

MONTAGUE SELECTBOARD MEETING

In-Person at 1 Avenue A, Turners Falls and VIA ZOOM

Monday, December 18, 2023

AGENDA

Zoom Login: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86551263160>

Meeting ID: 865 5126 3160 **Passcode:** 291986 **Dial into meeting:** **+1 646 558 8656**

This meeting/hearing of the Selectboard 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, 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.

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

Meeting Being Taped

Votes May Be Taken

1. 6:00PM Selectboard Chair opens the meeting, including announcing that the meeting is being recorded and roll call taken
2. 6:00 Approve Selectboard Minutes from December 11, 2023 if available
3. 6:00 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. 6:02 Dog Complaint Hearing, Jonnie Arabia and Brianna Snyder, 20 K Street, Turners Falls
 - Investigation of Nuisance or Dangerous Dog as those terms are defined in said statute
5. 6:45 Personnel Board with Chris Williams, Police Chief
 - Retirement of Sargent John Dempsey effective 12/31/2023
 - Appoint John Dempsey as reserve officer effective January 15, 2024
 - Proposal to change wage rate for on call reserve officers
6. 7:00 Personnel Board with Dept of Public Works
 - Proposal to add a Collection System Laborer position in FY25 Budget
7. 7:15 Personnel Board
 - Appoint Ryne Hager, to Cable Advisory Committee until 6/30/24, effective 12/19/23
 - Vote to affirm intention to appoint Walter Ramsey as Town Administrator upon departure of Steve Ellis
 - Town Administrator/Assistant Town Administrator transition plan

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8. 7:30 Executive Assistant Business
- Approve 2024 Annual Permit Applications and Licenses as set forth in the attached listing
 - Request by Mark Wisnewski, from the Rendezvous to remain open until 2:00AM on New Years Eve
 - Set Winter Special Town Meeting Date (Thursday, March 14, 2024)
 - Discuss upcoming Selectboard meeting dates
9. 7:40 Assistant Town Administrator's Business
- Vote to consider advancing the Six Town Regionalization Planning Board Study
 - Mass School Building Authority Update- Sheffield Elementary School not accepted into 2023 Statement of Interest process.
 - Topics not anticipated in the 24 hour posting requirements

Next Meeting:

- Selectboard, Monday, January 9, 2024 at 6:00 PM

2024 Licenses

2024 Licenses	
Liquor Licenses	
BREWERY/WINERY POURING PERMIT - SEATING UNDER 50	
	\$110.00 each
Brick & Feather Brewery, Inc.	78 11th Street, Turners Falls
Element Brewing Company dba Element Brewing Co. LLC	16 Bridge St, Miller Falls
Pioneer Valley Brewery, LLC	151 Third St, Turners Falls
CLUB, ALL ALCOHOL	
	\$725.00 each
Millers Falls Rod & Gun Club Inc.	201R Turners Falls Rd, Turners Falls
Montague Bpo Elks Lodge 2521	1 Elk Ave, Turners Falls
St. Kazimierz Society dba St. Kazimierz Society	197 Avenue A, Turners Falls
St. Stanislaus B and M Society, Inc.	6 K St, Turners Falls
Turners Falls Rod & Gun Club, Inc.	15 Deep Hole Road, Turners Falls
GENERAL ON PREMISES - Wines & Malt	
	\$580.00 each
Sow Loud, LLC dba The Upper Bend	112 Avenue A, Turners Falls
PACKAGE STORE, ALL ALCOHOL	
	\$975.00 each
Bryan Call dba Crestview Liquors	68 Unity St, Turners Falls
Slow Village Ahead dba Montague Village Store	60 Main St, Montague
Purple Meadow Ventures, Inc. dba Connecticut River Liquor & Wine	123 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Om Shiv Shambhu, Inc. dba Carroll's Market	33 East Main St, Millers Falls
PACKAGE STORE, WINES and Malt	
	\$550.00 each
Crooked River Corp. dba Food City	250 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Pub General	27 East Main Street, Millers Falls
RESTAURANT, ALL ALCOHOL	
	\$1,050.00 each
Between the Uprights, LLC dba Between the Uprights at 2nd St.	23 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Crystal Spring Investments, LLC dba Millers Pub	29 East Main St, Millers Falls
Pamela Tierney dba Black Cow Burger	125 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Hole Pie, Inc., dba Harvey's	166 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Rocket Science, LLC dba The Rendezvous	78 Third St, Turners Falls
Secondhand Smoke, Inc. dba North Village Smokehouse	32 Federal St, Millers Falls
Shea Theater Arts Center	71 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Thomas Memorial Golf & Country Club	30 Country Club Ln, Turners Falls
RESTAURANT, WINES and MALT	
	\$580.00 each
CVB Harvest LLC dba Great Falls Harvest	50 Third St, Turners Falls
Lady Killigrew Café, Inc. dba Lady Killigrew Café, Inc.	444 Greenfield Rd, Montague
Shady Glen, Inc dba Shady Glen	7 Avenue A, Turners Falls

