Sullivan Select Board
Meeting Minutes
September 3, 2026

Selectmen: Gregory Ring, and Michael Hosking and Michael Pinkham I
Town Manager: Ray Weintraub, **Town Clerk:** Yvette Grindle
Audience: John Keenan, Gerald Erbes, and Donald Snoke (Via Zoom)

1. **Call Meeting to Order**

Michael Hosking called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 3.00 pm

2. **Review of Selectboard Policy**

Michael Hosking reminded everyone that the Selectboard Meeting policy availability on the table where people sign in.

3. Approval of Referendum question verbiage for November 3, 2026 election

Michael Hosking read aloud the following proposed question to be placed on the ball for the November 3, 2026 election.

a.) Shall the Town vote to clarify the action taken under Article 19 at the June 26, 2017 town meeting to confirm the Town meeting's intention at that time to adopt the statutory town manager plan pursuant to 30-A M.R.S. §§ 2631 – 2639, to ratify previous actions taken by Town officials pursuant to the statutory town manager plan since 2017, and to the extent necessary, to now affirmatively adopt and re-adopt said statutory plan**?**

Michael Hosking noted that there will be a public hearing set for this question no later than October 20, 2026.

Michael Hosking moved to have the proposed question be placed on a ballot for the citizens of the Town of Sullivan to vote upon. Gregory Ring Seconded the motion, and the motion passed 3/0.

Michael Hosking read the second proposed ballot question, then opened up the discussion with a statement from Maine Municipal Legal on the pros and cons of the timing. John Keenan was addressed by Michael Hosking and Mr. Keenan agreed that the timing to vote on question b. was not ideal for the November election that the June Election or the Next Municipal election after the November 3, 2026 would be best.

b.) As per 30-A MRS § 2102(5):

"Shall a Charter Commission be established for the purpose of establishing a New Municipal Charter?"

It was decided that no action would be taken until the next Municipal Election and to take the appropriate actions 90 days before that election to place this question on the Sullivan Town ballot.

4. **Adjournment of Meeting**

Michael Hosking moved to adjourn the meeting. Gregory Ring seconded the motion, and the motion passed 3/0.

Meeting adjourned at 3:30 pm

Respectfully Submitted
Yvette M. Grindle
Town Clerk

Approval of the Minutes
from the September 3, 2026
Selectboard Meeting

Michael Hosking	**Michael Pinkahm I**

Gregory Ring

Attached:

- **Agenda of Selectboard 09-04-2026**

Sullivan Select Board
1888 US Highway 1
Sullivan, Maine 04664
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Agenda – September 3, 2026 3:00pm
Sullivan Town Office
Community Room

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5. Adjournment of Meeting

Zoom Link https://us06web.zoom.us/j/4766949799?omn=87423688522
Meeting ID: 476 694 9799