# **Current Use Advisory Board**



Jill Remick, Director, PVR
Current Chair of the Current Use Advisory Board

February 2025



## **Key Roles**

- > Establishing Use Values
- > Holding Public Hearing
- > Establish Administrative Rules
- > Recommend Legislative or Administrative Changes



#### **Key Dates**

- > February 1 establish criteria and changes
- > February 15 establish use values
- October 15 public hearing



### What is the Current Use Advisory Board?

- Vermont Laws
- Current Use Advisory Board | Department of Taxes



Board Member Name	Term Expires	Seat Description
Jill Remick, Chair	n/a	Director, Property Valuation and Review
Alan Calfee	01/31/2026	Forestry
Ted Foster	01/31/2028	Agriculture
Gail Fallar	01/31/2028	Local Government
Harold Howrigan	01/31/2028	Agriculture
Steve Handfield	01/31/2026	Forestry
Josh Lagerquist	01/31/2028	Appraiser
Walter Hastings	01/31/2028	Lister
Michael Hogan	01/31/2028	Selectboard
Michael Ramsey	n/a	Commissioner of Taxes Designee
Ryan Patch	n/a	Secretary of Agriculture, Food, and Markets Designee
Keith Thompson	n/a	Commissioner of Forests, Parks and Recreation Designee



## **Current Use Advisory Board – Use Values**

- > The Current Use Advisory Board (CUAB) is charged with adopting rules, providing administrative oversight, and establishing use values.
- > The CUAB meets annually to set use values using data provided by the Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets and by the Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation.
- > Pertinent data includes but is not limited to the net annual stumpage value per acre for forestland use values.
- > Pasture and crop land rental are the basis for determining the use value of agricultural land.

2025 Use Values:

Ag: \$510

**Forest: \$203** 

Forest GTM: \$152



Tax Year	Forest Land Value per Acre	Forest Land Value Greater than One Mile from Road per Acre	Agriculture Land Value per Acre
2025	TBD	TBD	TBD
2024	\$188	\$141	\$483
2023	\$187	\$140	\$456
2022	\$170	\$128	\$429
2021	\$152	\$114	\$405
2020	\$151	\$113	\$382
2019	\$145	\$109	\$362
2018	\$136	\$102	\$347
2017	\$135	\$101	\$326
2016	\$135	\$101	\$306
2015	\$131	\$98	\$289
2014	\$118	\$89	\$279
2013	\$119	\$89	\$265
2012	\$123	\$92	\$254

#### Who is involved in Current Use administration?

- > Landowners
- Consulting Foresters
- > Real Estate Attorneys
- County Foresters at Department of FPR
- > Current Use Specialists at PVR
- > Current Use Advisory Board
- > Listers and Assessors
- > Town Clerks



#### Where can I find out more?

- Department of Forest, Parks and Recreation: <u>Use Value</u>
   <u>Appraisal (Current Use) | Department of Forests Parks</u>
   <u>and Recreation (vermont.gov)</u>
- Department of Taxes PVR Annual Report: <u>Property</u>
   <u>Valuation & Review Annual Report | Department of Taxes</u>
   <u>(vermont.gov)</u>
- Department of Taxes (vermont.gov)



#### Contact Us

Where can I find out more?



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<u>Current Use | Department of Taxes (vermont.gov)</u>

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