MONTAGUE SELECTBOARD MEETING

1 Avenue A, Turners Falls and VIA ZOOM
Monday, November 23, 2026
AGENDA

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

Meeting Being Taped **Votes May Be Taken**

1. 6:30PM Selectboard Chair opens the meeting, including announcing that the meeting is being recorded and roll call taken

2. 6:30 Approve Minutes: Selectboard Meetings:

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 **Public Hearing held jointly with the Board of Assessors: Fiscal Year 2027 Tax Classification Hearing**
   - Adam Tocci, Director Assessing to present rate setting needs and options for distributing tax burden among different classes of property.
   - Public Comment, Deliberation, and vote to recommend tax rates for FY27.
   - Board of Assessors vote to approve the sixth motor vehicle commitment list from the Registry of motor Vehicles and sign the warrant to be handed to the Treasurer/Collector.
   - Board of Assessors vote to approve a recommitment that includes three motor vehicle excise tax bills from calendar years 2010 and 2011

5. 7:32 **Licensing: Sawmill Race**
   - **Use of Public Property-** Sawmill River 10k Road Race, Thursday, January 1, 2026, from 9:00am to 1:00pm starting at Montague Center Village, as requested by Patrick Pessati of Sugarloaf Mountain Athletic Club

6. 7:05 **Personnel Board/ Sewer Commissioners**
   - Accept resignation of Superintendent Chelsey Little, effective December 11,2026
   - Authorize status change for Tim Little to serve as CWF foreman on a temporary basis $36.90/hr effective 11/19/2026
   - Discuss CWF leadership transition strategy and long-term management options

7. 7:45 **Town Administrator's Business**

- Trash Sticker Policy roll-out
- Reminder: Winter Parking Regulations Effective December 1, 2026
- MIIA renewal for FY28 at 0% increase and FY29 at 2.5% increase.

Next Meeting

Selectboard Meeting: Monday, November 30, 2026, at 6:30pm via ZOOM