



# Town of Ashland

## MASSACHUSETTS

SELECT BOARD

AGENDA

September 1, 2021 – 7:00 PM

Remote Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88252120511?pwd=QzdFbEFaTGIMYVIXeXk0UUp3ZVN6dz09>

**Vision Statement** - *The Town of Ashland will be a prosperous and fiscally sound community with a full range of housing, business, cultural, educational, and recreational opportunities in a safe, inclusive, and attractive environment for residents and visitors. We will embrace all differences and ensure that all persons have the opportunity to enjoy, contribute and be part of the Ashland community.*

**Mission Statement** - *The Ashland Select Board is dedicated to promoting responsible fiscal management, advocating for sustainable development & growth and providing excellent municipal services which will enhance the quality of life in our diverse community. The Ashland Select Board is committed to providing clear goals and objectives for Town management and creating effective engagement and public participation with residents, state legislators and other elected officials in order to achieve our mission.*

**1. Call Meeting to Order**

**Citizen's Participation**

**2. Scheduled Appointments**

- a. 7:05 pm – Jamie Tripp – Discuss Pump Track off of Trolley Brook Trail
- b. 7:15 pm - Town Forest Committee - Appoint Cara Hulme and Mike Morrissey

**3. Consent Agenda**

- a. Accept the Regular Session Minutes from August 4, 2021 and August 18, 2021.
- b. Change the Affordable Housing Trust Appointment of Bernadette Lunkuse from an Associate member with an expiration day of 8/31/22 for the full member with an expiration date of 8/31/23.
- c. Approve the request from Max Performance to hold a Triathlon on September 12, 2021 and that the event will be coordinated with DPW, Fire and Police.
- d. Accept the Resignation from Gabriel Toledo from the Conservation Commission.
- e. Notification of the Town Manager's Appointment of Renee Masiello as a Per Diem Police Dispatcher for the Ashland Police Department.

**4. Old New Business**

- a. Update on Police Chief Process
- b. Discuss a Date for a Board Retreat
- c. Review the response for the Open Meeting Law complaint filed by Stephen Morgan dated August 25, 2021.

**5. Priority Project Update**

- a. Rail Transit District
- b. Downtown



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- c. Public Safety and Mindess School
  - d. Rt. 126 Project
  - e. Valentine Project
- 6. Town Manager Report**
- a. ARPA – Preliminary Plan and Public Comment Period
  - b. Update on the Rental Assistance Program
  - c. Review the Year To Day Grant Report
- 7. Board Reports**
- 8. Adjournment**

*This agenda is subject to change and includes those items reasonably anticipated by the Chair to be discussed at the meeting. Not all agenda items may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.*