



TOWN OF BLANDFORD  
PLANNING BOARD  
1 Russell Stage Road  
Blandford, MA 01008

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## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

In accordance with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 40A, Section 5, the Blandford Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing at the Blandford Town Hall, 1 Russell Stage Road, Blandford, MA 01008 at 6:00 PM on October 4, 2023. The nature of this hearing is to present a proposed amendment to the Zoning Bylaws pertaining to Small Scale and Medium Scale Ground Mounted Solar Photovoltaic installations: Sections XIII, 8.1.2, Section IX and Table of Uses:

- **“SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC INSTALLATION, SMALL SCALE GROUND MOUNTED:** A solar photovoltaic system that is structurally mounted on the ground and not roof mounted and has a rated nameplate capacity of less than **20 KW DC** or occupies less than 1750 square feet of surface area.”
- **“SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC INSTALLATION, MEDIUM SCALE GROUND MOUNTED:** A solar photovoltaic system that is structurally mounted on the ground and is not roof mounted and has a rated nameplate capacity between **20 KW DC** and 250 KW DC or occupies greater than 1750 square feet and less than 40,000 square feet of surface area.

Any person interested or wishing to be heard should appear at the time and place designated. If unable to attend please submit comments, in writing, to the Blandford Planning Board at 1 Russell Stage Road, Blandford, MA 01008. Failure to make recommendations on the matter for review shall be deemed lack of opposition thereto.

Paul Martin, Chair  
Blandford Planning Board

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