Around Town Newsletter 12 East Main St. Erving, MA 01344

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AROUND TOWN

An Erving Community Newsletter

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-LOOKING TO VOLUNTEER? HELP IS NEEDED FOR SEVERAL POSITIONS -WANT TO BE ON THE RECREATION COMMISSION OR PLANNING BOARD? -RECENT ZONING BYLAWS CHANGES WERE APPROVED. DETAILS INSIDE! -PICK UP YOUR TRASH STICKERS AT THE ERVING TOWN HALL 10 – 5 P.M. MONDAY - THURSDAY

TOWN OF ERVING IN PERSON EARLY VOTING FOR SEPTEMBER 6, 2022 STATE PRIMARY ELECTION

- The last day to register to vote for this election is Saturday August 27, 2022
- Early voting is open to all Erving registered voters
- Early voting will take place at the Erving Town Hall, 12 East Main Street
- Dates of early voting are August 27, 2022 through September 2, 2022
- Hours of early voting:

Day	Date	Hours
Saturday	8/27	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Monday	8/29	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Tuesday	8/30	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Wednesday	8/31	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Thursday	9/1	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Friday	9/2	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
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Town of Erving Select Board Public Meeting Participation Guidance

The Select Board welcomes residents to communicate questions, comments or concerns. Participants at Select Board meetings are notified that the meetings are both video and audio recorded, and comments provided will become part of the record. While offering public input, it is important that the Select Board is also allowed enough time to conduct their other business. The following guidelines have been established to make the best use of time at Select Board meetings.

- 1. To request time on the Select Board agenda, persons must contact the Town Administrator at (413) 422-2800, Ext.1102 or at <u>SBRequests@erving-ma.gov</u> by noon on the Tuesday before the meeting.
 - a. Requests will be submitted to the Chairperson for consideration and scheduling.
 - b. Supporting documentation related to the request must be provided to the Administrator's office by noon on the Thursday prior to the meeting. The Chairperson may remove requested agenda topics that are made without supporting documentation.
- 2. The Select Board encourages public participation as follows:
 - a. Town residents can bring comments before the Select Board that require discussion and are on the agenda, only after being recognized by the Chair. If your issue is not on the agenda, you may bring it up under "Future agenda items".
 - b. "Topics not anticipated" should be brought to the Chair for possible consideration prior to the meeting.
 - c. Please try to keep your comments short and to the point.
 - d. If it appears that the topic(s) being discussed will consume longer than the time allocated then, at the discretion of the Chair, the matter will be placed on an upcoming Select Board meeting agenda.
 - e. If you believe that your topic will require more time or desire to make a more formal presentation than is allowed under these guidelines, please contact the Town Administrator to ask to be put on a future agenda so that we can properly allocate enough time.
 - f. You are free to ask questions or to make your point for all to consider. However, engaging in active debate with Select Board or audience members will not be allowed.
 - g. All comments and questions must be directed to the Chair of the Select Board per MGL Chapter 30A, Section 20(g).
 - h. Participants are expected to speak from the presenter/guest table.
 - i. All remarks must be respectful and courteous, free of personal attacks. Inappropriate language will not be tolerated.
- 3. Employees and Board members who have business with the Select Board should be placed on the agenda beforehand (see Item # 1.).
- 4. Anyone wishing to contact the Select Board in writing may do so at:

Town of Erving, Attn: Select Board, 12 East Main Street, Erving, Massachusetts 01344

Alternatively, members of the public can complete a Select Board submission form at the meeting sign in table and office staff member will follow up.

The Select Board appreciates your cooperation in honoring these guidelines.

From Massachusetts Attorney General Official Website

What public participation in meetings must be allowed?

