

MEETING NOTICE

TOWN OF FREETOWN

PUBLIC BODY: **Board of Selectmen**
MEETING PLACE: **Police Station Community Room**
ADDRESS: **15 Memorial Drive, East Freetown, MA 02717**
MEETING DATE: **Wednesday, May 3, 2023**
MEETING TIME: **5:30pm**



SIGNED: _____ **Executive Assistant** DATE: **5/1/2023**

THIS IS AN AMENDED MEETING NOTICE

THIS MEETING HAS BEEN CANCELLED. SIGNED: *Liz Ann Lange* DATE: 5-1-23

RECEIVED BY OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK: _____

THIS MEETING HAS BEEN POSTPONED TO: _____ SIGNED: _____

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Notice of every meeting of a local public body must be filed and time-stamped with the Town Clerk's Office *at least* 48 hours prior to such meeting (excluding Saturdays Sundays and legal holidays) and posted thereafter in accordance with the provisions of the Open Meeting Law, MGL 30A §§18-25 (Ch.28-2009). Such notice shall contain a listing of topics the Chair reasonably anticipates will be discussed at the meeting.

AGENDA / LIST OF TOPICS

Call to Order

Executive Session

Discussion/possible action on the following topics:

1. M.G.L. c. 30A, sec. 21(a)(3) - to discuss strategy with respect to litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares – **Charles Macomber**

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Discussion/possible action on the following topics:

2. Discussion, and vote whether to approve and release the executive session minutes from 4/24/23.
3. Discussion, and vote whether to approve the open session meeting minutes from 4/6/23.
4. Discussion, and vote to open, and review the Annual & Special Town Meeting Warrants for 6/5/23.
5. Discussion, and vote on whether to approve the Weights & Measures fee schedule to cover expense of this service.
6. Discussion, and vote on whether to approve the agreement between the Town of Freetown and Greater New Bedford Regional Refuse Management District effective 7/1/23-6/30/25.
7. Discussion, and vote on whether to approve the road opening permit for 8 Nick Drive.

Personnel Board

Discussion/possible action on the following topics:

8. Discussion, and vote on whether to approve the reappointment of Lisa Marie Podielsky as Animal Control Agent/Inspector of Animals effective 5/1/23-4/30/24.

Combined Meeting with Board of Selectmen & Finance Committee

Discussion/possible action on the following topics:

9. Omnibus Fiscal Year 24 Budget Review with Finance Committee. It is anticipated that Departments listed below will be reviewed. Others may be discussed as may come up or as they relate.
 - a. Library
 - b. Town Clerk
 - c. Highway
 - d. Health Inspection Services
10. Discussion, and vote on The Board of Selectmen's and Finance Committee recommendations on each warrant article for the Annual and Special Town Meeting on 6/5/23.
11. Discussion, and vote whether to approve, finalize and close warrant for Annual Town Meeting & Special Town Meeting on 6/5/23.

Board of Parks Commission

Discussion/possible action on the following topics:

- No topics for discussion

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Town Administrator's Report

Please note: The Board may take up any other business to properly come before the Board that was not reasonably anticipated 48 hours before this meeting.

Old Business:

Potential discussion on pending items – action will not be taken at this meeting:

- Town Buildings