

# TOWN OF BOW

## Board of Selectmen

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### **Town of Bow Public Notice Proposed Fee Changes**

In accordance with RSA 41:9-a, the Town of Bow Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at 6:00 p.m., at the Bow Municipal Building, Meeting Room A, to accept public input on proposed cemetery fee changes.

Section 124-4. Cemetery fees.

- C. Grave opening: \$825 Monday to Friday
- D. Overtime Grave opening: \$1,150 Saturday; \$1,250 Sundays; \$1,300 holidays
- E. Cremains grave opening: \$400 Monday to Friday
- F. Overtime cremains grave opening: \$725 Saturdays; \$825 Sundays; \$875 holidays

Board of Selectmen  
Town of Bow

12-30-2025

**ORDINANCE NO. 26-01**  
**TOWN OF BOW**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND Chapter 124, Fee Schedule, of the Code of the Town of Bow, to change the amount of the fees charged for grave openings.

Be it enacted by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Bow as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 124, Fee Schedule, § 124-4. Cemetery fees. is amended to read as follows:

**§ 124-4. Cemetery fees.**

As provided for in Chapter 109, Cemeteries, of the Code of the Town of Bow, the following cemetery fees are hereby established:

- A. Sale of a single full body grave: \$400 resident; \$800 non-resident
- B. Sale of family plot (2 graves): \$800 resident; \$1,600 non-resident
- C. Grave opening: ~~\$800~~ **\$825** Monday to Friday
- D. Overtime grave opening: ~~\$1,100~~ **\$1,150** Saturday; ~~\$1,200~~ **\$1,250** Sundays and ~~\$1,250~~ **\$1,300** holidays
- E. Cremains grave opening: ~~\$375~~ **\$400** Monday to Friday
- F. Overtime cremains grave opening: ~~\$675~~ **\$725** Saturdays; ~~\$725~~ **\$825** Sundays and ~~\$825~~ **\$875** holidays
- G. Disinterment: Priced upon request
- H. Pauper's burial: \$45

Section 2. Effective date. This amendment shall take effect upon passage.

Adopted by Board of Selectmen: \_\_\_\_\_

**Board of Selectmen Meeting  
Unapproved Minutes  
Tuesday, December 9, 2025**

On Tuesday, December 9, 2025, at 6:00 p.m., the Board of Selectmen met in Meeting Room A, at the Bow Municipal Building, 10 Grandview Road, Bow, NH 03304. This meeting was also live streamed on YouTube [https://www.youtube.com/live/\\_wqEwt3Bj4o?si=se7mnNKLpIRyo4yA](https://www.youtube.com/live/_wqEwt3Bj4o?si=se7mnNKLpIRyo4yA)

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Chair McDaniel called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Present: Chair Kip McDaniel, Vice Chair Angela Brennan, Selectwoman Eleana Colby, Selectman Ian Flanagan, Town Manager David Stack, Administrative Assistant Tonia Lindquist, and members of the public.

Not present: Selectman Chris Nicolopoulos

**II. PUBLIC COMMENT - None**

**III. PUBLIC HEARING - None**

**IV. MEETINGS**

**1. Melyn timer Klunk – Proposed Committee to Improve Walkability/bike ability in Bow**

Melyn timer Klunk, 16 Briarwood Drive, came before the Board to request to create an advisory committee to explore the current condition of town trails to make them more accessible for better walking and bike paths to interconnect with them where they can be interconnected.

Ms. Klunk handed out an information flyer and talked about the phased approach starting with a 1-mile radius from the schools and then expanding from there. This committee would collaborate and work with the Conservation Commission and Bow Open Spaces.

*The Board would like Ms. Klunk to work on a charge for the committee to bring back to the Board for review.*

Chair McDaniel for the sake of everyone's time moved Agenda Item No. 7, Acceptance of Merrimack Conservation Partnership Grant – Ferry Road Conservation Area to this point in the agenda.

The Board reviewed the grant paperwork from Merrimack Conservation Partnership for a grant in the amount of \$4,407 to be awarded to the Conservation Commission for eligible transaction expenses regarding the Ferry Road Conservation Area.

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*A MOTION was made by Selectwoman Colby and seconded by Vice Chair Brennan to accept the Merrimack Conservation Partnership Grant in the amount of \$4,407 to be used towards the purchase of the Ferry Road Conservation area. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

## **2. Financial Report – Finance Director – Cheryl Lindner**

This was tabled until the January 13, 2026, meeting.

### **V. CONSENT AGENDA - None**

### **VI. TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT - None**

### **VII. DISCUSSION / ACTION ITEMS**

Chair McDaniel being respectful to everyone's time decided to move Agenda Item No. 10 Ordinance No. 25-07 – No Parking Zone on Stack Drive.

Town Manager Stack had Director Sweeney go and measure the parameters for potentially no parking signs on Stack Drive from the easterly side of the property line of 14 Stack Drive and all the way up to the corner 150 ft. on one side up to the intersection.

There was back and forth discussion on how this would impact neighbors, and if you place no parking signs on one side, is that going to make individuals park on the other side instead. Concerns on whether the State can override the town were discussed as well. There was also discussion about fire and police being able to get into that neighborhood if there are cars parking on both sides of the street.

