

PUBLIC NOTICES

WILLIAMSBURG CONSERVATION COMMISSION
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
In accordance with the Wetland Protection Act of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Chapter 131, Section 40, the Williamsburg **Wednesday, March 4, 2026 at 7:00 PM** via zoom, Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8859354972>; Meeting ID: 885 935 4972
+1 646 558 8656 US (New York), on the application of Dan Banister, Highway Superintendent c/o Town of Williamsburg Highway Department
24 Main Street, Williamsburg, MA 01096. The applicant is requesting an Order of Conditions for work on all Town owned roads in Williamsburg, MA (Road ROW). Work will include but not be limited to: Maintenance and repair of existing roadways, vegetation removal, sediment removal and replacing, repairing, and/or retrofitting drainage structures.
Project Location: All Town owned Roads
Any interested person wishing to be heard on the application should appear at the time

and place designated. A copy of the application and plan may be inspected at the Williamsburg Town Hall in the Conservation Commission Office, 141 Main Street, Haydenville, MA 01039 or contact the office by phone at **413-268-8416** or by email at hilltownconcom@gmail.com or conservation@burgy.org
Joe Rogers, Chair
Williamsburg Conservation Commission
02/19/2026

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HIGHWAY DIVISION
NOTICE OF A DESIGN PUBLIC HEARING
Project Description:
Westfield Intersection Improvements at Southampton Road (Route 10/202), Servistar Industrial Way, and Barnes Airport Drive. Project File No. 612600
A Design Public Hearing will be held to present the design for the proposed project in Westfield, MA.

WHERE: Westfield City Hall City Council Chambers Second Floor 59 Court Street Westfield, MA 01085
WHEN: Wednesday, February 25, 2026 @ 7:00pm

PURPOSE: The purpose of this hearing is to provide the public with the opportunity to become fully acquainted with the proposed project. All views and comments submitted in response to the hearing will be reviewed and considered to the maximum extent possible.
PROPOSAL: The proposed project consists of intersection improvements at Southampton Road (Route 10/202), Servistar Industrial Way, and Barnes Airport Drive. The intersection is proposed to be reconstructed as a roundabout. Bicyclists and pedestrians will be accommodated with an 8-foot wide shared-use path around the outside of the roundabout in accordance with applicable design guides.
A secure right-of-way is necessary for this project. Acquisitions in fee and permanent or temporary easements may be required. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts is responsible

for acquiring all needed rights in private or public lands. MassDOT's policy concerning land acquisitions will be presented in the hearing.
Project inquiries, written statements and other exhibits regarding the proposed undertaking may be submitted to Carrie E. Lavallee, P.E., Chief Engineer, via e-mail to MassDOTProjectManagement@dot.state.ma.us or via US Mail to Suite 7550, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA 02116, Attention: Project Management, **Project File No. 612600**. Statements and exhibits intended for inclusion in the public hearing transcript must be emailed or postmarked no later than ten (10) business days (14 calendar days) after the hearing is hosted on the MassDOT website listed below.
This hearing is accessible to people with disabilities. MassDOT provides reasonable accommodations and/or language assistance free of charge upon request (e.g. interpreters in American Sign Language and languages other than English, live captioning, videos, assistive listening devices and alternate material formats), as available. For accommodation or language assistance, please

contact MassDOT's Chief Diversity and Civil Rights Officer by phone (857-368-8580), TTD/TTY at (857) 266-0603, fax (857) 368-0602 or by email (MassDOT.CivilRights@dot.state.ma.us). Requests should be made as soon as possible and prior to the hearing, and for more difficult to arrange services including sign-language, CART or language translation or interpretation, requests should be made at least ten business days before the hearing.
In case of inclement weather, a cancellation announcement will be posted on the internet at <https://www.mass.gov/orgs/highway-division/events>.
JONATHAN GULLIVER
HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATOR
CARRIE E. LAVALLEE, P.E.
CHIEF ENGINEER
02/12, 02/19/2026

Gateway Regional FY '27 School Budget Public Hearing
In accordance with Chapter 71 Section 38N of the Massachusetts General Law the public hearing for the 2026-2027 Gateway Regional School District budget will be held in the Perform-

ing Arts Center at the Gateway Regional Middle/High School Complex located at 12 Littleville Road, Huntington, MA 01050 on **Wednesday, March 4, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.** Reference: Massachusetts Newspapers Publishers Association website: masspublicnotices.org
02/19/2026

Please check the accuracy of your legal notice prior to submission (i.e., date, time, spelling). Also, be sure the requested publication date coincides with the purpose of the notice, or as the law demands. Thank you.

