

# THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

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## **OPEN MEETING NOTICE** **MASSACHUSETTS BOARD OF AGRICULTURE**

**Tuesday, February 18, 2020**

**MA Division of Fisheries and Wildlife, Richard Cronin Building, Room 103**

**1 Rabbit Hill Road**

**Westborough, MA 01581**

**10:00 AM**

### **MEETING AGENDA**

1. Start: Call to Order. (10:00am)
2. Attendance. (10:00-10:05am)
3. Minutes Summary: The Board will consider for approval the meeting minutes of 06/24/19. (10:05 – 10:10am)
4. New Business:  
Department Updates: (10:10 – 11:30am)
  - a. Operational Updates – Staffing & Facilities
  - b. Legislative Updates
  - c. EEE Updates
  - d. Labor/SJC Ruling
  - e. Neonics Review Study
  - f. Hemp
  - g. APR Program Updates: Listening Sessions
  - h. Upcoming Events & ToursChair Abrams: (11:15-11:45am)
  - i. Chair Election/Term Updates
  - j. Inheritance Tax Valuation
  - k. Building Codes/Agritourism and Hemp
5. Old Business: (11:45am-11:50am)
6. Other Business (11:50am-11:55am)
7. Date, Time and Location of Next Meeting (11:55am -12:00pm)
8. Adjournment. (12:00pm)