

TOWN OF BECKET SELECT BOARD MEETING

Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2023

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Location: Becket Town Hall, 557 Main St.

Agenda

This meeting will be held in-person at the location provided on this notice. **Members of the public are welcome to attend this in-person meeting.** Please note that while an option for remote attendance and/or participation is being provided as a courtesy to the public (**Zoom Access** is listed at the end of this agenda), the meeting/hearing will not be suspended or terminated if technological problems interrupt the virtual broadcast, unless otherwise required by law. Members of the public with particular interest in any specific item on this agenda should make plans for in-person vs. virtual attendance accordingly.

Public Comments may be emailed to comment@townofbecket.org in advance of the meeting.

- 1. The Chairperson will call the Select Board meeting to order.
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Approval of the 6/7/2023 Meeting Minutes
- 4. Public Input (limited to 3 minutes per person, 20 minutes total for this agenda item).
- 5. Discussion with June Wolfe, Construct, Inc., and potential vote to sign the Executive Office of Housing and Livable Communities application for Local Housing Project 50 Dawn Drive
- 6. Select Board to vote on Town Administrator's recommended appointments effective July 1, 2023:

Name	Position	Expiration Date
Edward Pickert	Highway Superintendent/Pest Control/Tree Warden	June 30, 2024
Lisa Michaud	Interim Ambulance Director	June 30, 2024
Katherine A. Warden	Emergency Management Director	June 30, 2024

7. Select Board to vote on Tax Collector's recommended reappointments effective July 1, 2023:

Name	Position	Expiration Date
Brian Bean	Deputy Tax Collector	June 30, 2024
Nina Weiler	Assistant Tax Collector	June 30, 2024



8. SB to review and vote on approval of appointments effective July 1, 2023:

Name	Position	Expiration Date
Neil Toomey	Agricultural Commission	June 30, 2024
Kristopher Massini	Agricultural Commission	June 30, 2024
Ann Krawet	Planning Board Designee to the Community Preservation Committee	June 30, 2026
William Elovirta	Berkshire Regional Transit Authority Advisory Board Designee	June 30, 2024
Jessica Perotti	Board of Assessors	June 30, 2026
Douglas Bessone	Conservation Commission	June 30, 2026
Douglas Bessone	Conservation Commission Designee to the Community Preservation Committee	June 30, 2026
Rita Furlong	Parks & Recreation Committee Designee to the Community Preservation Committee	June 30, 2026
Henry Hagenah	Conservation Commission Member	June 30, 2026
James P. Levy	Berkshire Regional Planning Commission, Alternate Delegate	June 30, 2024
Lorraine Dean	Council on Aging	June 30, 2026
Cathy Terwedow	Cultural Council	June 30, 2026
Shelley Chanler	Cultural Council	June 30, 2026
Cathy DeFoe	Energy Committee	June 30, 2026
Tim Fogerty	Harbor Master	June 30, 2024
Robert Gross	Municipal Light Plant Manager	June 30, 2026
Rita Furlong	Parks & Recreation Committee	June 30, 2026
Madelaine Elovirta	Parks & Recreation Committee	June 30, 2026
Kenneth Bilodeau Jr.	Tax Collector	June 30, 2026
Sarah Hoecker	Zoning Board of Appeals	June 30, 2026
Mary Canty	Zoning Board of Appeals	June 30, 2026
Alvin Blake	Zoning Board of Appeals Associate Member	June 30, 2024
Christopher Milenkevich	Zoning Board of Appeals Associate Member	June 30, 2024
Michael S. Lavery	Historical Commission	June 30, 2026
Paul Greene	Zoning Enforcement Officer	June 30, 2024

- 9. Select Board to approve FY2024 Employee Payrates
- 10. Select Board to approve Employee Vacation Carry Over Requests



- 11. Select Board to review and possibly approve The Becket Scholarship Foundation, Inc. Tax Bill Insert
- 12. Select Board to review Departmental Reports
 - Building Inspector May 2023, and other departments tba
- 13. Town Administrator's Report
- 14. Select Board's Comments and Announcements
- 15. Any other business to come before the Board
- 16. Correspondence/announcements:
 - 2023.06.05 Eversource transmittal of copies of four notification letters Eversource sent to George Carter Road property owners who reside on or adjacent to Eversource transmission Right-of-Way where upcoming vegetation work will occur.
 - 2023.06.12 received VHB re: Requests for the 2023 Yearly Operational Plan for CSX's Railroad Right-of-Way Vegetation Management is available by email sherzog@vhb.com or by mail VHB, attn. Stephen Herzog, 120 Front St., Suite 500, Worcester MA 01608
 - 2023.06.03 received BSC Group re: Conservation Commission Public Hearing scheduled 6pm on June 27th to review Notice of Intent (applicant: NSTAR d/b/a Eversource Energy)
 - 2023.06.06 MassDOT re: Project Development #61361 Bridge Replacement, B-03-057 and B-03-058, Appalachian Trail over I-90
 - 2023.06.06 MassDOT re: Project Development #613212 Bridge Preservation:

B-03-061 (4FX) – Werden Road over I-90

B-03-062 (4FW) – Johnson Road over I-90

B-14-021(4G6) – Old Chester Road over I-90 in Blandford

S-26-014 (4H3) – Prospect Hill Road over I-90 in Stockbridge

W-22-023 (4HG) – Baker Street over I-90 in West Stockbridge

W-22-026 (4HF) - Baker Street over I-90 in West Stockbridge

- 17. Select Board to review and sign payable warrants
- 18. Select Board to adjourn the Meeting

Zoom Meeting Access Info.

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