

SELECT BOARD AGENDA

Regular Meeting

6:00 p.m. March 25, 2025



Town Hall
Select Board Chambers
1471 Highland Avenue
Needham, MA 02492
&
Zoom

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	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	Babson College Scholarships • Cathy Dowd, Select Board Clerk

2.	6:05	Town Manager • Non-Essential Outdoor Water Use Restriction • Close May 12, 2025 Special Town Meeting Warrant • 2025 Annual Town Meeting Warrant Update
3.	6:25	Town Manager Search Process Introduction • Bernie Lynch, Community Paradigm Associates
4.	6:30	Town Manager Interviews • Bernie Lynch, Community Paradigm Associates

CONSENT AGENDA *Supporting Documents in Agenda Packet

1.*	Approve Open Session Minutes of February 25, 2025 and Executive Session Minutes of March 11, 2025.
2.*	Approve the revised Contributory Insurance Rules & Regulations Policy (SB-PERS-003).
3.	Approve a request from Ryan Marshall, Pastor of Highrock Church, to hold the road event “The Jog for Joy 5K” in Needham. The event is scheduled for Saturday, May 10 th , 2025, starting at 8:00 a.m. The event and route have been approved by the following departments: Fire, Police, and Public Works.
4.	Accept the following donation made to the Needham Free Public Library: • \$200 from Robert J. Onofrey
5.	Sign the Warrant for the 2025 Annual Town Election to be held on Tuesday, April 8, 2025

NOTICE OF APPROVED BLOCK PARTIES

Name	Address	Party Location	Date	Time	Rain Date
Evan Judd	30 Washburn Avenue	Washburn Ave between Great Plain Avenue and Nehoiden	5/10/25	3pm-7pm	5/11/25
Jennifer Bannon	61 Jarvis Circle	Corner of Nardone & Jarvis Circle	9/6/25	3pm-9pm	9/7/25