

Legal Notices

**TOWN OF SOUTH HADLEY
Public Hearing –
June 2, 2026 7:10 PM
South Hadley Town Hall,
Room M20
116 Main Street,
South Hadley, MA 01075
FY24 CDBG Performance
Hearing Proposed Amend-
ment**

The Town of South Hadley, in association with the Pioneer Valley Planning Commission, will conduct a public hearing regarding the FY24 Community Development Block Grant Program. The hearing will take place at **7:10 PM on Tuesday, June 2, 2026, in person at the South Hadley Town Hall, 116 Main Street, South Hadley, MA 01075.** If the meeting is cancelled due to inclement weather, the hearing will take place during the rescheduled Selectboard meeting.

The hearing will review the FY24 South Hadley Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) awarded to the town for infrastructure improvement work on Center, Warner, and Graves Streets.

Additionally, a proposed program amendment for this grant award will be presented. The proposed amendment will utilize uncommitted and available funds from the Center Street Neighborhood project to create a line item for new sidewalk installation, potentially on Bolton Street and/or Lincoln Street. The Center Street Neighborhood project has met its grant program goal, construction has been completed, and this project is now closed.

All residents with questions or comments will have an opportunity to be heard. Written comments will be received by the Town can be sent to the Selectboard Office: 116 Main Street, Room M20, South Hadley, MA 01075. Written comments will be read aloud during the hearing. For further information or to submit a written comment, contact Evan Mastroianni at the Pioneer Valley Planning Commission at (413) 781-6045 or emastroianni@pvpc.org. Persons who require special accommodations should contact the Town prior to the hearing date at (413) 862-6200.x 05/15/2026

**Town of Granby
Board of Appeals**

The Granby Board of Appeals will hold the following Public Hearings on **May 27, 2026**, at the Carnegie Building, Top Floor, 1 Library Lane, Granby MA 01033.

6:00 PM- to consider the petition of Linda Healy, Applicant/Owner seeking a variance of Section III- Regulations, 3, Table 2. - Dimensional and Density Regulation, regarding insufficient minimum side setbacks regarding proposed construction of a garage on a preexisting non-conforming foundation located at 128 South Street, known as Map 5B-A-1 in the Town of Granby, MA.

In addition to the above hearing, the Board of Appeals intends to conduct a public meeting following said hearing as time permits. This notice is given pursuant to Chapter 40A and Chapter 39, Section 23B of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Steven Nally, Chairman
Granby Board of Appeals
05/08, 05/15/2026

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The Friends of Granby Veterans, the non-profit organization that is constructing and funding the memorial, requested the funds due to difficulties raising further capital. Russell stated that the organization is unable to raise more than \$10,000 for the project from their picnics and golf outings. Questions centered around the rising operating costs and included queries around the initial \$50,000 borrowed in 2021. The funds requested would bring the project's borrowed grand total costs to \$90,000.

The additional phases in question are creating a parking lot located where Aldridge Hall once was, a sidewalk to connect the parking lot to the tank and hiking trails that travel behind the

public safety complex over the 11 acres of town owned land in the surrounding region.

A follow up question was about the memorial wall that will feature at the memorial. The wall has around 1,000 names inscribed on it at the moment and questions arose around the eligibility requirements to have a veteran's name inscribed on it.

"So, the criteria is if you were a veteran that was called to service while living in the town of Granby, then you're eligible," said Richard. "You're also eligible if you lived in the town of Granby for at least ten years."

Outspoken veterans applauded the initiative and asked the town members in attendance to pass the motion. One such veteran was

George Randall, a self-described proud Army veteran of the Vietnam War.

"It's really important to the town of Granby," Randall said during the open hearing and thanked those that spearheaded the initiative. "I commend this group for all the hard work that they've done over the years."

The pavilion will also have power, lighting and a ceiling fan for hosting events. The power will also run to the evergreen tree by 2027 for Christmas tree lighting ceremonies. Without further questions, the motion for additional funds passed unanimously.

"We hope to honor all the veterans that have signed the dotted lines," said Russell. "We want to build a very nice park for everyone to enjoy."

Job Connection

HELPING YOU FIND HELP

The South Hadley Fire District No. 2 Water Department is seeking applicants for the position of Administrative Assistant
South Hadley Fire District No. 2 Water Department
24 Woodbridge St., South Hadley MA

SUMMARY OF POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES:

Coordinates and manages the activities of the Water Department. Performs highly skilled administrative and clerical duties to ensure effective and efficient operations. The Administrative Assistant exercises leadership, independent judgment and initiative in the administration and execution of the Department's services. The Administrative Assistant works under the direct supervision of the Superintendent and is overseen by the Water Commissioners.