Under the Open Meeting Law, the public is permitted to attend meetings of public bodies but is excluded from an executive session that is called for a valid purpose listed in the law. Any member of the public also has a right to make an audio or video recording of an open session of a public meeting. A member of the public who wishes to record a meeting must first notify the Chair and must comply with reasonable requirements regarding audio or video equipment established by the chair so as not to interfere with the meeting. The Chair is required to inform other attendees of such recording at the beginning of the meeting.

While the public is permitted to attend an open meeting, an individual may not address the public body without permission of the Chair. An individual is not permitted to disrupt a meeting of a public body, and at the request of the Chair, all members of the public shall be silent. If after clear warning, a person continues to be disruptive, the Chair may order the person to leave the meeting, and if the person does not leave, the Chair may authorize a constable or other officer to remove the person.

2022 Vote by Mail Application



_ Date: _

	Name					
Voter Information	Name:					
	Date of Birth: Pr	none Number (optional):				
	E-mail Address (optional):					
2	Elections:	* Primary Ballot				
Ballot Information	 All 2022 Elections* Sept. 6th State Primary Only* Nov. 8th State Election Only 	 Democratic Republican 				
	Ballot Mailing Address					
3	Voter required assistance in co	mpleting application due to physical disability.				
Assistance	Assisting person's name:					
	Assisting person's address: _					
	This application is being made	by a family member				
	Relationship to Voter:					

Signed (under penalty of perjury): _____

Eligibility

Any registered voter may use this application to request a mail-in ballot for any 2022 election.

Completing the Application

- 1. Voter Information Provide your name, the address where you are registered to vote, and date of birth.
- 2. Ballot Information Choose which ballot(s) you want to receive by mail. **If you're requesting a primary ballot and you're not registered in a party, you must pick a primary ballot.** Provide your ballot mailing address.
- Assistance If you're helping someone complete this application, or you're requesting a ballot for a family member, fill out this section.
- 4. Sign your name If you can't sign your name, you may ask someone to sign your name in your presence.

Submitting the Application

Send this completed application to the local election office for your city or town. Find contact information for local election officials at **www.VoteInMA.com** or by calling 1-800-462-VOTE (8683).

Application Deadlines

This application must reach your local election office by 5 p.m. on the fifth business day before Election Day.

State Primary Deadline: August 29, 2022

State Election Deadline: November 1, 2022

SUMMER CONCERT IN THE PARK BAD NEWS JAZZ and BLUES ORCHESTRA

Performing at Riverfront Park on Saturday, August 6 at 6:30 PM!



Jeff Gavioli's **Bad News Jazz and Blues Orchestra** (BNJBO) featuring vocalist Cindy Reed will be perform a free concert at the Erving Riverfront Park (10 Arch Street, Erving) on Saturday, August 6th at 6:30 PM.

The Bad News Jazz and Blues Orchestra is a 19-piece big band that performs swing music from the 30s and 40s as well as contemporary arrangements of more recent jazz, rock, funk and blues music. The band has been in existence since 2012 and performs at various concerts, weddings, celebrations and other functions throughout western and central Massachusetts. This concert is supported in part by a grant from the Erving Cultural Council and the Massachusetts Cultural Council.

The Bad News Jazz and Blues Orchestra is known as 'The Busiest Swing Band in Western MA' with 29 performances this summer following the performance of 21 concerts in 2021. Based out of Northampton, MA, the BNJBO was nominated and voted as Winner in the category of 'BEST LIVE JAZZ' in the Hampshire Gazette's 2021 Reader's Poll after being voted as finalist in the 2020 Reader's Poll. The Big Band, featuring vocalist Cindy Reed, reaches out to audiences of all ages by introducing the style of big band music to young people as well as to seniors and all ages in between.

Big Band music can be incredibly exciting and was once the popular music in the 30s and 40s, with such greats as Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Stan Kenton, Frank Sinatra, etc. That excitement carries on today with several groups such as Brian Setzer Big Band, Michael Buble`, Big Bad Voodoo Daddy, Squirrel Nut Zippers and others. The BNJBO has developed a repertoire in which audience members may hear the famous Sing, Sing, Sing drum solo of Gene Krupa along with the sounds of the Benny Goodman Band, followed by a driving arrangement of Crazy Little Thing Called Love by Queen.