Comments were heard from residents Matthew and Jen St. Cyr sharing their concerns about the parking and through traffic and overall safety.

*The Board would like to have the Fire and Police Chief give their recommendations.*

#### Follow up:

- The Board would like to amend the ordinance to put on both sides of the road and not have it go in only one direction for 14 Stack Road, but have it be substantial on either side of 14 Stack Drive so that cars are not able to park near that facility on the road, they have to park in the facility. Measure that out to the intersection and figure out what an appropriate distance is from the other direction from 14 Stack Drive.
- The location sited as a distance from Stack Drive on both sides.

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- Communicate on the Town Facebook page to the residents of Stack Drive that the Board would like to hear from them concerning parking on Stack Drive.

*A MOTION was made by Vice Chair Brennan and seconded by Selectwoman Colby to install temporary no parking signs on Stack Drive 300 ft on either side of 14 Stack Drive. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

### **1. Acceptance of November 12, 2025, Meeting Minutes**

*A MOTION was made by Selectwoman Colby and seconded by Selectman Flanagan to approve the November 12, 2025, meeting minutes as presented. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

### **2. Fire Truck Purchase**

Fire Chief Comeau and Deputy Fire Chief Van Dyke, came before the Board to request to purchase a Rosenbauer Pumper, in the amount of \$1,113,832. Chief Comeau explained to the Board if they prepay for this truck now, they will receive a prepayment discount of \$71,709 and will receive the truck in 2-years. This purchase was already approved at Town Meeting in March of 2025.

*A MOTION was made by Vice Chair, Brennan and seconded by Selectman Flanagan to approve the purchase of a Rosenbauer fire truck that Chief Comeau has outlined, pending the review of the contracts and final approval by town counsel ensuring all questions be answered sufficiently. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

### **3. Fidium Communications Proposal**

Facilities Manager Chris Andrews is requesting permission from the Board to enter into an agreement with Fidium to fully upgrade the Town's communications connectivity in this year's budget.

The Town currently relies on a fragmented system involving three different vendors. This complexity leads to significant issues. When a system failure occurs, it is difficult and time-consuming to determine the root cause. All three current vendors have independently confirmed that the existing systems are in critical need of a complete audit of current systems and an upgrade.

*A MOTION was made by Vice Chair Brennan and seconded by Selectman Flanagan to approve Mr. Andrews request to enter into an agreement with Fidium. in the amount of \$5,500 that includes the audit. MOTION PASSED 3-0-1. Selectwoman Colby abstained from voting.*

### **4. Police Detail Fees**

Chief Miller is requesting permission from the Board to increase the police detail fees to be competitive with other towns, and to help with employee retention. There would be no additional cost to the town, it would just be a matter of transferring the fees to the individual officers working on the assigned details.

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*A MOTION was made by Vice Chair Brennan and seconded by Selectman Flanagan to approve the police detail fees as outlined by Chief Miller. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

#### **5. Sale of Town Property – Belanger**

As a follow up from the amended policy for sale of town owned property, Town Manager Stack asked the Board if they wanted to enter into a purchase and sales agreement with Taylor Belanger.

The Board would like to know what the assessed value of the property is and what the back taxes owed were to assist in producing a price.

Follow up: Town Manager Stack to provide the Board with the assessed value of the property and the back taxes owed.

#### **6. Acceptance of Resignation – Recycling and Solid Waste Committee**

*A MOTION was made by Vice Chair Brennan and seconded by Selectwoman Colby to accept the resignation of Danielle Ruane with regrets. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

Follow up: the Board would like Ms. Lindquist to send a thank you note on behalf of the Board.

#### **7. Acceptance of Merrimack Conservation Partnership Grant – Ferry Road Conservation Area**

This was addressed earlier in the meeting.

#### **8. Adoption of updated Floodplain Management Regulations**

Ms. Lindquist explained to the Board that she was assisting Director Makinen regarding the Floodplain Management Regulations updated for FEMA, and that the Board will need to sign to the Resolution to Adopt New FEMA FIRMs and FIS.

*A MOTION was made by Vice Chair Brennan and seconded by Selectman Flanagan to accept the updated Floodplain Management Regulations submitted to the Board by Director Makinen. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

#### **9. Acceptance of Donations – Heritage Commission**

Town Manager Stack reviewed with the Board items that were donated to the Heritage Commission, according to the guidelines set in Administrative Policy No. 24-02 the Board would need to accept the donations:

- Two framed photos with an estimated value of \$900

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- Two five drawer flat files estimated at \$600 each.
- Two-man antique wood saw estimated value of \$1,000.
- Antique ice cutting saw estimated value of \$250.

*A MOTION was made by Selectman Flanagan and seconded by Selectwoman Colby to accept the donations made to the Bow Heritage Commission. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

#### **10. Annual Report Cover and Title Page Review**

This was tabled until the next meeting so Selectman Nicolopoulos can review.

#### **11. Ordinance No. 25-07 – No Parking Zone on Stack Drive**

This was addressed earlier in the meeting.

