

**2026 NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEETING  
MINUTES 5/18/26**

The meeting was called to order by acting chair, Sharon Ford, in Kevin Ryan's absence@5:05 pm. Members in attendance included: Kevin O'Brien, Mary Weber, Melissa Jenkins and Carole Duffy. Absentee besides K. Ryan was Richard Mercier.

The group accepted the minutes from the May 11, 2026 meeting, unanimously.  
Mary moved to appoint Sharon as acting Chair; 2nd Carole. 4-0  
Melissa moved to accept Carole's agreement to take minutes; 2nd Mary. 4-0

The purpose of this evening's meeting was to interview candidates for the various openings which elicited the question about the opportunity for someone to apply for more than one position. No definitive answer was forthcoming.

The group decided to ask candidate questions in the seating order of the group plus additions as they arose.

The following candidates were interviewed: Donna Monaghan ( Nominating Committee); Joe Thomas ( Moderator); Mary Weber (Council); Neal Prescott ( Treasurer); Paulette Brousseau ( Tax Assessor); Bob Patterson (Clerk).

Many of these Candidates offered suggestions for enhancing the applied for positions and as note taker I am suggesting that the Committee may choose to mention these for forwarding to the Council when we meet next.

Motion to adjourn from Sharon; 2nd Mary. Group voted in favor...6:15 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Carole Duffy