Please come out and support live music in your town. Bring a blanket or lawn chair to sit on, food to munch, and listen to some exciting music.

Check out the band (and "like") on Facebook @Bad News Jazz and Blues Orchestra or at www.BadNewsJazz.com

Elected Official Vacancies for the Erving Recreation Commission and Planning Board

The Town of Erving would like to announce one (1) vacancy on the Recreation Commission and one (1) vacancy on the Planning Board. These vacancies are both for elected positions. In accordance with MGL Chapter 41, Section 11, the Select Board is seeking interested residents to serve in these positions until the Annual Town Election in 2023. To be considered, an interested resident must be a registered voter of the Town of Erving.



The Planning Board is a five (5) member elected Board that guides the development of Erving by serving as the Special Permit and site plan review authority under the Zoning Bylaw. The Board also administers the provisions of the Subdivision Control regulations. The Planning Board plays an important role in reviewing the Zoning Bylaw, proposing edits, and holding public hearings for voters before any revisions are presented at Town Meeting.

Recreation Commission is a five (5) member elected Board that provides youth sports, recreational programs, and special events for Erving residents. The Commission does so while overseeing the use and development of the Town's five (5) parks and playgrounds.

If you are interested, please send a written letter of interest that identifies the position that you are interested in serving in and that includes your name, address, and contact information. Letters of interest should also include an explanation of your education, training, experience and other interests that would lend itself to the position sought. Letters of interest are due by **Wednesday, August 17, 2022**.

Letters can be sent by mail to:

Select Board Attn: Volunteer Services 12 East Main Street Erving, Massachusetts 01344 Or by email to: <u>volunteer@erving-ma.gov</u>.

TOWN OF ERVING NEEDS YOU!



The following Boards and Committees have vacancies:

• Cultural Council

Cultural Council members are appointed. The local Cultural Council supports public programs that promote access, education, diversity and excellence in the arts, humanities, and interpretive sciences in communities across the Commonwealth. Local decision-making is an integral element of this system. Local councils have the right and responsibility to award grants that address cultural needs specific to their communities, and they can decide how to distribute funds if the state policies outlined in these regulations and supplementary guidelines are followed. They meet 2-4 times per year.

• Golden Cane Committee

Golden Cane Committee members are appointed and is charged with researching, in collaboration with the Town Clerk and vital records information, to find the eldest living Town resident and presents that individual(s) with a Golden Cane Certificate. The committee is currently down to one member and this tradition cannot carry forth without having three (3) members.

• Cable Advisory Committee

Cable Advisory Committee members are appointed and the committee is charged to: 1)assess local cable needs, 2)monitor company compliance with the contract, 3)solicit and review proposals from cable companies, 4)negotiate contracts with cable providers in the best interest of the community in terms of programming, cost to consumer, and amenities provided to the municipality and schools, 5)make recommendations to the licensing authority (the Select Board) regarding contract terms, and 6)obtain community input in fulfillment of "Municipal Ascertainment" guidelines of the Massachusetts Cable Television Division.

• Planning Board Alternate

Planning Board Members are elected, but the alternate is an appointed position. The Planning Board is charged with overseeing and guiding development in the community. The Planning Board reviews permit applications for subdivisions and some special permits, and it is designated as the authority for Site Plan Review permits.

Conservation Commission

Conservation Commissioners are appointed and are the official agency specifically charged with the protection of a community's natural resources. The commission also advises other municipal officials and boards on conservation issues that relate to their areas of responsibility.

