

Stoughton Town Crier

TOWN OF STOUGHTON UPDATED JULY 14, 2025 ROBERTA HARBACK



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Selectboard Agenda

Tuesday July 15, 2025 at 7:30 p.m.

Great Hall Town Hall 3rd floor & virtually with Google Meets

In accordance with Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2025, which extends the Governor's March 12, 2020 "Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A § 20," until June 30, 2027, this meeting will be conducted both in person and virtually via Google Meets.

To Join via Google Meets: ijh-feqq-rxe
PHONE: 443-507-8741
PIN: 931 954 708#

The meeting will be recorded by SMAC cable television and broadcast live and may be livestreamed at www.stoughtontv.org. A recording of the meeting, transcript, or other comprehensive record of the proceeding will be posted on the Town's website and/or SMAC as soon as possible after the meeting if the live broadcast or livestreaming is unsuccessful. Times are approximate and items may be taken out of order at the Chair's discretion.

1. 7:30 p.m. **OPEN SESSION**
Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance
2. 7:35 p.m. **Swearing-in Ceremony:**
 - Officer Michael Batte
 - Officer Robert Smith
 - Officer Ryan Stover
 - Officer Samuel Withington
3. 7:50 p.m. **Boards and Committees**
Board of Registrarars - 2 Vacancies
Stoughton Democratic Town Committee
 - Shawn Croke - incumbent**Stoughton Republican Town Committee**
 - Dawn Dino
 - Henry M. Morse
 - Marina Ryantz**Commission on Disabilities - 1 Vacancy**
 - Michael Hardman - incumbent**Constables - 6 Vacancies**
 - Edward Starr**Cultural Council - 1 Vacancy**

None.

Energy and Sustainability Committee - 1 Vacancy

None.

Self-Help, Inc. - 1 Vacancy
 - Beverly Dancey**Zoning Board of Appeals - Alternate - 5 Vacancies**

None.

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| 4. | 8:15 p.m. | Tosca Drive Roadway Improvement Project | James O'Keefe
Highpoint Engineering |
| 5. | 8:30 p.m. | To discuss M.G.L. Ch. 138 §34 violations - KN, LLC d/b/a Andrade Liquors, 280 Washington Street | Atty. Steve Chaplin
Town Counsel |
| 6. | 8:45 p.m. | Town Vehicle Use Policy - Proposed amendments to be voted
(Final version to be on the August 5, 2025 Consent Agenda) | Tom Calter
Town Manager |
| 7. | 8:55 p.m. | Policy for Consideration for a Veteran's Memorial Square Dedication - Proposed amendments to be voted
(Final version to be on the August 5, 2025 Consent Agenda) | Tom Calter
Town Manager |
| 8. | 9:05 p.m. | <u>Consent Agenda:</u>
a. Acceptance of Donation from T.L. Edwards, Inc. to the Department of Public Works
b. Stoughton Day Event at Halloran Park on Pierce Street, on September 27, 2025 | |



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Please Note...New Date July 16th

JOIN STOUGHTON'S VIRTUAL HOUSING FORUM

**Join us Wed, July 16, 7-8:30 pm for a Virtual
Housing Needs & Visioning Forum as part of
Stoughton's Housing Production Plan.**

**If you have any questions contact Bill Roth
(wroth@stoughton-ma.gov, 781-232-9201),
2nd floor of Town Hall.**



- Hear housing trends
- Share your ideas
- Live polls & interactive tools



Register now to be part of the conversation!

<https://tinyurl.com/StoughtonHPPForum1Registration>

HELP PLAN STOUGHTON'S HOUSING FUTURE!

Take our quick 5-7 minute survey:

www.surveymonkey.com/r/StoughtonHPP



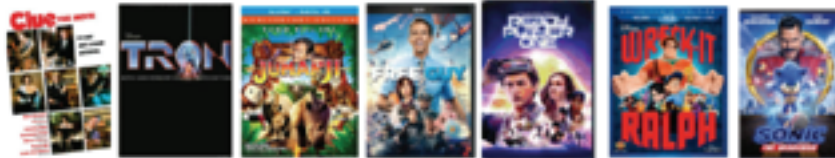
- Share your needs
- Share your priorities
- Anonymous



STOUGHTON PUBLIC LIBRARY SUMMER READING PROGRAM

**From Your Small Screen to the Big Screen:
Your Game Is Now A Movie!**

with Stoughton film historian Frank Mandosa



Join us in the Community Room or on Zoom!

A Zoom link will be sent to all registrants 1 day prior to the program.

**THURSDAY, JULY 17th
6:30 PM**

To register for the film program,
please click on the title or date.
Or call the library at 781-344-2711.
For all of our programs visit the [Library calendar](#).



