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## Department of Environmental Protection

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### PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

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Dear Interested Parties:

MassDEP will hold a public meeting in response to a petition filed by the Town of Dartmouth for Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) to amend or revise certain sections of 310 CMR 16.00 Site Assignment Regulations for Solid Waste Facilities. The petition was submitted on January 10, 2025, pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, § 4 and 310 CMR 2.00. The text of the petition can be seen at: [MassDEP Public Hearings & Comment Opportunities](#)

In accordance with the relevant provisions of 310 CMR 2.00 et seq. (MassDEP's regulations for adopting administrative regulations), after receiving the Town of Dartmouth's petition, MassDEP must hold a public meeting and notify the Town of Dartmouth of MassDEP's actions within 10 days after the meeting. At the meeting, MassDEP will allow time for the Town of Dartmouth to present information about the petition, and as time allows, offer the opportunity for comment by interested parties.

The meeting will be held virtually via Zoom on Monday, March 16, 2026, at 2:00 pm. Please register in advance for this meeting: [MassDEP - Town of Dartmouth Petition - 310 CMR 16.00](#)

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. Interpretation services can be provided for the languages listed above. If you need these services or interpretation services for an additional language or for American Sign Language, please send a request to Deneen Simpson, Director of Environmental Justice, at [deneen.simpson@mass.gov](mailto:deneen.simpson@mass.gov), by 5:00 pm EST on Friday, March 13, 2026. If you have questions about the meeting, please send an email to [greg.cooper@mass.gov](mailto:greg.cooper@mass.gov).