• Council on Aging

Councils on Aging & Senior Centers provide support services to elders, families and caregivers in the community. As a local agency, the Councils on Aging & Senior Centers serve as an elder advocate, offers services, and activities for elders. Council on Aging offerings may include: Outreach, Transportation, Meals (congregate or home delivered), Health screenings, Health insurance counseling, Socialization, Fitness, wellness and recreation activities, Life-long learning. They serve as a link to and support for elders. Each Council on Aging determines its own priorities based on local needs and resources. Senior centers are a welcoming place for older adults who wish to remain independent in their community.

Gill-Montague Regional School District Representative (2 vacancies)

Gill-Montague Representatives are appointed by the Town Moderator and are charged with attending Gill-Montague Reg. School District meetings and advocating for parents and students in the district. The representative also reports information from these meetings to the School Committee. Representatives are non-voting members.

These are volunteer positions. If you've been asking yourself "How can I be a help to my community?" and/or you'd like to be a part of something new, or return to something you've done previously, please email a letter of interest to volunteer@erving-ma.gov or via mail to Town of Erving, ATT: Bryan Smith, 12 East Main Street, Erving, MA 01344.

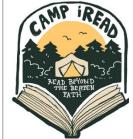
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		nday & Tuesday: 12 pm - 6 pm Irsday: 1 pm - 7 p n				
Contact us:	Web Email Phone Facebook Street	www.erving-ma.gov/erving-public-library library@erving-ma.gov (413) 423-3348				



Summer reading and programming is in full swing at the Erving Public Library. Come on by anytime, pick up a reading log, and get started earning prizes for reading! Summer reading is for all ages and will run through August 14th. Keep reading for information about the party! You won't want to miss it!

Of note - we have a new weekly story time and playgroup on 10am on Wednesday. Harmonica lessons started in July and continue through August. We have art on display in the community room by local painter Holly Smith. This season we're also hosting a weekly visit from the Erving Recreation Commission summer park program at the library.

See you all at the library!



Read Beyond the Beaten Path this Summer at the Library – log your reading and win prizes!

Abigail & aines Library Director

LIBRARY PROGRAMS

August 2022

Monday, August 1, 4-5pm	Paws to Read A national program with the goal of boosting the confidence of shy readers – By giving them time to practice their reading in front of a non- judgmental listener. Children are paired with a trained, certified, therapy dog and always accompanied by the dog handler. Contact the library to reserve your 15-minute spot today!	
Wednesday 10-10:45am	Bilingual Story Time & Playgroup <i>Hora Del Cuento y Grupo De Juego Bilingue</i> Free weekly story and play group geared for toddlers and parents, but open to all ages. English and Spanish language levels geared toward beginners, all welcome. <i>Para los ninos pequenos, pero todas las edades</i> <i>son bienvenidos. Todos los niveles de idioma, y</i> <i>es perfecto para principiantes.</i>	
Sunday August 7 & 21, 2-3:30pm	Harmonica Lessons (continued from July) Haven't you always longed to play the harmonica? Lessons started in July continue through August. Come join Rob Fletcher and learn to play <i>Love Me Do, Piano Man</i> and more! Even better, the library supplies harmonicas for you to keep! Funded in part by the Erving Cultural Council. Contact the library to see about enrolling.	A Contraction of the second se
Thursday August 11 & 25, 1-2:30 pm	Green River Players Ukulele Group This group of local musicians continues to play songs of peace and joy every other week. You are welcome to bring your ukulele and join them, or to sing along. They also take requests!	(JOJDEC)

LIBRARY PROGRAMS

August 2022

Sunday, August 14 *Raffle prizes announced at 2 pm	Summer Reading Program This infamous program wraps up on Sunday, August 14th and is <i>open to all ages</i> ! Sign up before the end and receive a weekly prize and free raffle tickets to the <i>Friends of the Library</i> summer raffle. Come to the library during or after the party to collect your surprise participation prize! Raffle prizes will be announced at 2pm on August 14 th . While you do not have to be present that day to collect your prize, we will be celebrating all the reading efforts with a party you won't want to miss!	
Thursday, August 18, 5:30-7 pm	Flower Bar Choose and design your own fresh locally grown flower arrangement! All materials will be provided. Part of the workshop series presented by Teresa Foster of <i>Dry Brook Gardens</i> and funded in part by a grant from the LSTA through the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.	



