



# Town of Amherst, NH

## BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING MINUTES

Barbara Landry Meeting Room  
2 Main Street  
Monday, January 11, 2021 6:00PM

1       **1. Call to Order**

2       Chairman Peter Lyon called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

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4       Attendees by Zoom conference call: Chairman Peter Lyon, Selectman Dwight Brew,  
5       Selectman Reed Panasiti, Selectman John D'Angelo, and Selectman Tom Grella.  
6       Also present: Town Administrator Dean Shankle

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8       Other attendees and the public accessed the meeting via Zoom.

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10      Chairman Lyon explained that, pursuant to the State of Emergency declared by the  
11      Governor as a result of the COVID19 pandemic and in accordance with his Emergency  
12      Order #12, this meeting is authorized to take place electronically. There is no physical  
13      location to observe and listen to this meeting. However, in accordance with the  
14      Emergency Order, we are:

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16      Utilizing Zoom teleconferencing for this meeting. All members of the Board have the  
17      ability to communicate during the meeting through this platform and the public has access  
18      to contemporaneously listen and if necessary, participate in the meeting by dialing +1 301  
19      715 8592 and using a webinar ID of 89287026894 or by using the link contained in the  
20      agenda posted at amherstnh.gov.

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22      Notice of the meeting and means to access it were previously posted in accordance with  
23      law. Members of the public that have phoned into the meeting can raise their hand by  
24      pressing the \*9 on their phone, in order to make it known that they would like to speak to  
25      the Board. If anyone has a problem accessing the meeting, please call 603-440-8248 for  
26      assistance. In the event the public is unable to access the meeting, the meeting will be  
27      adjourned and rescheduled.

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29      All votes will be taken by roll call and for ease, in alphabetical order.

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31      The Board started by taking a roll call vote and stating if they were alone.

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33      *Roll call vote: Selectman Brew – present; Selectman D'Angelo – present; Selectman*  
34      *Grella – present; Selectman Panasiti – present; Chairman Lyon – present. All noted*  
35      *themselves as being alone.*

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38      **2. 2. Non-Public Session, RSA 91-a:3, II (c)**

39 *A MOTION was made by Selectman Brew and SECONDED by Selectman Panasiti to enter*  
40 *into Non-Public Session per RSA 91-A:3, II (c)*

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42 *By roll call vote: Selectman Brew - aye; Selectman D ' Angelo - aye; Selectman Grella -*  
43 *aye; Selectman Panasiti - aye; Chairman Lyon - aye. 5-0-0; motion carried unanimously.*

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45 The Board entered Non-Public Session at 6:04pm.

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47 No motions were made and no action was taken in this non-public session.

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49 *A MOTION was made by Selectman Grella and SECONDED by Selectman D'Angelo to exit*  
50 *Non-Public Session.*

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52 *By roll call vote: Selectman Brew - aye; Selectman D ' Angelo - aye; Selectman Grella -*  
53 *aye; Selectman Panasiti - aye; Chairman Lyon - aye. 5-0-0; motion carried unanimously.*

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55 The Board exited Non-Public Session at 6:20 pm.

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57 The Chairman announced that no motions were made, and no action was taken in the non-  
58 public session.

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60 *A MOTION was made by Selectman D'Angelo and SECONDED by Selectman Grella to*  
61 *adjourn the meeting at 6:21pm.*

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63 *By roll call vote: Selectman Brew – aye; Selectman D'Angelo – aye; Selectman Grella – aye;*  
64 *Selectman Panasiti – aye; Chairman Lyon – aye. 5-0-0; motion carried unanimously.*

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66 **NEXT MEETING: Monday, January 11, 2021 at 6:30 pm**

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71 *Selectman Reed Panasiti*

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*Date*