

MEMORANDUM

TO: Dennis W. Farias, City Clerk
FROM: Board of Election Commissioners
RE: Public Meeting Notice & Agenda
DATE: July 9, 2021

The Board of Election Commissioners will hold a public meeting on Tuesday, July 20, 2021 at 6:00 P.M. remotely via ZOOM. The Board will conduct this meeting remotely pursuant to An Act Extending Certain COVID-19 Measures Adopted During the State of Emergency signed into law by Governor Charles Baker on June 16, 2021. The Act extended until April 1, 2022, the remote meeting provisions of Governor Baker's March 12, 2020, Executive Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law. The Act authorized public bodies to continue providing live "adequate, alternative means" of public access to the deliberations of the public body, instead of holding meetings in a public place that is open and physically accessible to the public and further allows all members of a public body to continue participating in meetings remotely.

Members of the public may follow the proceedings of the public body in real time via Zoom Virtual Videoconferencing at the URL link or phone numbers provided below.

Meeting of the Board of Election Commissioners

Date: Tuesday, July 20, 2021

Time: 6:00PM

Location: Zoom Virtual Videoconference

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/96952207436?pwd=WC9ETWJ3L1VmNllwbXJnMzd4M3NQUT09>

Meeting ID: 969 5220 7436

Passcode: 753970

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Agenda

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. The Board will hold a hearing on a ‘Complaint by Registered Voter of Illegal or Incorrect Registration pursuant to M.G.L. Ch. 51 §48, 49’
(Michael Williams, Complainant and Joseph P. Fortes, Respondent**
- 4. The Board will deliberate and reach decision on the complaint against Joseph P. Fortes pursuant to M.G.L. Ch. 51 §48, 49.**
- 5. Adjournment**

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if any accommodations are needed, please contact Manuel DeBrito at 508-979-1420 (manuel.debrito@newbedford-ma.gov) or MassRelay 711. Requests should be made as soon as possible but at least 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting.