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Sent: Sep 25, 2025 19:56:57.000000000 UTC
Subject: Re: Stoughton BOH Meeting 9/25 (Wednesday)
To: Reilly Ellis <rellis@brooklinema.gov>

At town hall?
Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 22, 2025, at 9:07 AM, Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org> wrote:

Great summary/update. Thanks!
I'll bring a bear, guitar, and one of the "CD's".
And other than that I'll just be there.
Happy to help. We want to do all we can to release awareness
and spread the word.
Thank you!

From: Reilly Ellis <rellis@brooklinema.gov>
Sent: Monday, September 22, 2025 8:30 AM
To: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>
Subject: Re: Stoughton BOH Meeting 9/25 (Wednesday)

Hi Maureen!

The BOH meeting is still on for Thursday evening 6-7pm; I just sent you the calendar invite.

I only have Zyn from some compliance checks as far as products, do if you have anything you would like to bring, that would be great! The vape batteries you showed to everyone at the statewide would be perfect.

No need to bring the flyer, I was going to print packets for everyone, and send PDF's to be shared before the meeting as well.

I will be presenting, and am very grateful for your assistance with Q&A! I have 5 minutes to present, and will be presenting just the background/basics of NFG.

Stoughton is up-to-date for the most part on its regulations; I spoke to Stephanie about some small updates needed as well as nicotine pouches, but they wanted to prioritize NFG for this presentation since it was specifically requested. My plan is, no matter the outcome for NFG, to continue moving forward with at least minimum updates, and advise on nicotine pouch restrictions and other potential additions.

Thank you,
Reilly

Reilly Ellis, MPH

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From: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>
Sent: Sunday, September 21, 2025 9:25 AM

To: Reilly Ellis <rellis@brooklinema.gov>
Subject: RE: Stoughton BOH Meeting 9/25 (Wednesday)

Hi Reilly,
Is the Stoughton BOH meeting still on?
Can I bring anything? Do you have some of the newer products to show as samples? I can bring some.
Do you want me to bring the one-page flyer "Ten Things to Know about NFG"?
What would be most helpful?
I'm assuming you will present and I will be there for Q&A just in case there are any questions about BOH addition. You have the Brookline experience for sure but Brookline did a by-law. Newton did a City Ordinance. Everyone else did BOH reg. No one has done Town Meeting (other than Brookline) and except in Brookline it is not the way to go.
I have not prepared any formal remarks. I can but I was thinking it wouldn't be necessary.
Do you know how much time "we" *meaning you!) have on the agenda?
Has Stoughton already updated their regs to synch with state law?
Are they actively considering nic pouch restrictions or anything else?
I'm assuming your presentation is the intro to NFG...
Meaning very early in the process.
Thanks!
Maureen

From: Reilly Ellis <rellis@brooklinema.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 9, 2025 8:12 AM
To: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>
Subject: Re: Stoughton BOH Meeting 9/25

Good news! Stephanie let me know the BOH meetings have been changed to hybrid now, so we can both go down to Stoughton to present in-person.

Reilly Ellis, MPH

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From: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>

Sent: Monday, September 8, 2025 12:42 PM

To: Reilly Ellis <rellis@brooklinema.gov>

Subject: RE: Stoughton BOH Meeting 9/25

Heading out now but will send you more stuff when I
get back to the office. Stay tuned.

From: Reilly Ellis <rellis@brooklinema.gov>

Sent: Monday, September 8, 2025 12:35 PM

To: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>

Subject: Re: Stoughton BOH Meeting 9/25

Thank you so much for your help!

I was planning to have a PowerPoint, but would be
happy to send along other materials the Board can
review beforehand as well. Currently I only have the
NFG Guide PDF that was released back in January.

Thank you for sharing the flyer/infographic! It looks
great!

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From: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>

Sent: Monday, September 8, 2025 12:29 PM

To: Reilly Ellis <rellis@brooklinema.gov>

Subject: RE: Stoughton BOH Meeting 9/25

That's great! I would love to be on hand.

I had a good long conversation with Stephanie a couple of weeks ago. She and I have a mutual friend – Liz Parsons who is the SAP Director in Wakefield.

Be happy to talk with you before the BOH meeting to catch you up.

Also, are you thinking handouts (sent in advance so Board members have them to refer to) or PowerPoint.

I hate virtual meeting. They are just not as effective but Boards are still doing virtual so we have to roll with it.

We have an excellent flyer that might be helpful. I'll send it to you.

There's the original one-page explanation of NFG and a three-page FAQ – both have been around for a while. Do you have them?

From: Reilly Ellis <rellis@brooklinema.gov>
Sent: Monday, September 8, 2025 12:22 PM
To: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>
Subject: Stoughton BOH Meeting 9/25

Hi Maureen,

Stephanie Patton reached out to confirm that I'm on Stoughton's 9/25 BOH meeting agenda to give a general presentation on NFG, and I would love for you be there if you're available. The meeting starts at 6pm over Zoom.

I would also love to hear any advice you have for me, or even schedule a meeting over the next few weeks to chat.

Thank you so much!
Reilly

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