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- CLUES ACROSS**
1. Cut quickly
5. A way to state clearly
11. River in NE Scotland
14. Expansive
15. Lacking social polish
16. Amount of time
17. Frame
19. Automobile
20. Toadstools
21. High school dances
22. Utilize
23. Experimented with
25. One-sided
27. Acquisitive
31. Potted plants
34. Everyone has one
35. Kalahari Desert lake
38. Unidentified flying object
39. People 65 and over
41. Small amount
42. Daughter of Acrisius
44. Ornamental box
45. Government agents
46. Uncertain
49. A cotton fabric with a satiny finish
51. Treeless plains
55. One's sense of self-importance
56. Consumer advocate
60. Type of lounger
61. Body part
62. Can be persuaded
64. Woman (French)
65. Ready and willing to be taught
66. Arab ruler title
67. Unhappy
68. Gradually went away
69. Able to think clearly
- CLUES DOWN**
1. Brushed
2. Small water spirit (Germ.)
3. Heroes
4. Monetary units
5. Some don't want to share theirs
6. Free-swimming invertebrate
7. Litigates
8. Outer
9. Parallelograms
10. Uneasy feelings
11. Cross
12. A way to remove
13. Pages can be dog-____
18. Ukrainian city
24. A citizen of Denmark
26. Month
28. Hindu queens
29. Group of chemicals
30. Rider of Rohan
31. Wet dirt
32. Southwestern Russia city
33. Observed
36. Angry
37. Drivers' licenses
39. Musical composition
40. Auction
43. They ____
45. Women
47. Be filled with love for
48. Thick-soled sock
49. Appears
50. Old World lizard
52. The leading performer
53. Protein
54. "Gunga Din" script writer
57. Art ____, around 1920
58. ____ Blyton, children's author
59. Abnormal breathing
63. A place to rest

THIS WEEK'S HOROSCOPES

- ARIES**
Mar 21/Apr 20
You have the cosmic green light to start that major project you've been planning or to take a leap in your career, Aries. Trust your intuition—it's sharper than ever.
- CANCER**
Jun 22/Jul 22
Cancer, a feeling of emotional security empowers you to tackle any professional challenge with grace and confidence. You are totally centered right now, so go for it.
- LIBRA**
Sept 23/Oct 23
Relationships are the key to your happiness this week, Libra. Expect delightful interactions, smooth negotiations and the forging of beneficial alliances.
- CAPRICORN**
Dec 22/Jan 20
Your professional reputation is soaring. Key figures at your job are recognizing your dedication and leadership. Expect exciting opportunities for advancement.
- TAURUS**
Apr 21/May 21
Abundance is knocking, Taurus. Your hard work is translating into tangible rewards, and you may receive unexpected good news regarding finances or resources.
- LEO**
Jul 23/Aug 23
Leo, you are radiating charisma this week and attracting positive attention wherever you go. Use this incredible visibility to network or showcase your talents.
- SCORPIO**
Oct 24/Nov 22
This week is all about your own transformation, Scorpio. You feel a surge of internal power and clarity that allows you to confidently pursue deep, personal goals.
- AQUARIUS**
Jan 21/Feb 18
Your network is buzzing with opportunities, Aquarius. Collaborative efforts are highly favored, and you'll find incredible support for your most innovative ideas.
- GEMINI**
May 22/Jun 21
Your mind is sparkling, Gemini, making you the most magnetic person in the room. Use this vibrant energy to connect, share ideas and lead discussions.
- VIRGO**
Aug 24/Sept 22
You'll find great satisfaction in clean, organized work that earns sincere praise this week, Virgo. Your dedication is about to unlock a significant reward. Surprises are in store.
- SAGITTARIUS**
Nov 23/Dec 21
Your sense of optimism and love for exploration is fully charged, Sagittarius. Even if you can't take a trip, your mind is open to exciting new philosophies or ideas.
- PISCES**
Feb 19/Mar 20
Pisces, your intuition is a superpower that guides you toward fulfillment and emotional satisfaction this week. Embrace your artistic side and allow your imagination to lead the way.

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SUDOKU

Here's How It Works:
Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

Fun By The Numbers
Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!

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