#### **12. Community Power Discussion**

The Board will table this item until Selectman Nicolopoulos can weigh in.

### **VIII. PROPOSED FY 2026-27 BUDGET REVIEW**

The Board discussed the FY 2026-27 Budget and noted the following:

- Paving warrant article: this could be cut by \$83,000, and the paving line item would still be in decent shape.
- Health insurance: is on the conservative side what the impact would be not utilizing family plan. Director Lindner took two of the five open positions and made them a two-person plan that came to a reduction of \$19,073.
- Motor vehicle revenue: could be increased by \$50,000, with the growth the town has seen year after year.
- Ambulance billing: the way the department bills ambulance services now the town would not see any significant changes with that new legislation.

The estimated tax rate with the budget changes from the last budget review meeting would be \$4.83, which would be a 4.3% increase from the current rate.

Selectwoman Colby clarified for the Board the question of COLA increase included those that had step increases as well.

Director Lindner updated the Board on the paving of Hall Street and Brown Hill Road and why that was being postponed.

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On behalf of the Heritage Commission Selectwoman Colby asked the Board where they were at on the CIP and Facilities Advisory Committees recommendation to sell the Bow Bog Meeting House and whether there was going to be a warrant article for the needed repairs, because the cost of repairs was not included in this budget.

Follow up: Town Manager Stack to send out Town Counsel's opinion he received.

## **IX. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

## **X. BOTTOM LINES**

Selectwoman Colby: Thank you to the Bow Garden Club for all that they do they do everything, they have wreaths on buildings, a greens festival, poinsettia fundraiser, books, and pajamas, I cannot appreciate that group enough.

Selectman Flanagan: None

Vice Chair Brennan: None

Chair McDaniel: Thank you to the BAC for hosting the Turkey Trot on Thanksgiving Day.

## **XI. NON-PUBLIC SESSION RSA 91-A:3, II**

### **(a) Personnel discipline, promotion or compensation.**

*At 7:50 p.m. A MOTION was made by Vice Chair Brennan and seconded by Selectwoman Colby to go into a non-public session pursuant to RSA 91-A:3, II (a) personnel discipline, promotion, or compensation. A roll call was taken, Vice Chair Brennan – aye, Selectman Flanagan – aye, Selectwoman Colby – aye and Chair McDaniel – aye. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

*At 8:15 p.m. A MOTION was made by Selectwoman Colby and duly seconded by Selectman Flanagan to come out of non-public session. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

## **XII. ADJOURNMENT**

*At 8:15 p.m. A MOTION was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

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**Board of Selectmen Meeting  
Unapproved Minutes  
Tuesday, December 16, 2025**

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**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Chair McDaniel called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Present: Chair Kip McDaniel, Vice Chair Angela Brennan, Selectwoman Eleana Colby, Selectman Ian Flanagan, Town Manager David Stack, Administrative Assistant Tonia Lindquist, and members of the public.

**II. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Chair McDaniel opened the meeting for public comment.

Harry Judd, 25 Stack Drive asked for a status on the solar project. Vice Chair Brennan reported the conceptual consultation has gone to the planning board.

Mike Wheeler, 57 Dunbarton Center Road asked for a status on the Bow Bog Meeting House. Selectwoman Colby explained the Board has not made any decisions on the meeting house yet. Mr. Wheeler asked a follow up question on the recent fire truck purchase approval concerning the cost.

**III. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS**

**1. No parking zone on Stack Drive**

As a follow-up from last meeting, Chair McDaniel wanted to invite the residents from Stack Drive to come and have an open discussion on the parking situation concerning 14 Stack Drive.

Comments were heard from the group of residents in attendance, and many were concerned with the approach taken by the town, the parking signs, the parking in general, limiting the parking, the overall safety of their neighborhood with cars being parked on the sides of the road, the lack of notification to the residents that a business was going to be located in their neighborhood.

Furthermore, residents were concerned with the aesthetics of the neighborhood, property values, the number of cars using the turnaround, having to explain to their young kids why emergency responders were there quite a bit, the increase in traffic, whether there is an enforcement plan, whether state regulations were followed by the property owner prior to opening the business and what control the town has on this business in a residential neighborhood.

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*A MOTION was made by Vice Chair Brennan to approve Chief Miller and DPW's recommendation for the installation of metal "no parking signs" into the ground for 150 ft from the "L" turn in each direction on both sides of the road these signs are temporary signs. Having no second MOTION FAILED.*

Further discussion ensued on the how many "no parking signs" should be there, and whether they should remove some. Selectman Nicolopoulos would like to keep the temporary signs as they are right now.

