

Draft Agenda MA Food Policy Council
May 7, 2021, 9:30 – 11:30 am

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9:30 Call to Order, Acceptance of Minutes, Chair & MDAR Commissioner Lebeaux

Officers Reports: Commissioner Lebeaux: Update on open positions.

MA Food Policy Council member updates

10:00 **MA Legislature's Food Caucus update**

10:15 **MA Food System Collaborative**

10:30 **Council member updates and discussion** Vice Chair John Waite & Secretary Danah Tench will provide an update and lead a discussion on possible priorities and strategies to measure progress

11:10 **Topics for next meeting**

11:15 **Announcements**

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11:20 **Public Comment**

11:30 **Adjournment**

On March 10, 2020, Governor Baker, acting pursuant to the power provided by Chapter 639 of the Acts of 1950 and Section 2A of Chapter 17 of the Massachusetts General Laws, declared a State of Emergency due to the outbreak of the 2019 coronavirus ("COVID-19"). In accordance with the State of Emergency, the Massachusetts Food Policy Council ("MFPC") meetings are being conducted through virtual means to allow real-time public access.