interested in applying, they need to check with the Mill River Guidance Office for guidelines and application(s). The deadline is May 1st.

Alumni, join the fun on Memorial Day, Monday, May 26th, by walking in the Wallingford parade! We will be meeting at the Rescue Squad building on Maple Street at 9:30 a.m. and walking to the Green Hill Cemetery on South Main Street. We do have space for a few alumni for those that cannot walk.

Board of Directors: Conrad Waite, Rita Bruce Reynolds, Sharon Seaver, Goldie Frederick Nemeth, Meg Raiche Macheski, John Colvin, Lester Hawkins, Rita Boyer Brooks, Penny Nichols Macheski, Trudy Young Dias, and Andrea Wade Ryan

Ballroom Dance Classes

Patti Panebianco will host a series of Ballroom Dance Classes at Wallingford Town Hall, 75 School Street on Tuesday evenings. For more information, visit the Community Events page at www.wallingfordvt.com.

First class to new students is free so what do you have to lose but your cabin fever? Fee is per class or the whole session. And remember that NO partner is required.

Class may be rescheduled or cancelled if less than 4 students attend.

Make up classes allowed. No refunds. For inquiries or questions, contact Patti at pattipdance@gmail.com or 516-909-1686.

Permission to burn is granted only by the town fire warden. Call Fire Warden Roger Sheehan 802-548-6298 for Wallingford and Deputy Fire Warden Marty Rabtoy 802-345-5550 for East Wallingford.



Hazardous Household Waste Days

Rutland County Solid Waste District will sponsor free Household Hazardous Waste collection days at the Transfer Station on May 17th, July 19th and September 20th in 2025 from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. each day.



The Town of Wallingford, under the guidance of Director Lawrie Roundy, will offer a wonderful four-week program this summer featuring swimming, sports, crafts, cooking and more. Dates of camp weeks:

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Registration forms are on the municipal website www.wallingfordvt.com and on the Home page click on **Departments** then **Recreation and Elfin Lake** in the drop-down menu. Or email townadmin@wallingfordvt.com for a registration form.

What's happening in Wallingford? Check out the Community Page at www.wallingfordvt.com. And sign up on Front Porch Forum. Front Porch Forum is a free community-building service in Vermont. Your neighborhood's forum is only open to the people who live here. It's all about helping neighbors connect.

Once again, it's time for **Cabin Fever Fun Day** at Stone Meadow! Kicking off the school vacation week, it will be sledding on the giant hill (or nearby smaller hills), enjoying grilled hot dogs and hot chocolate, walking or skiing the many trails including the Book Path, gathering around the cozy fire to make yummy S'mores! Fun Day will be Sunday, February 16th from Noon to 2 p.m. by the main parking lot on Waldo Lane next to the Transfer Station. If bad weather, we'll postpone Fun Day to Sunday, February 23rd. The Wallingford Conservation Committee is hoping for lots of snow!



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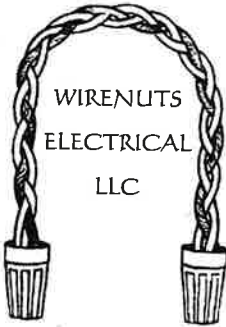
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E. Wallingford Resident
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Wallingford residents deserve a big
Congratulations for recycling a total of 5,288
pounds of plastic in 2024 thru the Trex program
at the Transfer Station. Without your
participation, the plastic would have ended up
in the solid waste stream at considerable
expense to the Town and taxpayers.

Thank you for recycling plastics and let's get
even bigger numbers in 2025!

