

**Wilmington Selectboard Meeting Minutes**  
**Tuesday, January 6, 2026**

**Present:** Tom Fitzgerald, Vince Rice, Tony Tribuno, Charlie Foster, John Lebron (6:04 pm)

**Others Present:** Scott Tucker, Jessica Archambault, Christine Richter, Bob and Carol Bois, Dennis Heberlein, Samantha Kondracki, Jason Dubac, Jack and Michaelanne Widness, Bruce Humenik, Joanne Yankura, Barker Willard, Marshall Dix, Therese Lounsbury, Jon Hurdle

**Meeting called to order at 6:00 pm**

1. Visitors, Public Comments, Possible Changes to the Agenda
2. Approve Minutes of December 16 and 19, 2025
  - Tribuno moved to approve the minutes of December 16 and 19, 2025, Rice second; all in favor

Fitzgerald moved to enter sewer commission at 6:01 pm, Tribuno second; all in favor.

3. Sewer Commission
  - Tribuno moved to approve a preliminary allocation extension for VT211 LLC, Rice second; all in favor.

Out of sewer commission at 6:02 pm

4. FY27 Budget (Lebron arrived)
  - The Selectboard reviewed the budget on 12/19/25. The only change was the update to the WCSWMD assessment. Lebron moved to approve the FY27 Budget in the amount (to be raised) of \$6,629,935, Tribuno second; all in favor.
5. Energy Committee
  - Bob Bois, representing the Energy Committee, is asking the Selectboard to add a town meeting article for the installation of a solar array system on the roof of the Public Safety Facility. This would bring clean energy and save the town money. The cost is about \$350,000. The rebate is \$113,000. The town would pay the \$350,000 up front and complete it by the 2027 deadline to receive the \$113,000. The payback rate would be about 7 years. Fitzgerald stated that although it is a great project, the town has a lot of projects on their plate that require funds currently. Annual maintenance cost \$500. Dennis Heberlein– thinks it is an excellent project. Tucker commented that it is a good project, but with all the other projects already in motion, he feels it just needs to wait a little longer to happen. Lebron moved to create an article for the installation of a solar array system on the roof of the Public Safety Facility, Foster second; approved 3–2.

6. Other Business/Correspondence
  - Pre–town meeting informational meeting 2/3 at 5:30 pm

7. Selectboard Members Comments

8. Town Manager's Updates

- Police Department is taking applications for police officer position;
- Rick Koproski was hired for transfer station/building and grounds;
- PVR appeals; Caplan was decided at \$118,000. Wilson was decided at \$607,700;
- LaCombe appeal is awaiting a court decision – motion for summary judgement;
- Zyskowski appeal is scheduled for trial on January 27<sup>th</sup> in Superior Court;
- Silverstein DRB appeal for 3-5 East Main, was granted an extension by town attorney to file statement of questions.

Meeting adjourned at 6:32 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Jessica Archambault

Approved by the Wilmington Selectboard:

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Thomas Fitzgerald, Chair

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Vince Rice, Vice Chair

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Tony Tribuno, Clerk

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Charlie Foster

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John Lebron