

MONTAGUE SELECTBOARD MEETING

VIA ZOOM

Monday, November 17, 2025

AGENDA

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89087684494>

Meeting ID: 890 8768 4494 Passcode: 125358 Dial into meeting: +1 646 558 8656

Topics may start earlier than specified, unless there is a hearing scheduled

1. 6:30 Selectboard Chair opens the meeting, including announcing that the meeting is being recorded and roll call taken
2. 6:30 Approve Minutes: Selectboard Meeting November 10, 2025, if available
3. 6:30 Public Comment Period: Individuals will be limited to two (2) minutes each and the Selectboard will strictly adhere to time allotted for public comment
4. 6:32 **Brian McHugh, Director of Community Development**
 - Request to extend grant extensions for FY22, FY23 and FY24 Montague Community Development Block Grant program activities
5. 6:45 **Use of Public Property- Jon Dobosz, Park & Recreation Director**
 - Sawmill River 10k Road Race, Thursday, January 1, 2026, from 7:00am to 2:00pm starting at Montague Center Village
6. 6:50 **Montague Food Security and Sustainability Coalition Emergency Produce Distribution Initiative**
 - Consider authorizing a subgrant agreement in the amount of \$3,250 to Brick House Community Resource Center (acting on behalf of the Montague Food Security and Sustainability Coalition) for the purpose of purchasing produce and household groceries for food pantries in Montague. Funding source: Community Development Discretionary
7. 7:05 **Assistant Town Administrator's Business**
 - Authorize contract amendment with Tighe & Bond for engineering and environmental services – building demolition and site improvements at the Strathmore Mill Complex. Amendment value is \$1,088,550 to be funded by EPA Brownfields Cleanup Grant and state earmark.
 - Other Updates
8. 7:10 **Town Administrator's Business**
 - Commonwealth of Mass Department of Fish and Game requests a Letter of Support for Department of Fish and Game to purchase property on Ripley Road (Parcel ID 52-0-058)
 - Golden Cane Discussion
 - Topics not anticipated in the 48-hour posting requirements

Next Meeting:

- Selectboard: Monday, November 24, 2025, at 6:30PM via ZOOM.