*A MOTION was made by Selectman Flanagan and seconded by Selectman Nicolopoulos to remove the temporary no parking signs from in front of Lot 31-A and Lot 34-J on Stack Drive. MOTION PASSED 5-0.*

Follow up: Town Manager Stack was asked to reach out to the facility, reach out to Town Counsel to see if there is anything the Board can do as far as residential only parking

## **2. Ordinance No. 25-06 – Cemetery Regulations**

*Tabled until the January 13, 2026, meeting.*

## **3. Cemetery After-Hours Access**

*Tabled until the January 13, 2026.*

## **4. Sale of Town Property – Belanger**

*Tabled until the January 13, 2026, meeting.*

## **5. Annual Report Cover and Title Page Review**

*A MOTION was made by Selectman Nicolopoulos and seconded by Chair McDaniel to approve the annual report and title pages as presented. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

## **6. Community Power Discussion**

*Tabled until the January 13, 2026, meeting.*

# **IV. CONSENT AGENDA**

## **1. Health Officer Nomination Form – Chief Dennis Comeau**

*A MOTION was made by Vice Chair Brennan and seconded by Selectman Nicolopoulos to approve the consent agenda as presented. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

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## V. PROPOSED FY 2026-27 BUDGET REVIEW

The Board reviewed the budget and made the following recommendations and confirmations.

### Police

Reduce police overtime from \$100,000 to \$75,000

Changed the open position Healthcare and Dental plans from Family to a 2-person plan.

### Recreation Revolving Fund

Reduce the fund by \$150,000 to be transferred into the Community Building Capital Reserve Fund.

### Interest

Interest was kept level Director Lindner would like to be conservative on that.

### Motor Vehicle Revenue

Increase by \$55,000

### Ambulance Billing

Director Lindner confirmed the legislative bill would not have an impact on the ambulance billing.

### Paving

Split the \$183,000 for paving.

### Public Works

Reduce road salt from \$135,000 to \$125,000

Reduce diesel from \$85,000 to \$70,000

Contract Services – removing the Construction Manual in the amount of \$11,500 which will bring that line item to \$1,500

### Heritage Commission

Reduce their overall budget back to \$750

Community Action reduce from \$2,900 to \$1,000

### Revenue

Other Fees and Taxes increase from \$17,800 to \$22,800

Motor Vehicle Revenue increase by \$5,000

*A MOTION was made by Selectman Nicolopoulos and seconded by Vice Chair Brennan, after the Board recommended changes to keep the tax rate increase held at 3.9%, and any funds left to restore those funds back to the paving line item. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

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*A MOTION was made by Selectman Nicolopoulos and seconded by Chair McDaniel to remove \$150,000 from the Recreation Revolving Fund to be moved to the Community Center Capital Reserve Fund. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

Follow up: Vice Chair Brennan asked Town Manager Stack and Finance Director Lindner to confirm with Darcy, that moving the \$150,000 would leave her in good standing.

## **VI. BOTTOM LINES**

## **VII. NON-PUBLIC SESSION RSA 91-A:3, II (D)**

## **VIII. ADJOURNMENT**

Selectwoman Colby left at 7:50 p.m.

*At 8:50 p.m. A MOTION was made by Selectman Flanagan and duly seconded by Vice Chair Brennan to adjourn the meeting. MOTION PASSED 4-0.*

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**Board of Selectmen Meeting  
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Monday, December 22, 2025**

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**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Chair McDaniel called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Present: Chair Kip McDaniel, Vice Chair Angela Brennan, Selectman Chris Nicolopoulos, Selectwoman Eleana Colby, Selectman Ian Flanagan, Town Manager David Stack, and Executive Assistant Tonia Lindquist.

**II. PUBLIC COMMENT - None**

**III. PROPOSED FY 2026-27 BUDGET REVIEW**

Chair McDaniel commended the board, department heads, Town Manager David Stack and Finance Director Cheryl Lindner for their efforts in preparing the proposed FY 2026-27 town budget.

Chair McDaniel updated the Board on the proposed changes to the budget based on a meeting with Town Manager Stack and Finance Director Lindner to discuss the proposed tax rate impact based on some recommended changes.

- Paving: The Board had decreased what Director Tim Sweeney had originally requested. After the meeting with Finance Director Lindner and Town Manager Stack, he would recommend that the Board add \$83,000 back to the paving line item, bringing it to \$565,000 which is still less than what was originally requested.
- The HVAC system at the library needs to be replaced. The recommendation would be to add \$80,000 to the proposed deposit into the Library Maintenance CRF, which would make it a total of \$140,000.

The proposed budget with the changes would decrease the town's portion of the tax rate by .2%.

*A MOTION was made by Chair McDaniel and seconded by Selectman Nicolopoulos to approve the FY 2026-27 proposed town budget as presented and to include the above recommended changes. MOTION PASSED 5-0.*

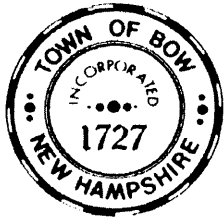
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Selectwoman Colby asked her fellow board members if they would consider adding back \$1,250 to the Heritage Commission making their budget \$2,000. The Board agreed to add back the \$1,250 to the Heritage Commission for a total budget of \$2,000.

#### **IV. ADJOURNMENT**

*At 5:20 p.m. A MOTION was made by Selectman Nicolopoulos and duly seconded by Vice Chair Brennan to adjourn the meeting. MOTION PASSED 5-0.*

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## MEMO

Date: January 7, 2026

To: Board of Selectmen

From: Tonia Lindquist, Administrative Assistant

Subject: Senior Parade

Good afternoon, Board,

Matt Fisk, Principal of Bow High School is requesting permission from the Board to have a senior parade on June 6, 2026, at 11:00 a.m.

The route will be the same as last year starting at the Public Works Building and then going over to Knox Road crossing Logging Hill Road and ending at Falcon Way in front of the high school.

I reached out to Tim, and both Chiefs for their review (see attached) and all three had no issues and Chief Miller will be assisting with police coverage for the parade.

Thank you.

Tonia

## Tonia Lindquist

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**From:** Matt Fisk <mfisk@sau67nh.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 30, 2025 8:11 AM  
**To:** Tonia Lindquist  
**Cc:** David Stack; Kenneth Miller; Dennis Comeau; Tim Sweeney  
**Subject:** Re: Graduating Seniors Parade

Good Morning and Happy New Year.

I am writing to ask if the town will approve of Bow High School having our Senior Parade on Saturday, June 6th at 11:00AM? We were hoping to do the same route as last year which began at Public Works, went to Robinson Road, over to Knox Road (Crossing Logging Hill) and ending on Falcon Way in front of the high school. This has usually been 15-20 minutes in totality.

Chief Miller, last year we had two duty officers assist and myself and other school administration are there to supervise the students.

Thank you for your consideration.

All my best,

Matt

Matt Fisk, Principal  
Bow High School  
(603) 228-2210 ext. 304

On Wed, May 28, 2025 at 11:19 AM Tonia Lindquist <[tlindquist@bownh.gov](mailto:tlindquist@bownh.gov)> wrote:

Good morning, Matt,

The Board of Selectmen approved your request for a Graduating Senior's Parade to include Chief Miller, Chief Comeau and Director Sweeney's recommendations/requirements.

Let me know if you need anything else.

Thank you and have a great parade!

## Tonia Lindquist

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**From:** Tim Sweeney  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 30, 2025 8:28 AM  
**To:** Tonia Lindquist; Dennis Comeau; Kenneth Miller  
**Subject:** RE: Graduating Seniors Parade

I have no concerns

### Timothy Sweeney

Director | Public Works Department  
Town of Bow, NH  
603-223-3930 office  
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12 Robinson Road, Bow NH 03304  
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**From:** Tonia Lindquist <[tlindquist@bownh.gov](mailto:tlindquist@bownh.gov)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 30, 2025 8:19 AM  
**To:** Dennis Comeau <[dcomeau@bownh.gov](mailto:dcomeau@bownh.gov)>; Kenneth Miller <[kmiller@bownhpd.gov](mailto:kmiller@bownhpd.gov)>; Tim Sweeney <[tsweeney@bownh.gov](mailto:tsweeney@bownh.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: Graduating Seniors Parade

Good morning leaders,

Only when you get a chance, could I get an email from each of you with your recommendations/approval for Matt's request. I know the Board will want your input before making any decisions.

Thank you for all of you help.

Tonia

### Tonia Lindquist

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## Tonia Lindquist

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**From:** Kenneth Miller <kmiller@bownhpd.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 30, 2025 8:27 AM  
**To:** Matt Fisk; Tonia Lindquist  
**Cc:** David Stack; Dennis Comeau; Tim Sweeney  
**Subject:** RE: Graduating Seniors Parade

Hi Tonia,

The police department is good with this request. If the Board of Selectmen approves this request, we will work with Mr. Fisk to arrange police coverage and help keep the event safe.

Any questions or concerns please let me know.

Regards,

Ken Miller  
Chief of Police  
Bow Police Department  
7 Knox Rd (physical address)  
10 Grandview Rd (mailing address)  
Bow, NH 03304  
603-223-3950  
[kmiller@bownhpd.gov](mailto:kmiller@bownhpd.gov)

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**From:** Matt Fisk <mfisk@sau67nh.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 30, 2025 8:11 AM  
**To:** Tonia Lindquist <tlindquist@bownh.gov>  
**Cc:** David Stack <dstack@bownh.gov>; Kenneth Miller <kmiller@bownhpd.gov>; Dennis Comeau <dcomeau@bownh.gov>; Tim Sweeney <tsweeney@bownh.gov>  
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## Tonia Lindquist

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**Sent:** Tuesday, December 30, 2025 8:47 AM  
**To:** Matt Fisk; Tonia Lindquist  
**Cc:** David Stack; Kenneth Miller; Tim Sweeney  
**Subject:** Re: Graduating Seniors Parade

FD approves.

## Dennis Comeau

Chief | Fire Department  
Town of Bow, NH  
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603.340.2319 Cell  
603.223.3961 Fax  
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Thank you for your consideration.

All my best,

Matt

Matt Fisk, Principal  
Bow High School







**ORDINANCE NO. 25-06**

**TOWN OF BOW**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND Chapter 109, CEMETERIES, of the Code of the Town of Bow, to add prohibition of the consumption of alcohol.

Be it enacted by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Bow as follows:

Section 1. § 109-7. Expulsion, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Any person disturbing the quiet or good order of the grounds by acts of, but not limited to **consumption of alcohol**, intoxication, loud noise, speeding, or disorderly ~~contact~~ conduct, and any person who violates any of the rules ~~will~~ may be expelled from the grounds by the Cemetery Sexton or police.

