

2017 TOWN MEETING SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER

Monday, November 14, 2016 First day to accept petitions to amend **zoning ordinance** or building code for consideration at the 2015 town meeting (RSA 675:4; 40:13, VII)

DECEMBER

Wednesday, December 14, 2016 Last day to accept petitions to amend **zoning ordinance** or building code for consideration at the 2015 town meeting. (RSA675:4; 40:13,VII)

JANUARY

Tuesday, January 3, 2017 Last day for giving notice of January 14 public hearing on annual budget (RSA 32:5,I; 40:13.II-a(a))

Friday, January 6, 2017 Last day to submit a petition warrant article that proposes a **bond** governed by RSA 33:8-a. (RSA 40:13,II-a(b))

Monday, January 9, 2017 Board of Selectmen public hearing on the proposed bond warrant article and any special revenue funds proposed.

Tuesday, January 10, 2017 Last day for selectmen to publish notice of time, place and subject of public hearing on bond or note issue over \$100,000. Hearing can be held no earlier than 60 days before First Session. (RSA 33:8-a, I; 40:13,II-a(a))

Tuesday, January 10, 2017 Last day for voters to petition selectmen to include an article in the town meeting warrant (RSA 39:3; 40:13, II-a(b))

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Thursday, January 12, 2017	(Make-up date) Board of Selectmen public hearing on the proposed bond warrant article and any special revenue funds proposed.
Saturday, January 14, 2017	Budget Committee public hearing on the budget and all warrant articles that include appropriations.
Monday, January 16, 2017	(Make-up date) Budget Committee Public Hearing on the budget and all warrant articles that include appropriations.
Tuesday, January 17, 2017	Last day to hold at least one public hearing on the annual budget. (RSA 32:5,I and V; 40:13,11-a(c))
Friday, January 20, 2017	Last day to hold public hearing on question of establishing a special revenue fund if the first session is to be held on January 31 st . Hearing must be held at least 15 but not more than 30 days prior to meeting where question will be voted on. (RSA 31:95-d,I(b)).
Thursday, January 26, 2017	Last day for the Budget Committee to submit its annual budget to the Board of Selectmen.

FEBRUARY

Saturday, February 4, 2017	Deliberative Session 9 AM (School then Town)
Wednesday, February 8, 2017	Make-up date for Deliberative Session 6 PM (School then Town)
Saturday, February 11, 2017	Last day to hold First Session of town meeting. (RSA 40:13,III)

MARCH

Tuesday, March 7, 2017	Annual report with final budget and ballot questions must be available (RSA 40:13,II)
Tuesday, March 14, 2017	Second Session of annual meeting to elect officers, to vote on all questions required by law to be on official ballot, and vote on all warrant articles from First Session of annual meeting.