



OFFICE OF THE SELECT BOARD
TOWN OF EAST BRIDGEWATER

SELECT BOARD
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AGENDA FOR THE SELECT BOARD MEETING
Monday, June 22, 2026, 6:00 pm
First Floor Conference Room

In accordance with the requirements of the Open Meeting Law, please be advised that this meeting is being recorded and broadcast live by East Bridgewater Community Access Media (EBCAM). The meeting is available for viewing on the EBCAM website at www.eb-cam.org and will be uploaded to the EBCAM YouTube channel following the meeting.

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

OPEN FORUM

APPOINTMENTS

6:05 pm Veterans Agent, Christopher Buckley – Certificate of Appreciation for Andy Bearley

ACTION ITEMS

1. Approve the minutes of June 8, 2026 Select Board's Meetings.
2. Approve the request from Michelle Lessard for the use of the Town Common and Town Hall Parking Lot for a Pilates class on Sunday, June 28, 2026 from 8:00 am – 9:00 am.
3. Approve the event permit request from Keri Kingman for a MK10 Summer Fest on August 22, 2026.
4. Approve the One-Day Liquor License application from the Commercial Club of East Bridgewater, 1 Neilsen Avenue for the following date:
 - August 22, 2026 – MK10 Summer Fest / Suicide Awareness
5. Approve Common Victualer License pending police department approval.

Saint Angelous Inc. dba Pond Street Pizza
Amer Fahim, Manager
210 Pond Street

Pursuant to MGL Chapter 30A, § 18-25,

6. Approve the request from Fire Chief, John Dzialo for the quarterly Ambulance Billing Abatements through June 2026 in the amount of \$54,109.68.
7. Appoint Michael Jenkins as Chief of Police for the term July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2029 per MGL c. 41, § 97A.
8. Approve the following Board/ Committee member reappointments:
 - Kathleen J. Cavanagh to the Agricultural Commission effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - Nicholas Iafrate as the Assistant Building Inspector effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - Gerry Leavitt to the Board of Appeals effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - James A. Ross, Jr. to the Board of Appeals, Alternate effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - John Dzialo as the Community Emergency Response Coordinator effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - Steve Sears to the Conservation Commission effective July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2029
 - Kathleen Cavanagh to the Conservation Commission effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - David Sheedy to the Council on Aging effective July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2029
 - Susan Muir to the Council on Aging effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - John Dzialo as the Director of Emergency Management effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - Erin Dzierzak to the East Bridgewater Arts Council effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - Patrick Franey to the Federal Handicapped Compliance Program effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - David Walsh to the Finance Committee effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - George Jouvin to the Finance Committee effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - John Dzialo as the Forest Warden effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - Dylan Clark as the Gas Inspector, Alternate effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - Kevin Boyle as the Gas Inspector effective July 1, 2026- June 30, 2027
 - Joshua Sampson to the Historical Commission effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - Kathleen J. Cavanagh to the Historical Commission, Associate effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - Susan Prendergast to the Old Colony Planning Council Area Agency on Aging, Delegate effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - Rebecca Johnson as the Parking Clerk effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - Rebecca Johnson as the Municipal Hearing Officer effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - Paul L. Connell to the Patriotic Activities Committee effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - Meredith Walsh to the Patriotic Activities Committee effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - Yvonne Macrae to the Planning Board, Associate Member effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - Dylan Clark as the Plumbing Inspector, Alternate effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - Kevin Boyle as the Plumbing Inspector effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - John Shea to the Recreation Commission effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - Katherine Wolfe to the Registrars of Voters effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029
 - John Dzialo as the Right to Know Law – Coordinator effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - David R. Moore as the Sealer of Weights & Measures effective July 1, 2026- June 30, 2027
 - David Bentley Jr. as the Wiring Inspector effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
 - F. Greg Paul as the Wiring Inspector, Assistant effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
9. Accept the resignation of the following Board / Committee reappointments.
 - Lois Sullivan from the Council on Aging
 - Ed Gannon Jr. and Jacob Edward Gannon as Animal Control Officers and Animal Inspectors
 - Karen Harhen from the Finance Committee
 - Michael McLaughlin from the Agricultural Commission – Alternate
 - Thomas Williams from the Recreation Commission

10. Approve to disband the ARPA Committee.

11. Discuss and approve Traffic Advisory Committee recommendation.

Church Street No Parking - Regarding complaints the Police Department was receiving about parking and possibly posting the street NO Parking on both sides. As we discussed at TAC, that would first require action of the Board, but all agreed it was unnecessary as long as emergency vehicles had reasonable access down Church Street.

