

**Town of Danby**  
**DRAFT Planning Commission Meeting Minutes**  
**August 5, 2025**  
**Town Office, Danby, VT 7:00pm**  
<https://www.danbyvt.org/government-information>  
**Zoom Meeting I.D. – 876 9010 0162**

Attendees: Shelley Taylor, Drea Stoddard, Dave Powers, Janice Arnold, Hilda Haines, Greg Heaton  
Absent – Don Keeler

Public – T. Porter, R. Porter, S. Crosby, B. Martin,  
Virtual – G. Derr, C. Hardaway, A. Despathy, T. Parker,

- Meeting called to order at 7:00pm by Shelley Taylor
- Set Agenda
  - Motion to set agenda by Janice, seconded by Dave
    - Motion passes unanimously
- Approval of previous meeting Minutes
  - Motion by Dave Seconded by Janice
    - Motion passes unanimously
- Public Comment
  - Barb Martin is curious about what attorney said
- Ethics Training
  - Everyone on the board has now completed ethics training
  - The ethics board is lacking in support when there are questions and needs
    - Had been reported on the news
    - Very frustrating with lack of support
- Old Business
  - Update on vote from Town Attorney
  - Shelley reached out to the town attorney after the vote
    - 3 yes
    - 1 recusal
    - 2 abstaining
    - 1 no vote
  - 7 member board needed to be a majority vote of the 7 members
    - Confirmed that the vote did not pass
- New Business
  - Next meeting – back to quarterly schedule
  - Motion to go back to quarterly
    - Motion by Hilda Seconded by Dave
    - Motion passed unanimously
  - October 7, 2025 at 7pm
- Motion to adjourn 7:06 pm by Janice, Seconded by Hilda
  - Motion passes unanimously
    - Meeting Adjourned

Respectfully submitted  
Secretary – Drea Stoddard