



Town of Bridgewater

Town Council

November 18, 2025

7:00 PM

66 Central Square

Academy Building

Council Chamber - Second Floor

The Town Council meeting is being streamed Live via You Tube.

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MEETING AGENDA

Due to Massachusetts Open Meeting Law requirements, discussions will not take place during Public Comment periods. If appropriate, responses to questions and concerns will be given by the Town Manager at a future Town Council meeting.

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

- a) November 4, 2025 Meeting Minutes

B. ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE PRESIDENT

C. PROCLAMATIONS

D. CITIZEN OPEN FORUM

E. APPOINTMENTS

- a) Bridgewater-Raynham School Committee Interviews and Appointment
 - 1) Jane Meyrick
 - 2) Matthew Selines
 - 3) Dana Sullivan
 - 4) Amy Benner
- b) Conant Trust Re-Appointment:
Michael Levy (2025-2030)
- c) Conant Trust Appointments:
Ruth LaBonte (2025-2030)
Scott Hile (2025-2030)

F. HEARINGS

- a) Petition P-2026-003: Petition for National Grid for Pole and Wire Locations - Center Street
Continued Public Hearing: Advertised in the 10/21/25 Enterprise.

- b) Petition P-2026-004: Petition for National Grid for Joint or Identical Pole Locations – Winter Street
Continued Public Hearing: Advertised in the 10/21/25 Enterprise.

G. LICENSE TRANSACTIONS

H. PRESENTATIONS

I. TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT

- a) Fire Station Update
- b) Water Update/Water & Sewer Commission
- c) Town's Social Media/Town Signs
- d) MBTA Assessment

J. DISCUSSIONS

K. COMMITTEE REPORTS

L. LEGISLATION FOR ACTION

- a) Order O-FY26-030: FY2026 Classification Tax Allocation - Adoption of Residential Factor
Refer to Advertising. Budget & Finance meeting 11/18/25. Finance Committee meeting 11/17/25.
- b) Order O-FY26-031: Transfer Order for Prior Year Bill - Sewer Fund
Voice vote for approval. Budget & Finance meeting 11/18/25. Finance Committee meeting 11/17/25.
- c) Order O-FY26-032: Transfer Order - Contractual Payments
Voice vote for approval. Budget & Finance meeting 11/18/25. Finance Committee meeting 11/17/25.
- d) Order O-FY26-033: Transfer Order – CPC Engineering for Multi-Functional Fields
Voice vote for approval: Budget & Finance meeting 11/18/25. Finance Committee meeting 11/17/25.

M. OLD BUSINESS

N. NEW BUSINESS

- a) Order O-FY26-034: Laying Out and Acceptance of a Private Way - Calthrop Drive Extension
- b) Order O-FY26-035: Transfer Order - General Fund Free Cash Allocation
- c) Order O-FY26-036: Transfer Order - Bridgewater Raynham School District Operational Review
- d) Order O-FY26-037: Transfer Order - Bridgewater-Raynham School District Capital Plan Transfer
- e) Proposed Ordinance D-FY26-008: Proposed Amendment to Part III – Administrative Code: Chapter 14, Article I, Section 1 Dogs
- f) Resolution R-FY26-002: Town Council Meeting Dates - 2026
- g) Resolution R-FY26-003: FY2027 Budget Resolution

O. CITIZEN COMMENTS

P. COUNCIL COMMENTS

Q. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- a) Executive Session pursuant to MGL Chapter 30A, Section 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; Bridgewater Firefighters' Union, Local 2611, Bridgewater Police Association and United Steelworkers Local 9517 Unit 04.

R. ADJOURNMENT