



TOWN OF BLANDFORD

Select Board

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Blandford Town Hall
1 Russell Stage Road, Suite 1
Blandford, MA 01008

SELECT BOARD AGENDA

MAY 22, 2023

6:00 pm

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- **Zoom Video Link:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82168083073>
- **Meeting ID:** 821 6808 3073
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If you have any comment regarding items that are on the agenda, please forward to Joann Martin, Administrative Assistant, at Selectboardadmin@townofblandford.com or 413-848-4279 x206.

Meeting held in the Select Board Chamber, Town Hall

1. EXAMINATION OF RECORDS OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

- a. Review and act on minutes for the Joint Select Board-Finance Committee **meeting of May 1, 2023**

2. *AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION / PUBLIC COMMENT

3. DEPARTMENT REPORTS

- a. Highway
- b. Town Administrator
 - i. Finance/Budget
 1. **FY24 budget updates:** fuel bids and vocational school acceptances

4. ACTION ITEMS

- a. Review and act on **Taking Root Garden Design** quote for FY24 maintenance of Watson Park in the amount of \$1,680
- b. Review and act on letter of support for the **Rural and Small Town Development Fund** Application for **Fire-Highway Facility Project**
- c. Review and act on letter of support for the Application to **MassWorks'** Small Town Road Improvements program for **Beech Hill Road Bridge**
- d. Review and act on **Warrant #23 for payment**
- e. Review and act on Appointment of Doug Emo **Watson Park Groundskeeper** for the term of July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024
- f. Review and act on Appointment of Joseph Henning **Veteran's Agent** for the term of July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024
- g. Review and act on Appointment of Christopher Dunne **Town Administrator** for the term of July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024

h. Review and act on Appointment of Cosette Cousineau **Registrar of Voters** for the term of July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024

5. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

6. **NEW BUSINESS**

7. **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

TABLED ITEMS

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