High school English & Film teacher Frank Mandosa gives talks on a wide variety of film-related topics & has 2 movie podcasts, Silver Screeners (host) & Movies Across the Pod (co-host). Facebook movie group: "Silver Screeners" X/Twitter: @filmbuff1974 Email: silverscreenerspod@gmail.com www.frankmandosa.weebly.com





AUGUST 5TH- WILD ROBOT | 8:30PM START

AUGUST 19TH- IF | 8:00PM START

Bring your blankets and join us for a **FREE** movie on the green at Cedar Hill Golf Course. Sit up on the hill and enjoy a movie with your family or friends on our 36 foot screen! Movies start at dusk, no registration required. Food available for purchase from J&G Hillside Grille. This program is sponsored by the Stoughton Cultural Council



Stoughton Lions Club

Summer Concert Series '25

Thursdays
Halloran Park | **FREE!**

~~7/10 Puddlefish 6-8pm~~

7/17 Wiley Brothers 6-8pm

7/24 The Corvairs 6-8pm

8/7 The Standards 5:30-7:30 pm

8/14 Easy Access Band 5:30-7:30pm

8/21 The Jesse Liam Band 5:30-7:30pm

Donations to the Lion's Club are welcome!

This program is supported in part by a grant from the Stoughton Cultural Council,
a local agency which is supported by the Mass Cultural Council, a state agency





Mobile Mammography Van Coming to Randolph



Wednesday, July 23, 2025
8 AM to 4:15 PM



Randolph High School
70 Memorial Parkway
(poolside parking lot)



Pre-registration is required

- Recommended annually for those 40 years or older
- Appointment is approximately 20 minutes
- Digital screening (3D mammography)



REGISTER



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Dana-Farber's Mammography Van possesses a valid license and certificate of inspection issued by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health



Xe Lưu Động Chụp Nhũ Ảnh Sắp Đến Randolph



Thứ Tư, ngày 23 Tháng Bảy, 2025
8 sáng đến 4:15 chiều



Trường Trung Học Randolph
70 Memorial Parkway
(bãi đậu xe gần hồ bơi)



Yêu cầu đăng ký trước

- Khuyến nghị thực hiện hàng năm cho phụ nữ từ 40 tuổi trở lên
- Buổi khám sẽ kéo dài khoảng 20 phút
- Khám sàng lọc kỹ thuật số (chụp nhũ ảnh 3D)



ĐĂNG KÝ



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Xe Chụp Nhũ Ảnh của Dana-Farber có giấy phép hợp lệ và chứng nhận kiểm định do Sở Y Tế Cộng Đồng Massachusetts (Massachusetts Department of Public Health) cấp.



Van móvel para mamografia chegando a Randolph



Quarta, 23 de julho de 2025
das 8h às 16h15



Randolph High School
70 Memorial Parkway
(estacionamento à beira da piscina)



É necessário inscrever-se
com antecedência

- Recomendado anualmente para pessoas com 40 anos ou mais
- A consulta é de aproximadamente 20 minutos
- Rastreamento digital (mamografia 3D)



INSCRIÇÃO



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A Van para Mamografia da Dana-Farber possui uma licença válida e um certificado de inspeção emitido pelo Departamento de Saúde Pública (Department of Public Health) de Massachusetts.



La unidad móvil de mamografía llegará a Randolph



Miércoles 23 de julio de 2025
De 8 a. m. a 4:15 p. m.



Randolph High School
70 Memorial Parkway
(estacionamiento junto a la piscina)



Es necesario registrarse con anticipación

- Se recomienda anualmente para personas de 40 años o más
- La cita dura aproximadamente 20 minutos
- Evaluación digital (mamografía 3D)



REGISTRO



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La unidad móvil de mamografía de Dana-Farber cuenta con una licencia válida y un certificado de inspección emitido por el Departamento de Salud Pública (Department of Public Health) de Massachusetts.



DCR Summer Teen Nights

Wednesdays, July 9 - August 13 | 5-7pm
Stoughton Recreation Center

Spend summer evenings engaging with nature, making art, observing live animals, and enjoying ice cream!

FREE Weekly Program



SUMMER STREET HOCKEY CLINIC

MONDAY-THURS 8/18-8/21 | \$45
9:30 AM - 11:00 AM | AGES 6-14
HALLORAN PARK



Do you love hockey but don't know how to skate on ice? Or just love the sport? Join us for a street hockey clinic! The program is open to individuals ages 6-14 and we welcome all skill levels. We will rotate through stations each focusing on an individual skill and every day will end with an organized street hockey game. No equipment required, just sneakers and a water bottle. The program will be run by trainer and coach Jay Thebado



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WEDNESDAY, JULY 23
2:30PM



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84 PARK STREET
STOUGHTON, MA 02072
781-344-2711

SUMMER
EVENTS:



BEANSTACK READING:





Town of Stoughton

OFFICE OF THE TOWN COLLECTOR

10 Pearl Street • Stoughton, MA 02072 • (781) 341-1300 • FAX (781) 341-1032

The Treasurer/Collector, Paula Nute, has announced the **1st quarter Fiscal Year 2026 REAL ESTATE and PERSONAL PROPERTY tax bills are due August 1, 2025**, and must be received in the Collectors' office or at the PO Box in Medford on or before this date.

