



TOWN OF HOPEDALE

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Select Board

Meeting Agenda

Hopedale Town Hall - Draper Room

May 15, 2023 - 7:00 p.m.

(Hybrid Meeting)

NOTE LATER MEETING START TIME

On July 16, 2022, Lt. Governor Polito, as Acting Governor, signed into law An Act Extending Certain COVID-19 Measures Adopted During the State of Emergency.¹ This meeting will be held via HYBRID means.

If you wish to speak, please reserve comments until the Public Comment section of the meeting. If you are using video, you may either raise your hand to be acknowledged by the Chair or use the "Raise Your Hand" button. Please wait to speak until you are acknowledged by Chair. If participants cannot conduct themselves in accordance with these guidelines, they will be removed from meeting.

Also Streamed Live, click here: https://townhallstreams.com/towns/hopedale_ma

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 871 4557 5031

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Call to order 7:00 p.m.

A. New Business

- a. Select Board Reorganization

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By Lisa M. Pedrolini at 3:17 pm, May 11, 2023

B. Executive Session(s):

- a. Move that the Board vote to enter into Executive Session pursuant to Purpose 3, G.L. c. 30A, §21(a)(2) to discuss strategy with respect to contract negotiations if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the negotiation position of the public body, and the Chair so declares, (Town Administrator contract negotiations); to return to open session.

C. Consent Items

- a. Review/Approve Stormwater Management Covenant for 75 Plain Street
- b. Accept donation from Will Adamski for tree planting or care of trees planted for Scout project (\$350.04)

D. Old Business

- a. Any last-minute matters to discuss/vote on pertaining to Annual or Special Town Meeting

E. New Business, Continued

- a. Ratify Town Administrator contract
- b. Determine which Select Board Members will make motions on Town Meeting articles

Please note the Select Board agenda may be subject to change and items not anticipated may be discussed and all listed agenda items may be subject to a vote.

¹ Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2023 authorized an extension, until March 31, 2025, of the remote meeting provisions of the March 12, 2020 Executive Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law. Section (1) of the executive order allowing public access through adequate, alternative means is independent from Section (2), which allows members of the public body to participate remotely. The public body may conduct its proceedings under the relief provided in section (1) or (2) or both.
<https://www.mass.gov/the-open-meeting-law>