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Economic Development Commission

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Agenda

Date & Time: Wednesday May 24, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. Location: Southwick Town Hall at 454 College Highway.

This meeting is in-person and via Zoom. Due to ongoing construction at Town Hall confirm location on the white board inside the building back door. <u>Meeting Notice:</u> This meeting held Pursuant to Chapter 2, Acts of 2023 (<u>Format</u>- Hybrid meeting). Notice: In the event of a closure of Town Hall due to inclement weather or any other emergency the Hybrid Format shall switch to remote meeting zoom only for the posted meeting. In the event of any technical difficulties, we will ensure a recorded tape of the proceedings is placed on the Town Web at www.southwickma.org.

Join Zoom Meeting

Topic: Economic Development Commission

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Old Business

Changes and business developments in town

Discussion/Approval of Meeting Minutes

Activities and Spending for the balance of FY 2023.

New Business

Discussion of FY 2024 activities based on Annual Town Meeting approvals Other

Public Comments (limited to 5 minutes)

Next Meeting June 21, 2023

The listing of matters reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be included and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.

Southwick has a 2022/2023 tax rate of \$ 16.11. This is a drop in the tax rate from \$16.98. This rate continues to be lower than the commercial/industrial rate in nearby communities in the area. For data on all communities visit

https://dlsgateway.dor.state.ma.us/reports/rdPage.aspx?rdReport=PropertyTaxInformation.taxratesbyclass_taxratesbyclass_main_

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This meeting date was adjusted by one week in anticipation of a potential two-night Annual Town Meeting (ATM). At the time of filing this Agenda it is unknown if the ATM will conclude in one night.