

# Northport Climate Resilience Committee

## Minutes

Friday July 17, 2026, 9:00 am  
Northport Town Office

Present: Tinsley Morrison, Ruth Mazzeo, Sue Conard, James Kossuth, Molly Schauffler

*Note: With two Selectboard members on the committee, meetings are open to anyone and minutes and agendas will be posted on the website. Select Board matters will not be discussed at Climate Resilience Committee meetings.*

1. Waldo County Climate Action Committee - We decided to recommend to the Select Board to go ahead and pay our \$50 annual dues to WCCAC.
2. DM&J Recycling field trip - No word yet from Josh at DM&J
3. Composting Pilot – We're up to 33 sign-ups as of today.

### Next steps:

- Each of us talk it up among friends & neighbors
  - Committee members can sign folks up and hand out buckets at the dump on any Saturday (doing it in pairs is more fun). Mornings are probably best.
    - Let James know how many buckets you want (5? 8?) and he'll make sure they are at the Town Office to pick up Saturday morning.
    - A sign-up and instruction form will be in each bucket. Ask interested folks to fill out the commitment form, then give the forms you collect to James.
  - Remind folks that anyone can take compost using their own bucket; they don't have to have the ScrapDogs bucket. Signing up helps us track participation.
  - In a few weeks, Tinsley will make a smaller card for refrigerators with brief instructions and the Yes/No info.
  - We could make a "tips" sheet, for example, if folks don't like cleaning a messy bucket after they dump it, they can line their bucket with a paper shopping bag then dump the whole thing into the bin. (Less clean-up)
4. Schedule the next meeting in September
  5. Adjourned 9:29 am