



Designer Selection Board Meeting

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 4, 2026, AT 8:30 a.m.

Mark Boyle, Chair

David Carlson, Vice Chair

1. Meeting Agenda

A. Meeting Called to Order and Board Introductions

Quorum: 6 members, 4 of which must be Architects/Engineers (including at least 1 Architect and 1 Engineer)

B. Approve Minutes of Previous Meeting

C. Informational Interview

8:40 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.

- Mount Vernon Group Architects, Inc.

D. Project Review(s)

9:10 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.

DSB List #25-34, DSBA-53, Study & Design for General Building Renovations, Repairs & Upgrades, Springfield Technical Community College, Estimated Construction Cost: Varies Per Project: Not to exceed authority delegated pursuant to M.G.L. c.7C §5, for an individual project. Maximum Fee Per Contract (based on the scope of the work and services authorized, shall not exceed) \$2,000,000, (3 House Doctor Contracts) 22 Applicants

10:20 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

DSB List #25-35, DSBA-54, Study & Design for Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing & Land/Site Renovations, Repairs & Upgrades, Springfield Technical Community College, Estimated Construction Cost: Varies Per Project: Not to exceed authority delegated pursuant to M.G.L. c.7C §5, for an individual project. Maximum Fee Per Contract (based on the scope of the work and services authorized, shall not exceed) \$2,000,000, (3 House Doctor Contracts) 12 Applicants

E. Board Business

- Notification of Team Changes for Fitzemeyer & Tocci Associates, Inc. - DSB List #25-03, DCP2616, Springfield Data Center – Room 230 & 234 MEP & FA/FP Systems Review – No Action by the Board Required
- Notification of Team Changes for HDR Architecture, P.C. - DSB List #22-13, TRC2502, House Doctor Study Services for the Trial Court Security Systems Upgrades – No Action by the Board Required

2. **Adjournment 11:30 a.m. (tentative)**

3. **FUTURE MEETINGS: (Subject to Change)**

WEDNESDAY, February 18, 2026

To Be Determined

WEDNESDAY, March 4, 2026

To Be Determined

WEDNESDAY, March 18, 2026

DSB List #26-01, DPH2601, Tewksbury Hospital Saunders Building – Roof Replacement Phase II, Department of Public Health (DPH), ECC: \$10,940,000, Fee for Draft Study, Schematic Design and Certifiable Study: \$375,000, Fee for Final Design: To Be Negotiated, Due 02-25-26

DSB List #26-02, DSBA-56, Study & Design for General Building Renovations, Repairs & Upgrades, Hampden County Sheriff's Office (HCSO), ECC: Varies Per Project: Not to exceed authority delegated pursuant to M.G.L. c.7C §5, for an individual project (House Doctor – 6 Contracts), Due 02-25-26

DSB List #26-03, 2026-02, Boston Renaissance Charter Public School, 1424 Hyde Park Ave Renovation, ECC: \$2,500,000, Schematic Design Fee: \$75,000, Final Design Fee: To Be Negotiated, Due 02-25-26

WEDNESDAY, April 1, 2026

Tentative Interview: DSB List #26-01, DPH2601, Tewksbury Hospital Saunders Building – Roof Replacement Phase II, Department of Public Health (DPH), ECC: \$10,940,000, Fee for Draft Study, Schematic Design and Certifiable Study: \$375,000, Fee for Final Design: To Be Negotiated

WEDNESDAY, April 15, 2026

To Be Determined

Note about Public Comment

The Designer Selection Board encourages members of the public to contact DSB staff to ask questions and discuss items of interest. While document requests and most general questions can be answered by staff, there may be times that direct Board input is requested. Because all Board deliberation is conducted at public meetings, interested parties can either request that something be placed on a posted meeting agenda, or simply ask to address the Board at the meeting.

The Massachusetts Open Meeting Law does not require that a public body allow public participation during its meetings but rather provides that "*no person shall address a meeting of a public body without permission of the chair, and all persons shall, at the request of the chair, be silent.*" G.L. c. 30A, § 20(f). The Open Meeting Law therefore gives discretion to the chair of a public body to determine who may speak or otherwise participate at a meeting and for how long. A public meeting is not the best place to dispute a prior selection or for a firm to advertise their capabilities. The focus should

typically be about the designer selection process, regulations or policies, or anything that benefits the public or design community at large.

Persons wishing to speak at a scheduled meeting are asked, when possible, to submit their request to the DSB office *before* the day of the meeting. During its regularly scheduled biweekly Board meetings, subject to the discretion of the Board chair, the Board makes available a maximum 15-minute period for persons in the audience to address the Board. Participants are limited to no longer than 2 minutes each. Preference will be given to those who submit requests by 1:00 p.m. on the day preceding the regular Wednesday morning meeting. The Chair may limit the number of speakers due to time constraints and may increase or reduce the time allocated per speaker. While comments are welcomed, a response by the chair and/or Board is at their discretion.