# FAIRHAVEN SELECT BOARD AGENDA

***October 14, 2025 6:30 p.m.***

***Town Hall – 40 Center Street – Fairhaven***

FAIRHAVEN TOWN CLERK
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## A. EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, Section 21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to pending litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the collective bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares (*Mary Freire-Kellogg v. Town of Fairhaven* and *Amanda Blais v. Town of Fairhaven*)

2. Pursuant to G.L. c. 30A, s. 21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the public body and the chair so declares (Police Union)

3. Pursuant to G.L. c. 30A, s. 21(a)(7) To comply with, or act under the authority of, G.L. c. 30A, s. 22, to approve the minutes of Executive Sessions on 9/22/25 and 9/30/25 and to review the minutes of Executive Session (1/8/24, 2/12/24, 2/26/24, 3/11/24, 4/8/24, 4/22/24, 6/10/24, 8/19/24, 9/23/24, 9/30/24, 10/15/24, 11/12/24, 11/19/24, 11/25/24, 12/16/24, 12/23/24, 12/30/24, 1/13/25, 1/27/25, 2/10/25, 2/19/25, 2/24/25, 3/10/25, 3/17/25, 3/24/25, 3/31/25, 4/7/25, 4/14/25, 4/28/25, 5/12/25, 5/27/25, 6/9/25, 6/23/25, 7/7/25, 7/10/25, 7/14/25, 7/28/25, 8/11/25, 8/25/25, 9/8/25, 9/22/25 and 9/30/25)

## B. APPOINTMENTS AND COMMUNITY ITEMS

1. Appointment: Constable: Jeffrey Foisy
2. Appointment: Wiring Inspector: Rick Forand
3. Appointment: Assistant Building Inspector: William Horrocks
4. Tree Removal Appeal: Green Ash trees on Oliver Street (#s 33-42)
5. Special One-Day Liquor License, Temporary Street Closure, Use of Town Hall: Economic Development Committee/Travelers Alehouse: Oktoberfest, Saturday, October 18, 2025

## C. PUBLIC COMMENT

## D. ACTION / DISCUSSION

1. License: Pledge of Collateral to Bristol County Savings Bank: OEA Restaurant Group dba Olivia's
2. Consider Update to the Charge for the Atlas Tack Working Group
3. Request by Resident to Change the Atlas Tack Working Group to a Committee
4. Town Match for Grant: Hazard Mitigation Plan Update
5. Consideration of Employment Agreement between the Town of Fairhaven and Fire Chief Todd Correia
6. Ratify Collective Bargaining Agreements: Highway, Clerical
7. Consider Non-Union Employee Cost-of-Living Increase
8. Review Special Town Meeting Articles
9. Close and Sign Special Town Meeting Warrant
10. Appoint a Select Board Representative for the joint meeting with School Committee on October 27, 2025
11. Discover Fairhaven: Seasonal Town Hall Clocktower Lighting
12. Town Hall Auditorium Application Process and Deadline Discussion
13. Open Meeting Law Complaint Received October 3, 2025: Patrick Higgins and draft response
14. Consider Release of Executive Session Minutes Reviewed
15. Reauthorize Keith Hickey as Temporary Treasurer for the Town
16. Reauthorize Keith Hickey and Labor Counsel to negotiate Memorandum of Understanding extension with AFSCME for Interim Treasurer and Interim Assistant Treasurer/Collector

## E. TOWN ADMINISTRATOR REPORT

## F. BOARD MEMBER ITEMS / COMMITTEE LIAISON REPORTS

## G. MINUTES

1. Accept the Select Board Open Session minutes of September 22 and 30, 2025
2. Accept the Select Board Executive Session minutes of September 22 and 30, 2025

**Log on or call 1-929-205-6099, Meeting ID: 894 8599 3911, Passcode: 330130**

***Subject matter listed in the agenda consists of items reasonably anticipated (by the Chair) to be discussed. Not all items listed may be discussed and other items not listed (i.e. urgent business not available at the time of posting) may also be brought up for discussion in accordance with applicable law.***

H. **CORRESPONDENCE**

1. South Coast Places for People: Route 6 Walk Audit Findings
2. Invitation to the Veterans Day Parade, Tuesday, November 11, 2025
3. Open Meeting Law Determination: OML 2025 – 154

I. **NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled Select Board meeting: ***Monday, October 27, 2025*** at 6:30pm

J. **ADJOURN**