A postmark date is not acceptable as payment made if payment is not received in the Collectors' office or at the PO Box in Medford by August 1, 2025.

The 1st and 2nd quarter tax remittances were mailed in the same envelope on June 30, 2025.

When sending payment(s) to the Lockbox address in Medford, checks AND tax remittances MUST BE SENT. PLEASE do not send checks only to the Medford address. If there are no remittances with the check(s), the payment cannot be processed and will be returned to Town Hall for processing. This will delay the payment(s) from being applied to your tax bill(s).

When processing a payment online through your bank, you **MUST** include the bill number, year, and type in the Memo field (for example, Bill #25, 2026 real estate or personal property) so your payment will be properly applied.

When paying multiple bills through your bank, you must include each bill number. If this information is not included on your check, your check may be returned to you, and interest may accrue due to a late payment.

Online bank payment checks must be mailed to Town of Stoughton PO Box 9108 Stoughton MA 02072.

There is a secured payment drop box outside Town Hall on Pearl St. The payment drop box is emptied two to three times a day, once in the morning and once in the afternoon, and if needed, once before leaving the office.

Real Estate and Personal Property tax bills may be paid online at:

<https://www.stoughton.org/home/pages/pay-bills-online>

The Collector's Office accepts payments by credit and debit cards in the Collector's Office only for all tax and water, sewer, trash bills. There is a 3% fee if a card is used to process a payment.

All Fiscal Year 2026 Real Estate and Personal Property taxes remaining unpaid after their respective due dates are subject to 14% per annum interest.

Please call 781-341-1300 X 9217 or 9223 if you need your bill number(s) and or amount(s) due. The Collector staff are available by phone and in person Monday through Wednesday from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Thursday from 8:30 AM to 7:00 PM, and Friday from 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 30
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15
11:00AM



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3:00PM



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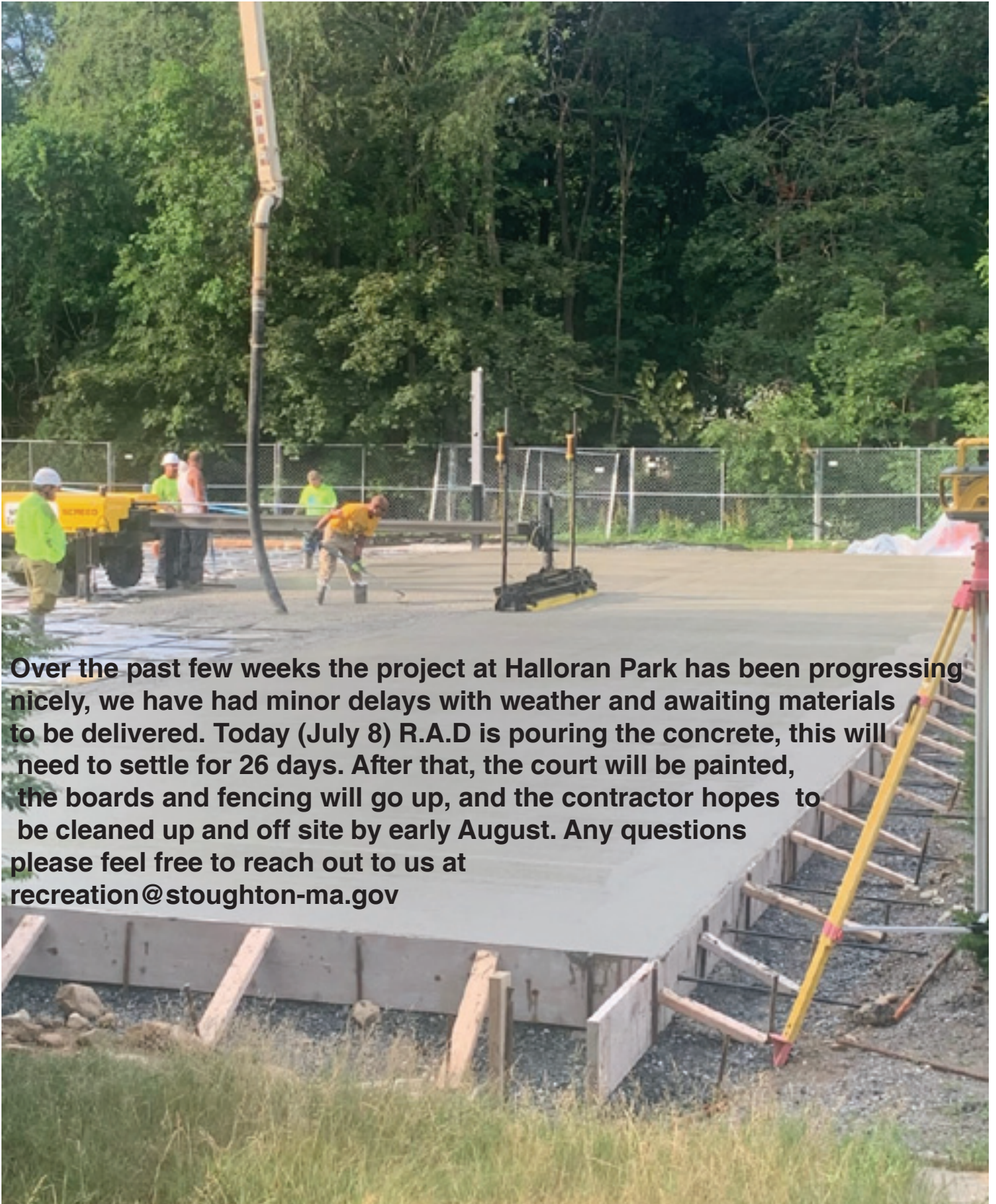
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Halloran Park Update



