



# TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN

TOWN HALL 40 CENTRE STREET  
FAIRHAVEN, MA 02719

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## **8/3/22 BOARD OF REGISTRARS** **MEETING MINUTES**

Present: Linda Fredette; Eileen Lowney; Nils Isaksen; Kim Hyland

A. Called to Order at 1:27

B. New Business/Action Items

1. Discussion to move polling location due to inability to use HMS to house Precincts 3 & 4 due to unfinished construction
  - a. moving any polling location requires notifying the residents where their new poll will be located. If we were to move only pr 3 & 4, it would take time to identify the addresses in those precincts to notify and would cause undue confusion as to who will be moving where. With such short notice, it would be less confusing, more cost effective, and much quicker to notify the entire town that all precincts would be located in one place.
  - b. the Rec Center is the best choice to house all six precincts due to its accessibility, parking, location, and size.
  - c. we will need to change our recommendation of police detail assignment from (1) one per polling location to (3) three at the Rec Center, with at least (1) one officer stationed outside in case there are any traffic/parking issues.
  - d. signage will be required at the new polling location to direct voters to their precincts. Signage will also be placed at the former polls to direct voters to the Rec Center.I will ask the Fire Chief if we can use the street signs to help notify voters of the changes, as well as request that a reverse 911 (robocall) be utilized.
2. Unanimously Voted to move ALL precincts to the Rec Center, 227 Huttleston Ave, for the September 6, 2022 State Primary Election. We will meet again after the election to discuss whether the move will remain permanent.

C. Adjourned 1:53