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BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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Meeting Agenda –November 24, 2026

6:30 PM

Cheshire Community House –191 Church Street

1. **Open Meeting – Introductions and Pledge of Allegiance**
2. **Appointments**
   - Hoosac Valley Middle School Principal Introduction - 6:30 p.m.
3. **Appointments**
   - Planning Board Bylaw Discussion- 6:45 p.m.
   - Youth Center Lease Discussion - 7:00 p.m.
4. **Tax Classification Hearing – Joint Meeting with Board of Assessors - 7:30 p.m.**
   The Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing to consider the tax rate options available to the Town under property tax classification and shall adopt a residential factor which shall be used by the assessors to determine the percentage of local tax levy to be borne by each class of real estate and personal property. The Board of Assessors shall provide all information and data relevant to making such a determination and fiscal effect of the available alternatives.
5. **Board of Selectmen Discussion/Decision Items**
   - Borrowing Note Approval (Added 11/19/26)
   - Fire Department Geotechnical Exploration Update
   - Snow Removal Policy
   - Northern Berkshire Educational Sustainability Study Community Forum - December 8, 2026 at Hoosac Valley Middle & High School 6-7:30 p.m.
6. **Consent Agenda**
   - Minutes - November 10, 2026
   - Accounts Payable and Payroll Warrants
7. **Reorganization of the Board**
8. **Public Comment**
   Public comment is welcome on matters within the Board's jurisdiction. Comments concerning items not on the posted agenda may be received for consideration at a future meeting; however, the Board cannot deliberate or act on matters not included on the agenda.
9. **Upcoming Events and Agenda Items**
   - 5th Annual Festival of Trees and Tree Lighting - December 6th at 5:30 p.m.
   - Northern Berkshire Educational Sustainability Study Community Forum – 6:00 p.m.
   - Talk with Town Administrator and Department Heads – December 9 from 6-7:30 p.m.
10. **Adjournment**

Submitted by:
Michelle Francesconi, Board of Selectmen Chair
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