Over the past few weeks the project at Halloran Park has been progressing nicely, we have had minor delays with weather and awaiting materials to be delivered. Today (July 8) R.A.D is pouring the concrete, this will need to settle for 26 days. After that, the court will be painted, the boards and fencing will go up, and the contractor hopes to be cleaned up and off site by early August. Any questions please feel free to reach out to us at recreation@stoughton-ma.gov

Fire Station

Freeman Street

Construction Update!



See the amazing progress on the new Stoughton Fire Admin HQ & Public Health Building – it's coming together fast!?



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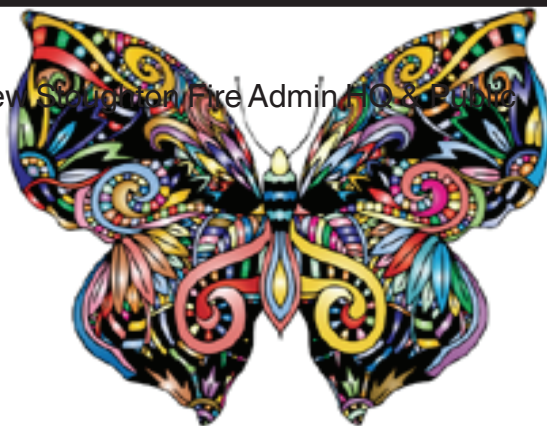
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THURSDAY, JULY 24
4:00PM



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Welcome to the Town Manager's Office!

On December 12, 2022 I was honored to begin my career in Stoughton. After enjoying a successful career in business, as a State Legislator and as a Town Administrator, I've taken on this challenge with eyes wide open. From a career of professional experiences, successes and mistakes, I join the Town well prepared to meet the challenges, and leverage the opportunities before us. I want you to know that I am true and committed to several core values.

First, you can always expect transactional honesty from me. I will respectfully say what I mean and mean what I say. Second, I am committed to openness and full transparency. Secrets, hidden agendas and old grievances will not play any part in my decision making process nor, will they eat up the valuable time needed to do this job properly. Third, you can always expect me to use prudent fiscal judgement. We have real financial challenges and clear solutions which will require your understanding and support. I am not promising a "Rose Garden". I am promising however, that within three years, the Town of Stoughton will stand on a strong financial footing.

We have some challenges that are among my top priorities. As Stoughton looks forward to its 300th Anniversary, it's important to understand that our infrastructure is old and has been neglected for decades. We seldom appreciate the value of clean running water and efficient waste management until those services are interrupted or lost. We all share 112 miles of Stoughton roads. Only 24.1 miles require minimal or no maintenance. As we develop a long-term infrastructure plan, we need to coordinate the replacement of 100 year old water and waste water distribution lines with the pavement of those roads. We need to replace water meters that are not properly recording water consumption. This may appear to be getting into the weeds. However, the condition of our water and sewer lines, town buildings, and town roads is beneath the standard you deserve. Meeting those challenges is among my top priorities. Meeting you and hearing your views will be among my greatest joys!

In closing, I want you to know that openness, transparency and constituent service are among my core values. Those values served me well as a business executive, business owner, legislator and municipal leader. Your confidence in Stoughton town government is needed in order for us to move our common agenda forward. I ask that you stay in touch, stay involved, share your thoughts and make your voice heard.

Respectfully,

Thomas J. Calter

