



# FAIRHAVEN SELECT BOARD AGENDA

*April 13, 2026 6:30 p.m.*

*Town Hall – 40 Center Street – Fairhaven*

FAIRHAVEN TOWN CLERK  
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The meeting can also be viewed on Channel 97 or on FairhavenTV.com

## A. EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. G.L. c. 30A, s. 21(a)(6) to consider the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property where the chair declares that an open session would have a detrimental effect on the negotiating position of the Select Board (Atlas Tack conservation restriction)

## B. PUBLIC COMMENT

## C. APPOINTMENTS / COMMUNITY ITEMS

1. Appointment Request: Dog Park Study Committee: Hailey Hemingway, one-year term
2. Appointment Request: Open Space and Recreation Planning Committee: Melanie Jansky, ad-hoc
3. Appointment Request: Commission on Disability: Noah Brine, three-year term
4. Proclamation: John Rotundi, Katie Brienzo Lifetime Achievement Award
5. Event Request: Conrad's Law 5K: Saturday, September 12, 2026
6. Event Request: Nemasket Group 13<sup>th</sup> Annual 5K Walk/Run: Saturday, May 2, 2026
7. Event Request and Temporary Street Closure: Cherry Blossom Festival: Sunday, May 3, 2026
8. Select Board Representative Request: Hastings Middle School Softball Field Renaming Selection Committee: Charles Murphy

## D. ACTION / DISCUSSION

1. Project Eligibility Letter Application Support Presentation on Proposed Friendly 40-B on the former G. Bourne Knowles Site
2. Consider Proposed Recreation Center Membership Rate Adjustment for FY2027
3. Authorize the Town Clerk to Request Election Workers from the Democratic and Republican Town Committees
4. Discussion with Public Works Superintendent: Beach and Trash Fees

## E. TOWN ADMINISTRATOR

## F. BOARD MEMBER ITEMS / COMMITTEE LIAISON REPORTS

## G. MINUTES

1. Accept the Open Session minutes of March 30 and 31, 2026

## H. CORRESPONDENCE

1. Copy of Letter to the Finance Committee in support of Tourism: Eleanor Chew
2. Memorial Day Parade invitation
3. Fairhaven Village Militia-Harbor of Courage Encampment invitation
4. Emails regarding the Animal Shelter
5. Email: M. Hayes: HHR
6. Email: Michelle Costen: Shortfall-Override-Rain Ref: SB 3/23/26
7. Open Meeting Law Appeal: Patrick Higgins: Re. Emergency Meeting: September 30, 2025 Executive Session

## I. NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The next regularly scheduled Select Board meeting will be on **Monday, April 27, 2026** at 6:30pm
2. Precinct Meetings followed by the Annual Town Meeting Preview will be on **Thursday, April 30, 2026** starting at 6:30p.m. at the Elizabeth Hastings Middle School, 30 School Street
3. Annual Town Meeting will be on **Saturday, May 2, 2026** at 9:00a.m. in the Walter Silveira Auditorium at the Elizabeth Hastings Middle School, 30 School Street.

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

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**J. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

1. Pursuant to G.L. c. 30A, s. 21(a)(1) and 21(a)(7) to comply with or act under authority of the Public Records Law to discuss sharing the Timothy-Hiller Subdivision Investigative Report with members of the Planning Board.

**K. ADJOURN**