GENERAL DUTIES:

- Provides administrative support to Water Superintendent, Board of Water Commissioners, including word and data processing, filing, copying, scanning, and handling correspondence
- Frequently interacts with members of the general public, federal, state and/or local government officials, and Town employees
- Coordinates and assists with projects relating to personnel management, Department operations, and other areas
- Plans, coordinates, and calendars meetings and events
- Posts and attends all Board meetings; takes, prepares and distributes meeting minutes
- Acts as a liaison to other Town Departments, State Officials, Town Counsel and Engineers
- Maintains Department records
- Receives and screens visitors and telephone calls, providing information and handling issues that may require sensitivity and the use of sound independent judgment, or refer to appropriate individual(s)
- Periodic bank deposits and monthly account balancing with the Clerk/Treasurer
- Assist Water Superintendent in preparing and managing department needs
- Prepare, review and mail bi-monthly water bills
- Update and maintain utility billing database
- Process all demand bills, shut off notices and final readings
- Process and track all department payroll and accounts payable warrants
- Process, track, and file all other fees associated with the Water Department needs
- Completes periodic report required by state and federal governments and regulatory agencies
- Ability to communicate effectively and professionally with, and establish and maintain cooperative relationships with, Town officials, employees and staff, governmental representatives, state and federal agencies, contractors, vendors and/or the public
- Operates & maintains meter reading and processing equipment
- Routinely schedules jobs and keeps the daily work calendar up to date
- Performs work as required or assigned by the Superintendent or their designee

KEY ATTRIBUTES:

- Excellent communication skills, both oral and written
- Ability to deal tactfully, courteously, and professionally with all persons, even in stressful situations, essential
- Ability to maintain confidentiality and to exercise sound judgment and discretion
- Ability to work in high pressure situations, as necessary
- Highly organized, detail oriented, takes initiative and able to work independently and keep work area neat and clean
- Ability to handle multiple tasks, prioritize effectively, meet deadlines, and deliver high quality work
- Reliability and professional personal presentation are essential
- Operates standard office equipment, including a computer, Printers, Copier, etc.
- Working knowledge of Open Meeting Law, Public Records Law, State Ethics Law, Public Procurement laws
- Proficiency in typing, basic word processing, spreadsheet, presentation and database software (such as MS Word and Excel).
- Specialized software related to functional areas such as Water Utility Billing Software, Meter Reading Software, etc.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE/OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

- High School diploma or G.E.D. required
- Two (2) years of experience in relevant position (i.e., administrative assistant, office manager, or similar experience), and knowledge of general office procedures (e.g., correspondence, scheduling, filing) and previous experience in municipal government preferred.

This is a full-time position M-F from 7am to 3pm.

Starting pay is \$24.00 an hour and is negotiable depending on experience.

Applications and resumes will be accepted until Friday, May 29, 2026. Please submit to 20 Woodbridge Street, South Hadley MA 01075 ATTN: Tim Cauley or Tcauley@shdistrict2.org South Hadley Fire District No. 2 is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, age, disability or veteran status.

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- CLUES ACROSS**
1. Notable casino destination
 6. Current units
 10. Roman military unit
 14. American lizard
 15. Fates
 17. The Yankees have lots of these
 19. Unhappy
 20. Mimic
 21. Remove from the record
 22. Where cargo ships dock (abbr.)
 23. A way to fight
 24. Turfs
 26. Contract
 29. Country along the Arabian peninsula
 31. Tree species
 32. Pituitary gland secretion (abbr.)
 34. Perfect
 35. "Partner" to groans
 37. Jewish calendar
 - month
 38. Where wrestlers work
 39. Egotistical
 40. Potted plants
 41. Containers
 43. Large, flightless birds
 45. Part of a book
 46. American spies
 47. Pancakes made of buckwheat flour
 49. Swiss river
 50. Disfigure
 53. Have surgery
 57. Formal withdrawal
 58. Early English council
 59. Area units
 60. 2,000 lbs.
 61. Siskel and ___
- CLUES DOWN**
1. Animal jaws
 2. Small water buffalo
 3. An appliance has
 - one
 4. Every
 5. Largest English dictionary (abbr.)
 6. Very skilled
 7. No more than what is specified
 8. Tire measurement
 9. Towers
 10. Forward
 11. Jacob ___, American journalist
 12. Vale
 13. Former CIA
 16. Middle Eastern nation
 18. Exhausts
 22. South Dakota
 23. The complete duration of something
 24. Kids love him
 25. Singular
 27. Cod genus
 28. Mild yellow Dutch cheese
 29. Resistance unit
 30. Ancient kingdom near Dead Sea
 31. Cast out
 33. 60-minute periods
 35. Most worn
 36. European river
 37. Atomic mass unit
 39. Items of food
 42. Body parts
 43. Ireland
 44. Partner to Pa
 46. Sammy ___, songwriter
 47. Dutch settler
 48. Full-grown pike fish
 49. Sun or solar disk
 50. Minute arachnid
 51. From a distance
 52. A monthly expense
 53. Young women's association
 54. Brazilian state
 55. Air freight provider
 56. Pointed end of a pen

Town Reminder
OBITUARY POLICY

Turley Publications offers two types of obituaries. One is a free, brief **Death Notice** listing the name of deceased, date of death and funeral date and place. The other is a **Paid Obituary**, costing \$275, which allows families to publish extended death notice information of their own choice (with a word limit of up to 500 words) and may include a photograph.

Death Notices & Paid Obituaries should be submitted through a funeral home to: obits@turley.com.

Exceptions will be made only when the family provides a death certificate and must be pre-paid.

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In observance of Memorial Day, the Classifieds have an **EARLY AD DEADLINE.**

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Thank you!

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– Thank you!