Section 2. Effective Date. This amendment shall go into effect upon passage.

Adopted by Board of Selectmen: DATE

David Stack  
Town Manager

## TOWN CEMETERY

### AFTER-HOURS ACCESS PERMIT

This Permit is issued by the Town of Bow, New Hampshire, Board of Selectmen, as the entity authorized in accordance with RSA chapter 289 to manager and supervise the Bow Town Cemeteries identified in §109-16 of the Bow Town Code, to \_\_\_\_\_, having an address of \_\_\_\_\_ (“Permit Holder”).

- I. PURPOSE: The regular visiting hours of the Cemeteries are as set forth in §109-3 of the Bow Town Code (“Bow Town Cemeteries”). Notwithstanding these regular business hours, the Town of Bow recognizes that there is no uniformity to the grieving or mourning process.

The Town also recognizes that all persons should be given the respect and dignity of paying their respects to those interned in the Bow Town Cemetery in a way that recognizes that individuality, so long as it is done in a manner that does not pose a risk of harm to the individual or others in the community.

Therefore, the purpose of this Permit is to allow for a limited waiver from the provisions of §109-3 of the Bow Town Code to allow for off-hours visitation to the Bow Town Cemetery.

- II. AUTHORIZATION: The Permit Holder is authorized to enter the Bow Town Cemetery to visit Plot \_\_\_\_\_, designated as the gravesite of \_\_\_\_\_ at a time other than regular cemetery hours. The authorization under this Permit shall remain in full force and effect until either this Permit expires or the Permit is revoked pursuant to the terms herein.

- III. ASSUMPTION OF RISK: In exercising any of the privileges authorized under this Permit, the Permit Holder acknowledges that the Permit Holder wishes to exercise said privileges of the Permit Holder’s free will, without duress or undue influence, and that risks and dangers may result not only from Permit Holder’s own actions, inactions, or negligence, but also from the actions, inactions, or negligence of others, the condition of the Bow Town Cemeteries, and any access ways or grounds thereof. Permit Holder further acknowledges that exercising said privileges and entering into Bow Town Cemeteries off-hours carries the risk of injury, including but not limited to sprains, strains, fractures, serious bodily injuries, or death that may arise from uneven topography, low visibility, concealed or partially concealed monumentation or structures, amongst other risks associated with entering into a cemetery off-hours. Permit Holder understands and acknowledges that Permit Holder is voluntarily engaging in these activities, having considered the risks involved, and voluntarily and freely chooses to assume all risks associated with the exercise of the privileges conferred herein.

- IV. RELEASE OF LIABILITY: Permit Holder hereby irrevocably fully and forever releases and discharges the Town of Bow, its officials, employees, agents, successors, and assigns (collectively, the “Released Parties”) from any and all liability, claims (including negligence claims), demands, lawsuits, actions, rights of action, and any other liability of any kind, of or to Permit Holder, Permit Holder’s property, or any other person, whether known or unknown, directly or indirectly arising out of, concerning, or relating to Permit Holder’s exercise of the privileges conferred by this Permit, even if it is due to the negligence, omission, or other fault of the Released Parties. This release applies to any and all losses, damages, injuries (including death), or expenses, including attorney’s fees, that Permit Holder may sustain as a result of Permit Holder’s exercise of the privileges

conferred herein. Permit Holder, in executing this Permit hereby releases and waives all claims that Permit Holder may have based on the ordinary negligence of the Released Parties to the fullest extent permitted by law arising from or related to Permit Holder's exercise of the privileges conferred herein.

