

TOWN OF BRIGHTON

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Minutes of the special meeting of the Selectboard on January 30, 2018, held in the town hall in Island Pond at 5:00 PM, for the purpose of working on the 2018 budget, Warning and Selectboard report.

1. Chair Doug Niles called the meeting to order.
2. The board discussed the Ambulance situation, which is in flux. Morgan may also move to Newport ambulance, which would make ambulance service in Brighton by Lyndonville unviable, according to Jon Bouffard of LRI. No response from Newport at this time. Rick Hannux and Joel are looking preliminarily into the costs of a municipal ambulance service, which is said to be costly as well. For now the requested increase of approximately \$80,000 will go into the budget, yielding a proposed number of \$144,978.90, compared to \$66,344 in 2017.
3. The board reviewed the newly released Municipal General Roads Permit application (MGRP) that will soon go into effect, requiring towns to develop plans to control stormwater runoff from our roads.
4. Meeting adjourned 6:30.