SELECT BOARD AGENDA Regular Meeting 6:00 p.m. January 9, 2024



Needham Town Hall Select Board Chamber & Zoom

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This is a public meeting of the Needham Select Board. The meeting is open to the public both in person and via Zoom. Residents are invited to provide comment during the public comment period (as set forth below) and for any item explicitly listed as a public hearing. Public comment is not available during other agenda items.

	6:00	Public Comment Period Residents are encouraged to inform the Office of the Town Manager in advance via email (OTM@needhamma.gov), telephone (781) 455-7500 extension 204, or in person by the end of the business day prior to the meeting of their intent to participate in the public comment period. The Chair will first recognize those who have communicated in advance their desire to speak for up to three minutes. If time allows, others wishing to speak will be recognized in an order determined by the Chair for up to three minutes. The Board's policy on public participation in meetings can be found here.
1.	6:00	Public Hearing: Eversource Grant of Location – 14 Winslow Road • Joanne Callender, Eversource Representative
2.	6:00	Public Hearing: Eversource Grant of Location – 503 High Rock Street • Joanne Callender, Eversource Representative
3.	6:05	Public Hearing: Climate Action Roadmap • Stephen Frail – Climate Action Plan Committee, Chair • Nick Hill – Climate Action Plan Committee, Vice Chair

		Gabby Queenan – Sustainability Manager
4.	6:45	Asbestos and Lead: Nuisance Dust Requirements for Demolition
		Projects
		Timothy McDonald, Director of Health & Human Services
5.	7:00	Town Manager
		RTS Policy Review
		Parking Meter Policy Review
		Fire Department Civil Service Ballot Question
		Tree Summit Proposal
		By-Law and Charter Review Committee
		ARPA Update
		Open Annual Town Meeting Warrant
		Town Manager Report
6.	7:45	Board Discussion
		Open Meeting Law Complaint
		NHA Zoning
		Committee Reports
7•	8:00	Executive Session
		• Exception 3: To discuss strategy with respect to collective
		bargaining with the ITWA, NIPEA, Police Union, and Police
		Superior Officers Association, where an open meeting may have
		a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the public body
		and the chair so declares.

CONSENT AGENDA *Supporting Documents Attached

1.	Accept the following donation to the Needham Health Division:		
	• \$60 in honor of Alison Phillips to the Substance Use Prevention program		
2.	Accept the following donation to the Needham Free Public Library:		
	 From Porchlight Book Company, <u>Know What Matters</u> by Ron Shaich, estimated value \$30; 		
	• From Peng Shen, \$20;		
	• From Sandra Swartz, \$200; and		
	 From the Friends of the Needham Free Public Library, \$3,050 for programming expenses in calendar year 2024. 		
3.*	Approve revisions to SB-FIN-002 (Capital Improvement Policies) & SB-FIN-003 Revisions (Debt Management Policies)		
4.	Accept the following donation to Needham Youth & Family Services: • \$50 from Erin Doyle towards the YFS Crisis Donation Fund		
5.*	Approve Special Joint Meeting minutes of December 5, Open Session meeting minutes of December 5, and Open Session Meeting minutes of December 19.		