

SELECT BOARD POLICY THREE

Budget and Financial Planning

To facilitate the effective functioning of Town operations and sound management of Town finances, the Select Board will schedule a joint meeting among the School Committee, the Finance Committee, and the Select Board each year, ideally not later than three weeks following the end of the fall Town Meeting. The Town Manager, Town Comptroller, and Superintendent of Schools shall attend. Chairs or representatives of other Town boards and committees may, and are encouraged to, attend as well. Topics to be addressed at the joint meeting may include the financial position of the Town and goals and guidelines for planning the Town's operating budget for the following fiscal year.