Presented by the Erving Public Library & Libraries in the Woods

Featured Local Artist: Holly Smith

Holly Smith is an 18-year-old artist from Athol, MA. She has been painting and drawing since elementary school and said of her work that art makes her happy and she hopes it makes others happy too.

Holly's artwork will be on display in the library's Community Room through August.

LIBRARY COLLECTION OF THE MONTH:

eegal Music Freegal® Music is a free music service from your library. All you need is your library card number! Listen to 3 hours of free streaming music every day! Download 3 songs per week to keep forever! Make playlists and listen to playlists made by other users! Use Freegal on your computer, phone, and tablet! Freegal offers access to about 15 million+ songs, including Sony Music's catalog of legendary artists. There is no software to download, and there are no digital rights management (DRM) restrictions. Access to Freegal is limited to patrons of subscribing libraries -- like Erving! How do I find Freegal? **1.** Visit this link: https://ervingma.freegalmusic.com or **2.** Go to the library website and select: Freegal Music on the left side bar Your library card number is the barcode number on

the back of your card starting with "20561". Use the whole number to log in to *Freegal Music*.

Remember, you can always ask a librarian for help!

library@erving-ma.gov - (413) 423-3348



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CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS DIVISION 10 MECHANIC STREET, SUITE 301 WORCESTER, MA 01608

Maura Healey Attorney General

(508) 792-7600 (508) 795-1991 fax www.mass.gov/ago

July 1, 2022

Richard W. Newton, Town Clerk Town of Erving 12 East Main Street Erving, MA 01344

Re: Erving Special Town Meeting of March 5, 2022 -- Case # 10480 Warrant Article # 14 (Zoning)

Dear Mr. Newton:

<u>Article 14</u> - We approve Article 14, and the related map amendment, from the March 5, 2022 Erving Special Town Meeting. We will return the approved map to you by regular mail.

<u>Note</u>: Pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 32, neither general nor zoning by-laws take effect unless the Town has first satisfied the posting/publishing requirements of that statute. Once this statutory duty is fulfilled, (1) general by-laws and amendments take effect on the date these posting and publishing requirements are satisfied unless a later effective date is prescribed in the by-law, and (2) zoning by-laws and amendments are deemed to have taken effect from the date they were approved by the Town Meeting, unless a later effective date is prescribed in the by-law.

Very truly yours,

MAURA HEALEY ATTORNEY GENERAL *Nicole B. Caprioli*

By: Nicole B. Caprioli Assistant Attorney General Municipal Law Unit 10 Mechanic Street, Suite 301 Worcester, MA 01608 (508) 792-7600 ext. 4418

cc: Town Counsel Donna MacNicol



RICHARD W. NEWTON Town Clerk **TOWN OF ERVING TOWN HALL** 12 East Main Street Erving, MA 01344

> Telephone 413-422-2800, Ext 1106 Fax 413-422-2808 richard.newton@erving-ma.gov

Date: March 24, 2022

VOTE CERTIFICATE

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the **TOWN OF ERVING**, held <u>March 5, 2022</u> the following business was transacted under <u>Article 14</u>.

ARTICLE 14: TO AMEND THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP – ORIGINAL ARTICLE

To see if the Town will vote to amend the official Town of Erving Zoning Map adopted on June 27, 2005 with the proposed Zoning Map dated November 2, 2021 on file at Town Hall and presented at the November 18, 2021 Planning Board public hearing, pursuant to Massachusetts General Law Chapter 40A, or take any action relative thereto.

