

Resolution: 2026-002

**Introduced by: Councilor Gordon
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Resolution for Open Process

WHEREAS the residents of Randolph desire to participate in Town Council meetings and other Town board meetings; and

WHEREAS the residents of Randolph desire to search and read minutes from Town Council meetings and other Town board meetings; and

WHEREAS current "open meeting laws" require limited "open process" but leave optional a full "open process";

BE IT RESOLVED that the Randolph Town Council encourages a full "open process" for all Town Council meetings and all other Town board meetings, including but not limited to:

* A time on every agenda for Public Comments, early in the meeting, with in-person and virtual participation, in a manner modeled on the Town Council rules, or more open than the Town Council rules;

* A process for quickly posting on the Town website the minutes of every meeting, and the agenda of every meeting, including electronic versions of all presentations made during each meeting, in a text-searchable and downloadable format.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town Council encourages such "open process" rules for Town board meetings including the Planning Board, the Tri-Town water board, the Randolph Redevelopment Authority, and all other boards.