

MA Food Policy Council meeting, May 9, 2025

9:30 – 11:30 (remote)

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Draft Agenda

Call to order

Acceptance of minutes (vote required)

MA Legislative Food System Caucus, Kerry Shea, Legislative Aide to Representative Kane

MA Food System Collaborative, Becca Miller, Policy Director

Officer and Committee Reports

- Chair
 - Update: MA Food Policy Council Advocacy Committee process (vote may be required)
 - Update: Farmland Action Plan
- Vice Chair
- Secretary
- Advisory Committee
- Advocacy Committee

Program

- Navigating MA Seafood: Wendy Wills, Division of Marine Fisheries Seafood Marketing Coordinator
- Quabbin Food Connector - Bridging the Gap for Fair Foods: Cathy Stanton, Treasurer, Shirley Mitchell and Natasha Castillo-Vargas, Athol-Royalston School District

Council member updates

Ayn Yeagle: Federal funding updates

Announcements

- 2025 Food Policy Council meetings: Fri, July 11, 9:30-11:30; Fri, Sept 12, 9:30-11:30; Wed, Dec 3rd: 11-1:30, Jan 6, 2026: Annual meeting, Rm 428, MA Statehouse 11 – 1:30

Public Comment

Adjournment (vote required)