

**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING 2010 – TIME-LINE**  
**APRIL 26, 2010 @ 7:30 P.M.**

**LOCATION: *Canton High School, Morse Auditorium, 900 Washington Street, Canton, MA***

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November 10, 2009 –

1. BOS Vote to open warrant for 2010 Annual Town Meeting for **zoning articles** effective Friday, 11/27/09 and close warrant for zoning articles on Friday, 12/11/09 @ 12 noon. (not less than **120 days prior to start of ATM**).
2. BOS Vote to open warrant for **non-zoning** articles effective Thursday 12/17/09 and close warrant for non-zoning articles on Monday, 1/4/10 @ 12 noon. (not less than **90 days prior to start of ATM**).

December 21, 2009 (Monday) – Board of Selectmen submits proposed zoning by-law amendments to the Planning Board.

January 4, 2010 (Monday) @ 12 noon – warrant closes for **non-zoning** articles (not less than **90 days prior to the start of ATM**).

January 4, 2010 to February 24, 2010 – Planning Board Public Hearing(s).

January 15, 2010 (Friday) – Draft ATM Warrant to be sent to Town Counsel for review.

February 2, 2010 (Tuesday) – BOS vote to approve Annual Town Meeting Warrant and execute same.

February 3, 2010 (Wednesday) – Approved Warrant to be sent to the Finance Committee.

February 22, 2010 (Monday) – ATM Warrant must be posted by today (not less than **60 days prior to the start of ATM**).

March 10, 2010 (Wednesday) @ 5 p.m. Deadline for municipal employment contracts for ATM (Not less than **45 days prior to the start of ATM**).

March 11, 2010 (Thursday) – Deadline for Board of Selectmen warrant recommendations to be submitted to the Department of Finance.

March 11, 2010 (Thursday) – Deadline for submission of **Planning Board draft motions**, and **Finance Committee draft motions, to Town Counsel**.

March 26, 2010 (Friday) – Warrant with recommendations and motions to be sent to the printer for publication.

April 12, 2010 (Monday) – Warrant w/Finance Committee, Board of Selectmen, and Planning Board recommendations to be delivered to citizens by today (**14 days prior to start of ATM**).

April 26, 2010 (Monday) – First Session of ATM – 7:30 p.m.