12. Vote to appoint Select Board Liaisons to Departments, Boards, and Committees.

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| • Agricultural Commission | Carole | |
| • Arts Council | Carole | |
| • Assessing Department / Board of Assessors | Peter | |
| • Board of Health Department / Board | Carole | |
| • Brockton Area Transit Authority (BAT) | Katherine | |
| • Capital Committee | Peter | |
| • Conservation Department / Commission | Katherine | |
| • Council on Aging/Rentals/Community Garden | Katherine | |
| • D.P.W | Peter | |
| • Finance Committee | Peter | |
| • Fire Department | Carole | |
| • Historical Commission | Carole | |
| • Library | Carole | |
| • Patriotic Activities Committee | Katherine | |
| • Planning and Building Department / Planning Board | Peter | |
| • Plymouth County Commissioners | Peter | Approved 5/22 |
| • Plymouth County Commissioners / Alternate | Katherine | Approved 6/8 |
| • Police Department | Katherine | |
| • Public Safety Building Committee | Katherine | |
| • Recreation Commission | Peter | |
| • School Department / School Committee | Carole | |
| • Town Hall Departments | Katherine | |
| -Accountant | | |
| -Animal Control | | |
| -Information Technology | | |
| -Town Administrator | | |
| -Town Clerk | | |
| -Treasurer Collector | | |
| -Veteran Services / Passports | | |
| • Traffic Advisory Committee | Peter | |
| • Personnel Policy Review Committee | Carole | |
| • Wellness and Engagement Committee | Carole | |

13. Discuss and vote to approve the Treasurer / Collector to retain or sell the following properties Assessors Map designations:

case no. 13 TL 146488 filed, (Map 81, Block 58)

case no. 13 TL 146489 filed, (Map 71, Block 91)

14. Review and vote on municipal relief transfers.

From:

Animal Inspector 1-519-510-5121	\$8,500.00
Animal Inspector 1-519-520-5790	\$600.00
Town Clerk Salary 1-161-510-5125	\$10,000.00
Planning Board Salary 1-175-510-5126	\$10,000.00
COA Salary 1-541-510-5126	\$10,000.00
EBCAM Expense 61-122-520-5249	\$2,000.00
Clerk Expense 1-161-520-5180	\$1,000.00

To

Gasoline	1-196-520-5410	\$12,000.00
EBCAM Salary	61-122-510-5117	\$2,000.00
Accounting Salary	1-135-510-5117	\$1,000.00
IT Salary	1-155-510-5114	\$2,000.00
Conservation Salary	1-171-510-5117	\$500.00
Zoning Salary	1-176-510-5126	\$500.00
Building Inspector Salary	1-241-510-5121	\$2,500.00
Gas Inspector	1-242-510-5121	\$500.00
Wiring Inspector	1-245-510-5121	\$500.00
Audit	1-125-520-5315	\$2,000.00
Accounting Expense	1-135-520-5192	\$1,000.00
Board of Registrar's Expense	1-163-520-5425	\$1,000.00
Planning Board Expense	1-175-520-5301	\$500.00
Treasurer Professional Service	1-145-521-5306	\$2,000.00
Street Light	1-424-520-5213	\$3,500.00
Animal Control	1-292-520-5300	\$9,600.00
Town Hall Copier	1-197-520-5249	\$1,000.00

15. In accordance with MGL Chapter 44 Section 20, the Board votes to use unspent bond proceeds from the following projects towards the payment of indebtedness –

- Turf replacement - \$2,659.79
- Library roof and HVAC - \$18,788.92
- Town Hall and Police generator - \$1,017.71
- N Central, W Union, Crescent St culverts - \$617.26

16. Discuss options for hiring Animal Control Officers / Animal Inspector after June 30, 2026

17. Discuss and possibly vote on Water & Sewer Superintendent, Library Director, Town Accountant, DPW Director, and IT Director contracts.

ANNOUNCEMENTS / STAFF REPORTS

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR REPORT

- Hayward Street Town Property – Land Survey – Zoning, Encroachment, and Wetlands Issues

BOARD DISCUSSIONS

TOPICS NOT REASONABLY ANTICIPATED BY THE CHAIRMAN 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING

UPCOMING MEETINGS – 2026

Monday, January 12	Monday, January 26	Monday, February 9	Monday, February 23
Monday, March 9	Monday, March 23	Monday, April 13	Monday, April 27
Monday, May 4	Monday, May 11 TOWN MEETING	Monday, May 18	Monday, June 8
Monday, June 22	Monday, July 13	Monday, August 10	Monday, September 14
Monday, September 28	Monday, October 5	Monday, October 26	Monday, November 9
Monday, November 23	Monday, December 14	Monday, December 28	

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Vote to close open meeting and enter executive session and decide whether to return to open session.

Pursuant to MGL Chapter 30A, Section 21 (a)(2) to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions or contract negotiations with nonunion personnel, Water & Sewer Superintendent, Deputy Police Chief, Superior Officers, Water & Sewer Superintendent, Library Director, Town Accountant, DPW Director, and IT Director.

Vote to close Executive Session meeting and decide whether to return to open session.

ADJOURNMENT