

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY
LEXINGTON SELECT BOARD MEETING

AGENDA SECTION TITLE:

ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

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Select Board to call Special Town Meeting

PRESENTER:

Kelly Axtel, Deputy Town Manager

ITEM
NUMBER:
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SUMMARY:

Category: Decision-making

Timeline for Special Town Meeting November 9, 2026

09/17/2026- Select Board will call a Special Town Meeting 2026-1 (STM) to begin November 9, 2026. Proposed format is hybrid meeting (Moderator will provide letter to request hybrid meeting).

9/17/2026- Draft article list will be shared at the Select Board meeting (this will not contain Citizen petitions).

9/25/2026 at 1:00pm Citizen Petitions are due to the Select Board office along with a draft motion as a separate document. Final motion is due for any Citizen proposed zoning articles in order for the Planning board to conduct the required hearing for inclusion on the STM.

- 100 certified signatures are required for Special Town Meeting.
- Petition forms can be picked up at the Town Clerks office after the Select Board calls the Special Town Meeting. Reminder: signed citizen petitions are due no later than 1:00pm on September 25, 2026. Citizen petitions for zoning are required to have a full motion completed by September 25, 2026 to be handed in with the article language.

09/28/2026- Draft warrant shared at Select Board meeting (this draft will not contain Citizen petitions)

10/05/2026- Final warrant to be signed by Select Board. All Citizen petitions will be included in final warrant.

10/23/2026-All materials finalized and posted on STM webpage (2 weeks prior to start of Special Town Meeting).

PROPOSED MOTION:

Move to open the Special Town Meeting 2026-1 warrant for submission of Citizen Petition through

1:00pm on 09/25/2026.

Move to establish Monday, November 9, 2026 Special Town Meeting 2026-1 as the opening session of Special Town Meeting

DATE AND APPROXIMATE TIME ON AGENDA:

09/17/2026 7:00pm

ATTACHMENTS:

[STM article list. DRAFT 9.26.docx](#)