SUBMITTED BY: Planning Board SELECT BOARD RECOMMENDS: Approval

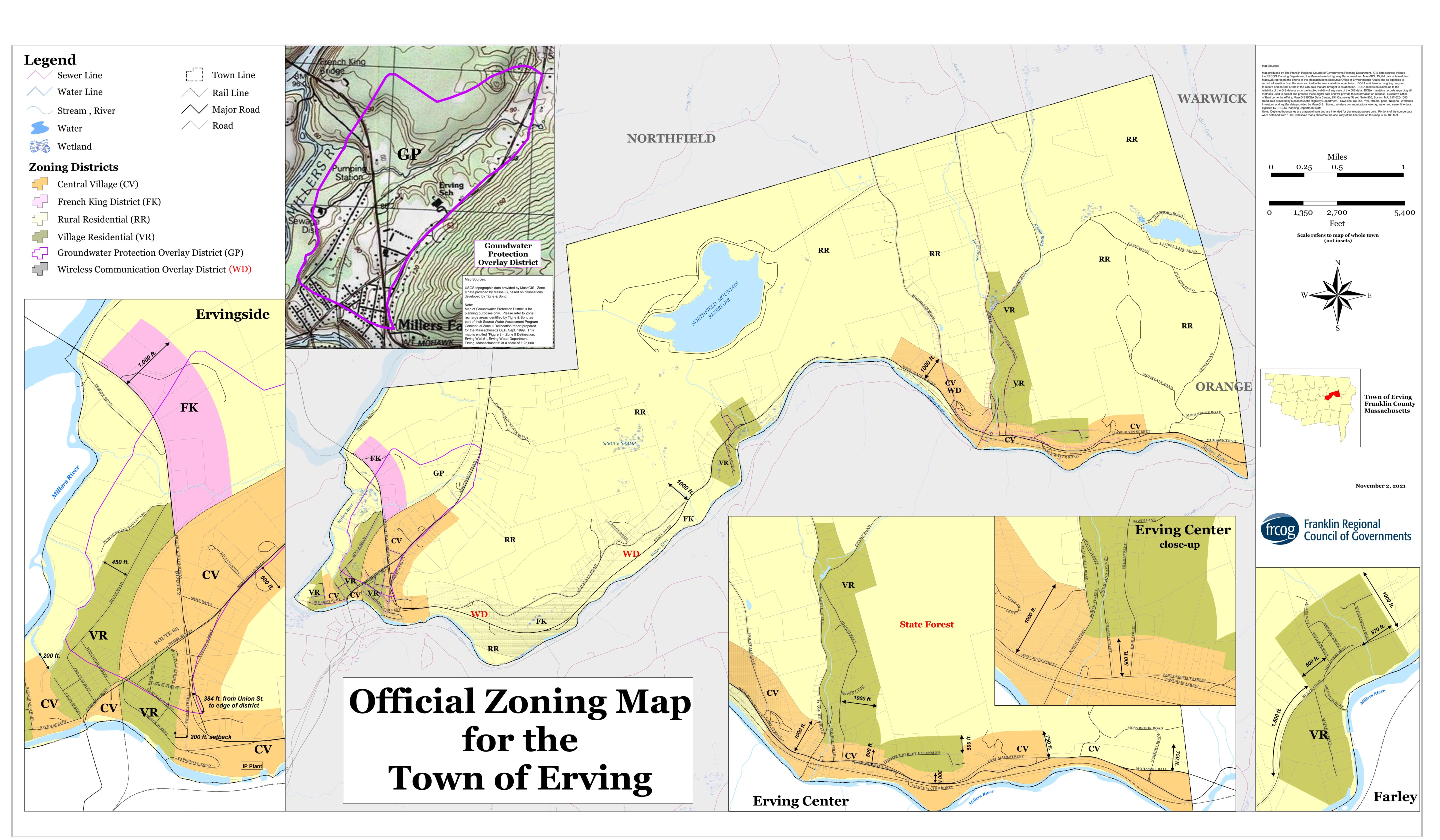
Article Information: Approval of this article would amend the official Zoning Map for the Town of Erving. Approval of this article requires a 2/3 vote.