- V.     INDEMNIFICATION: Permit Holder agrees to indemnify and hold the Released Parties harmless from any and all claims, actions, suits, procedures, costs, expenses (including legal fees), damages, and liabilities, including attorney's fees, arising out of the exercise of the rights conferred by this Permit. Permit Holder shall reimburse the Released Parties if anyone makes a claim against the Released Parties in connection with Permit Holder's exercise of the privileges conferred herein, including, without limitation, any accident Permit Holder may be involved in or any injury, loss, damage to me, other parties, or property, however caused.
- VI.     COVENANT NOT TO SUE: Permit Holder will not initiate any claim, lawsuit, court action, or other legal proceeding or demand against the Released Parties, nor join or assist in the prosecution of any claim for money or other damages which anyone may have, on account of injuries (including death), losses, or damages sustained by Permit Holder, other parties, or Permit Holder's property arising out of, concerning, or relating to Permit Holder's exercise of the privileges conferred herein. Permit Holder waives any right Permit Holder may have to do so. This means that Permit Holder cannot sue to hold the Released Parties responsible for any injury, loss, or damage sustained by Permit Holder, other parties, or Permit Holder's property, even if it is due to the negligence, omission, or other fault of the Released Parties. Permit Holder waives Permit Holder's insurer's right to make a claim against the Released Parties based on payments by insurers to Permit Holder or on Permit Holder's behalf for any reason.
- VII.    CONDITIONS: The privileges conferred by this Permit are conditioned on the following:
- a. The rights conferred by this Permit shall lapse automatically after the passage of three-hundred and sixty-five days of the date of the issuance of this Permit.
  - b. Permit Holder shall not bring any alcoholic beverages or controlled substance into the Bow Town Cemeteries.
  - c. Permit Holder shall comply with all other provisions of §109 of the Bow Town Code.
  - d. Permit Holder shall, at all times, conduct themselves in a respectful manner and shall not make excessive noise, commotion, or other conditions which may constitute a nuisance to surrounding properties.
  - e. Permit Holder shall deposit all waste, garbage, or rubbish in provided trash receptacles or shall otherwise be carried out when Permit Holder leaves the Bow Town Cemeteries.
  - f. Permit Holder shall not sleep at or on any gravesite in the Bow Town Cemeteries.
  - g. Permit Holder shall restrict their visit to visiting the Plot identified in Section II of this Permit.
  - h. The privileges conferred by this Permit are non-proprietary and may be revoked by the Town, by and through its Select Board, at any time, for any reason or no reason at all.
  - i. The rights conferred by the Permit to the Permit Holder are individual to the Permit Holder or to Permit Holder's minor children and may not be transferred, conveyed, or assigned to any third party.
- VIII.   ENFORCEMENT: The Town of Bow Police Department shall be authorized to enforce the provisions of this Permit and are authorized to remove Permit Holder from any Bow Town Cemetery, in addition to such other authorized actions as may be permitted under the laws of

the State of New Hampshire. Violations of the terms and conditions of this Permit may be grounds for revocation of the Permit by the Select Board.

IX.    SEVERABILITY: In the event that any provisions of this Permit is deemed unlawful by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the Court shall be authorized to modify the terms of this Agreement to the minimum amount necessary to make said term or condition valid, lawful, and enforceable.

Issued by the Town of Bow Select Board on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Duly Authorized

ACKNOWLEDGED AND AGREED BY PERMIT HOLDER

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Permit Holder's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Permit Holder's Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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TOWN OF BOW  
10 GRANDVIEW DRIVE  
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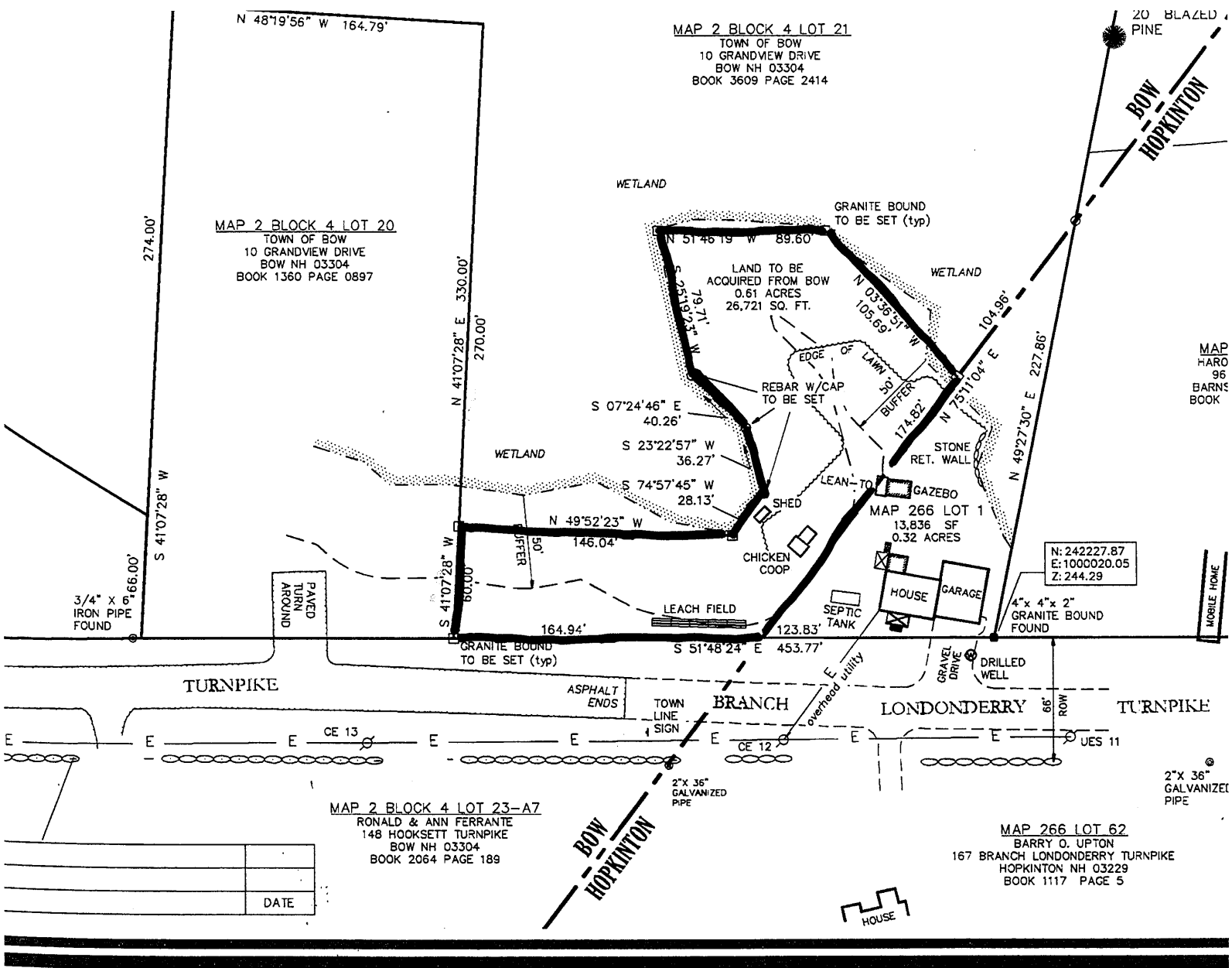
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RONALD & ANN FERRANTE  
148 HOOKSETT TURNPIKE  
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163 HOOKSETT TURNPIKE

Location

163 HOOKSETT TURNPIKE

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Owner

TOWN OF BOW

Assessment

\$20,200

PID

1854

Building Count

1

Current Value

Assessment			
Valuation Year	Improvements	Land	Total
2024	\$0	\$20,200	\$20,

Owner of Record

Owner

TOWN OF BOW

Sale Price

\$397

Co-Owner

Certificate

Book & Page

3609/2414

Sale Date

09/28/2018

Instrument

50

Ownership History

Ownership History					
Owner	Sale Price	Certificate	Book & Page	Instrument	Sale Date
TOWN OF BOW	\$397		3609/2414	50	09/28/2018
SOUL JACQUELINE L	\$265,000		2879/0026	1N	03/31/2006

Building Information

Building 1 : Section 1

Year Built:

Living Area:

0

Replacement Cost:

\$0

Building Percent Good:

Replacement Cost

Less Depreciation:

\$0

Building Attributes

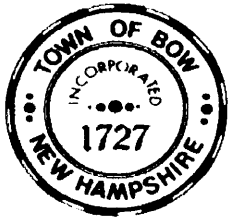
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Outbuildings		Legend
No Data for Outbuildings		

Valuation History

Assessment			
Valuation Year	Improvements	Land	Total
2024	\$0	\$20,200	\$20,200
2023	\$0	\$12,700	\$12,700
2022	\$0	\$12,700	\$12,700

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# TOWN OF BOW

## Board of Selectmen

10 Grandview Road, Bow, New Hampshire 03304  
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December 9, 2025

Ross L. Cunningham, County Administrator  
Merrimack County  
333 Daniel Webster Highway, Suite 2  
Boscawen, New Hampshire 03303

Re: Request for Quotation  
Removal from Merrimack Community Power

Dear Mr. Cunningham:

This letter is being directed to you in your capacity as Principal Executive Officer of the Merrimack County Community Power Council, as set forth in Attachment 2 of the Merrimack County Community Power Electric Aggregation Plan, approved on March 8, 2024 ("MCCP EAP"). Attachment 2 of the MCCP EAP identifies that you, as County Administrator, are the Principal Executive Officer of Merrimack County "for the purposes of implementing Merrimack County Community Power."

Attachment 2 identifies that the Merrimack County Community Power Council is responsible for "[a]pproving the withdrawal of municipalities from the program that have subsequently elected to implement their own Community Power Program," which is subject to Section 7 of Article VII of the Community Power Coalition of New Hampshire's ("CPCNH") Member Services Contract: Complete Service Bundle ("Member Services Contract").

Article VII of the Member Services Contract states that, after passage of the 12-month period after CPCNH's initial launch, a member of CPCNH may either (a) terminate the Member Services Contract by providing thirty-six (36) months' notice, (b) should the Member wish to terminate the Member Services Contract sooner, seek the "minimum waiting period under which the Member would have no costs for withdrawal," or (c) should the Member wish to terminate the Member Service Contract during the aforementioned "minimum waiting period" deposit "sufficient funds with CPCNH" to "cover the Member's liability for the costs" related to the "resale of power" to serve Bow's load. See Article VII, Sections 2, 4, and 5 of the Member Services Contract.

The Town of Bow is assessing whether it is in its best interest to withdraw from Merrimack County Community Power and, by extension, the CPCNH. For that reason and in accordance with Attachment 2 of the MCCP EAP and Article VII of the Member Services Contract, the Town of Bow respectfully seeks to have MCCP identify:

1. The Minimum Waiting Period that the Town of Bow would be required to remain a member of Merrimack County Community Power without incurring a "cost for withdrawal" and
2. The Cost for Withdrawal should the Town of Bow wish to withdraw from Merrimack County Community Power and CPCNH during the Minimum Waiting Period.

The purpose of this communication is not to formally withdraw from either Merrimack County Community Power or CPCNH. However, your prompt attention and provision of this information is critical for the Select Board of the Town of Bow determining what course of action is within the best interests of the Town of Bow and its residents.

Thank you for your time and attention.

Very Truly Yours,

Kip McDaniel, Chair  
Town of Bow