

Town Council Meeting Agenda



Thursday, July 10, 2025, at 7:00 PM, in the Matthew Thornton Room

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Announcements

Comments from the Press and Public

Recognitions, Resignations and Retirements

1. Recognition of Town Committee Member

Submitted by Town Council Chairman Finlay Rothhaus and Vice Chair Nancy Harrington The Town Council to present a plaque to the following individual for their volunteer service to the Town of Merrimack:

➤ **Robert Best** – Planning Board

2. Recognition of Town Committee Member [Continued from the June 26, 2025 Town Council meeting]

Submitted by Town Council Chairman Finlay Rothhaus and Vice Chair Nancy Harrington
The Town Council to present a certificate to the following individual for their volunteer service to the
Town of Merrimack:

➤ Christine Lavoie – Parks & Recreation Committee

Appointments

1. Merrimack Village District (MVD) & New Hampshire Department of Transportation (NHDOT) –Industrial Dr. & Continental Blvd. Salt Use Discussion (Wellhead Protection Area) Submitted by the MVD & NHDOT

The Town Council to discuss the support of the MVD's request of a proposed change in winter maintenance that the NHDOT issue a "Low Salt" or "Limited Salt" route within the Wellhead Protection Area in the Industrial Drive / Continental Boulevard area that provides drinking water to the businesses and residents of Merrimack.

Public Hearing

1. Public Hearing – Consideration of Changes to Chapter 178, Taxation (Article VI, Optional Property Tax Credit)

Submitted by Town Council Chairman Finlay Rothhaus & Vice Chair Nancy Harrington The Town Council will hold a public hearing to consider the recommended changes to Chapter 178, Taxation (Article VI, Optional Property Tax Credit), of the Merrimack Town Code, pursuant to Charter Article V.

Legislative Updates from State Representatives

Town Manager's Report

Consent Agenda

Old Business

New Business

1. Trustees of Trust Funds Member Reappointment

Submitted by Trustee of Trust Funds Chairman Chris Christensen
The Town Council to consider the recommendation of the Trustees of Trust Funds to reappoint
Kathleen Sher for the Alternate member position, pursuant to RSA 31:22.

2. Establishment of Invasive Species Committee Discussion

Submitted by Town Councilor Jennifer Jobin

The Town Council to consider the establishment and membership composition of an Invasive Species Committee as requested by the Merrimack Conservation Commission.

3. Establishment of USA 250th Anniversary Committee Discussion

Submitted by Town Council Chairman Finlay Rothhaus & Vice Chair Nancy Harrington The Town Council to consider the establishment and membership composition of a USA 250th Anniversary Committee, based on the discussions held during the Retreat/Goal Session.

4. Establishment of Town Buildings Subcommittee Discussion

Submitted by Town Council Chairman Finlay Rothhaus & Vice Chair Nancy Harrington
The Town Council to consider the establishment and membership composition of a Town Buildings
Subcommittee to look into Town buildings and present the Town Council with a plan on moving
forward, based on the discussions held during the Retreat / Goal Session.

5. Senate Bill 213 Discussion

Submitted by Town Manager Paul T. Micali

The Town Council to discuss Senate Bill 213 and the potential municipal impacts.

6. Investment Policy

Submitted by Finance Director Paul Calabria

The Town Council to review and consider the approval of the Town's Investment Policy, for the investment of public funds held by the Town Treasurer, in accordance with RSA 35:9 and RSA 41:29 for FY 2025-26.

Minutes

Approve the minutes from the following Town Council meeting:

♦ June 26, 2025

Comments from the Press & Public

Comments from the Council

Adjourn

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Posted: July 7, 2025