AMENDMENT: It was moved and seconded to insert the words "with the exception of the Planned Unit Development (PUD) overlay map sections" after "November 2, 2021". The amendment passed unanimously.

ARTICLE 14 passed unanimously as amended.

A true copy, ATTEST: Kichard W. Devor

Richard W. Newton Erving Town Clerk



Erving Senior Center bus trip to Newport RI Monday September 12th 2022

Newport Playhouse. Combined with a fabulous lunch buffet & Cabaret

BROADWAY COMEDY SOCIAL SECURITY

Married couple who are ART dealers. Their domestic tranquility is shattered when the wife's nerd sister arrives with her up-tight CPA husband and her Jewish Mother. They arrive to save their college-student daughter from the horrors of living only for sex. Comic sparks really fly when the mother hits it off with the elderly artist who is the art dealer's best client. (Lots of laughs)



Bus departs Erving 8:15am pick-up Big Y 8:30am Arrive in Newport 11:00am Lunch 11:30. Play begins 1:00 ends 2:30 Cabaret 3:00 to 4:30 departs Newport 5:00pm Est. time home 7:00 to 7:30

Cost: <u>\$125.00 all inclusive</u>. Checks can be made out to Friends of the Erving Senior Ctr. Trip must be paid in full by August 31stno refunds after this date. For information or to book Call: Paula <u>413-423-3649</u> Mail checks to: Erving Senior Center 1 Care Drive Erving 01344

Erving Senior Center

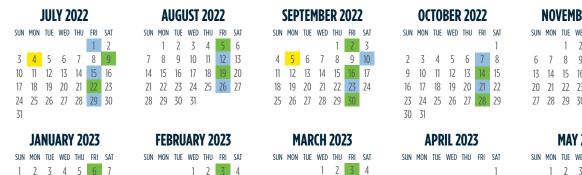
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Call 24 hrs. in advance for an appointment or ride to the Senior Center	8 8:30 Toe Nail Clip 9:00 Interval (Linda) Seated workout (Laura)	9 9:00 Good for U 10:00 Line Dancing Coffee & Snacks Fitness Room Open	10 9:00 Cardio Low Impact exercise 10:15 Chair Aerobics 11:30 BINGO	11 9:00 Core & Bal 200 Barre Fusion Fitness Room Open	12 9:00 to 3:00 Quilting open sew Fitness room open Coffee & Snacks	THE SHINE PROGRAM Serving the Health Insurance Needs of Everyone
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TOWN OF ERVING DUAL STREAM RECYCLING & TRASH SERVICE

2022-2023 CURBSIDE COLLECTION CALENDAR & DETAILS

- Trash is collected every Friday
- Paper & cardboard recycling is collected on the **blue shaded** Friday collection day
- Plastic, glass, & metal is collected on the green shaded Friday collection day



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NOVEMBER 2022

· Weeks with a holiday have a one day delay in service, regardless

• Place trash & recycling at the curb by 7:00 AM on Friday

• The Town will notify you of any delays in service

of the day that the holiday falls on as depicted below

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📕 = Paper & Cardboard 📕 = Plastic, Glass, & Metal 📃 = Holiday

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Sorting your recyclables is quick and easy. Just focus on tossing all paper and cardboard into one bin and plastic, glass, and metal containers into another. Please **EMPTY** and **RINSE** all containers and **flatten** and **break down** cardboard boxes.







