



MONKTON SPECIAL SELECTBOARD MEETING MINUTES
Tuesday, September 1st, 2026
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Call to Order & Attendance

S. Peisch called the meeting to order at 12:00 PM.

Selectboard members present: Sam Peisch, Sarah Bouchard (Zoom), John Dunham, and Joe Szarejko (Zoom). Walt Crandall was not present.

Also present: Stan Wilbur, Sharon Gomez, Gould Family (Zoom).

Additions or Deletions from Agenda

S. Peisch moved to add discussion of a letter from the Town and local legislators requesting that the state reconsider its denial of 1 of the 2 permits for Piney Woods Road. J. Dunham seconded. The vote passed 3-0. S. Bouchard joined the meeting shortly after and indicated her support.

Public Comment

There was no public comment.

Review & Approve Right of Way Application for 3853 Monkton Road

S. Peisch moved to approve the application. J. Dunham seconded. No members expressed any concerns as T. Currier (Foreman) had reviewed the site as had J. Szarejko. The motion passed unanimously.

Set Date for Special Town Meeting

S. Peisch presented the different date options provided by Monkton Central School (MCS) to reschedule the meeting as it was accidentally double-booked by MCS. After some discussion, it was clear that October 15th was the best date. S. Peisch moved to set the date of the special town meeting to be October 15th at 7pm at Monkton Central School gymnasium. J. Dunham seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Discuss Request for Reconsideration Letter to State for Piney Woods Road Permit Denial

The Board reviewed the letter and all members present indicated their support for the request for reconsideration letter. S. Peisch moved to approve the letter and submit it after finalizing all signatories to the letter, which currently include local EMS and all of the Addison County representatives and senators.. S. Bouchard seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Adjourn

S. Peisch moved to adjourn. J. Dunham seconded. **Motion carried unanimously.** The meeting adjourned at 12:20 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Sam Peisch