

Town of Rowe

Park Commission Meeting

Tuesday June 2, 2026

6:05 PM

Rowe Town Hall

Attendance:

Briel Gibson

Laurie Pike

Arik Olsen

Hannah Poplawski

Agenda:

Call to Order:

1. Park Commissioner signed new use agreement with Rowe Camp, Briel will send to camp.
2. Approve meeting minutes from May 12, 2026.
 1. Laurie motioned to approve, Arik seconded. Approved.
3. Park Commission reorganization.
 1. Laurie nominated Arik Olsen as chairperson of Park Commission.
 1. Hannah Seconded, all in favor.
 2. Discussion of responsibilities followed before Arik accepted the nomination.
4. Update on summer staff, events, and projects.
 1. Cait S. has applied to run rec program, which will run again for the month of July. Cait has started planning and creating a flyer. Commission agrees to continue to charge school choice families \$20 a week.
 2. Nikki G. will continue to offer swim lessons.
 3. Southern Vermont Natural History museum is scheduled 10:30 to 11:30.

5. Discussion of Percy Point picnic area.

1. PARC grant July 9th, contractors have not yet gotten back with quotes.
2. Commission agrees it is too short of a turn around for this year, Briel will continue to work on getting a plan and quotes. Commission will read over application requirements.

6. Promotion of Woods Walk on June 6.

1. Andrew shared flyer with about 70 land management professionals, Briel posted in surrounding town halls and libraries.

7. End of fiscal year budget.

1. Some excess funds remain, potential purchases include a fire ring for Percy Point and a range finder for measuring tree height.

8. Any unforeseen business within the last 48 hours of the posting.

1. Update on SS Percy Brown, boat was never titled so Briel is working on that.
2. 3 pairs of Cliff Swallows are utilizing the new structure in the meadow.

Meeting adjourned 7:00 pm