Empty food & beverage bottles & jars

Glass Bottles & Jars

Aluminum & Steel Cans Foil & empty food & beverage cans

NOT ACCEPTED

Plastic bags or trays, black plastic, bagged recyclables, clothing/textiles, food waste/liquids, tanglers such as rope or hoses, scrap metal, batteries of any kind, electronics, wood, medical waste, hazardous materials, explosives, toys, hangers, shoes, waxy cups or plates, frozen food packaging, food bags or wrappers, plastic wrap or film, shrink wrap, tarps, diapers, human/pet or yard waste, tires or rubber, Styrofoam[™], napkins, paper towels, tissues, plastic utensils, register tape, condiment packets, straws, stirrers, coffee pods, ceramics





800-CASELLA casella.com



413-422-2800 info@erving-ma.gov www.erving-ma.gov

TOWN HALL OFFICE HOURS 12 East Main Street					
Town Hall is opened to	Town Hall is opened to the public on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday				
fi	com 10 - 5 p.m. or by Appointment				
Selectmen's Office	Monday thru Thursday	9:00am – 5:00pm			
	Friday	9:00am – 1:00pm			
Town Accountant	By Appointment				
Assessor	Monday	0.00 E.00 pm			
	Tuesday & Thursday	9:00am–5:00pm			
Treasurer	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday	9:00am – 3:00pm			
Tax Collector	Tuesday & Thursday	10:00 am - 3:00 pm			
	Wednesday	8:30 am - 12:00 pm			
Terre Clark					
Town Clerk	By Appointment				
Emergency Mgmt Director	By Appointment				

POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENT HOURS				
Police Department	Monday thru Thursday	7:00am – 4:00pm		
71 French King Highway				
Fire Department	Monday thru Friday	7:00am – 4:00pm & by		
10 East Main Street & 18 Moore Street		Appointment		

SENIOR & COMMUNITY CENTER AND PUBLIC LIBRARY HOURS				
Senior & Community	Monday thru Friday	8:00am – 4:00pm		
Center 1 Care Drive				
Erving Public Library	Sun. 10 am to 4 pm, Mon.&Tues. 12 pm to 6 pm,			
2 Care Drive Wed. 10 am to 4 pm &Thurs. 1 pm to 7 pm.				

BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULE

Note: Subject to change. Always use the official posting board at Town Hall for meeting dates, times, and locations.					
Board of Health at Town Hall	By Appointment				
Board of Library Trustees at Erving Library	As posted				
Board of Selectmen at Senior& Community Ctr	Mondays as posted	6:30pm			
Conservation Commission at Erving Library	1 st Tuesday of the Month	6:30pm			
Council on Aging at Senior & Community Ctr	2 nd Tuesday of the Month	9:30am			
Finance Committee at Senior & Community Ctr	As posted				
Historical Commission at Pearl Care Bldg	As posted				
Open Space Committee at Town Hall	As posted				
Planning Board at Erving Library	3 rd Thursday of the Month	7:00pm			
Recreation Commission at Town Hall	As posted				
School Committee at Erving Elementary School	3 rd Tuesday of the Month				
Senior Housing Committee at Senior Center	As posted				

Upper Pioneer Valley Veterans Services: (413) 772-1571 U.S. Post Office- Erving, MA Branch: (413) 423-3600

ERVING OFFICE CONTACT INFORMATION

Town Hall Office Number and Extensions (413) 422-2800

1101 Administrative Assistant & BOH - Betsy Sicard

1102 Town Administrator – Bryan Smith

1103 Town Accountant - Deborah Mero

1104 Tax Collector/Water Collector- Michele Turner

1106 Town Clerk – Richard Newton

1107 Assessors Office – Principal Assessor Jacquelyn Boyden

1108 Assistant Town Planner – Mariah Kurtz

1112 Treasurer – Jennifer Eichorn

1114 Assistant Treasurer – Jean Fountain

TOWN OFFICES

423-3649 Senior Center **423-3348** Library **422-1187** Recreation
 423-3310 Police
 423-3326 Erving Elementary

 423-3500 Public Works
 423-3866 Fire Station

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Erving!

Town of Erving, Erving Senior Center, Erving Recreation Commission, Erving Public Library and Erving Historical Commission

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