Miscellaneous Licenses - (with Liquor Licenses)	
AUTOMATIC AMUSEMENT	\$45.00 each device
Between the Uprights, LLC dba Between the Uprights at 2nd St.	23 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Millers Pub	29 East Main St, Millers Falls
Rocket Science, LLC dba The Rendezvous	78 Third St, Turners Falls
Millers Falls Rod & Gun Club Inc.	201R Turners Falls Rd, Turners Falls
Montague B.P.O Elks # 2521	1 Elk Ave, Turners Falls
St. Kazimierz Society	197 Avenue A, Turners Falls
St. Stanislaus B and M Society, Inc.	6 K St, Turners Falls
Pioneer Valley Brewery	151 Third Street, Turners Falls
ENTERTAINMENT	\$55.00 each
Between the Uprights, LLC dba Between the Uprights at 2nd St.	23 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Great Falls Harvest	50 Third St, Turners Falls
Element Brewing Company	16 Bridge St, Miller Falls
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Turners Falls Rod & Gun Club	15 Deep Hole Road, Turners Falls
COMMON VICTUALLER	\$40.00 each
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Thomas Memorial Golf & Country Club - Dining Room	30 Country Club Ln, Turners Falls
Thomas Memorial Golf & Country Club - Clubhouse	30 Country Club Ln, Turners Falls
Turners Falls Rod & Gun Club, Inc.	15 Deep Hole Road, Turners Falls

Miscellaneous Licenses - (Not related to Liquor Licenses)	
LODGING HOUSE	\$40.00 each
F. C. Housing Authority	241 Millers Falls Road, Turners Falls
CLASS II - USED CARS	\$110.00 each
Bob's Auto	303 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Koch's Auto Sales	98 Turners Falls Rd, Turners Falls
Mark's Auto	366 Federal St, Montague
Mark's Auto	484 Federal St, Montague
Montague Garage (Gregory Precourt)	10 Station St, Montague
Rau's Sunoco	531 Turners Falls Rd, Montague
Semaski General Contractor & Equipment Sales	186 Turners Falls Rd, Montague
Zak's Auto Sales and Repair	221 Millers Falls Road, Turners Falls
CLASS III -JUNK	\$110.00 each
Bob's Auto	303 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Rau's Sunoco	531 Turners Falls Rd, Montague
ENTERTAINMENT	\$55.00 each
Montague Book Mill	Greenfield Rd, Montague
COMMON VICTUALLERS	\$40.00 each
Ce Ce's Chinese Restaurant	57 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Country Creemee	52 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Scotty's	66 Unity St, Turners Falls
TF F. L. Roberts dba NEC OPCO I, Inc.	132 Third St, Turners Falls
Subway dba CK Sandwiches	57 Avenue A, Turners Falls
Turners Falls Pizza	119 Avenue A, Turners Falls