



City of Somerville Job Creation & Retention Trust

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Notice of Meeting & Meeting Agenda

Date & Time: April 16, 2026, 6:30 pm

On March 28, 2025, Governor Healey signed into law a bill which extends the temporary provisions pertaining to the Open Meeting Law to June 30, 2027. Specifically, this further extension allows public bodies to continue holding meetings remotely without a quorum of the public body physically present at a meeting location, and to provide "adequate, alternative" access to remote meetings. The language does not make any substantive changes to the Open Meeting Law other than extending the expiration date of the temporary provisions regarding remote meetings from March 31, 2025 to June 30, 2027.

This meeting will be held remotely via Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86944479894?pwd=EHYpauG2wCXhIBjYiVnBaejv3hKb9P.1>

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Agenda Items

1. Labor Market Information Presentation by MassHire Metro North Workforce Board
2. Review and approval of past meeting minutes
 - a. Vote to approve March 19th meeting minutes
3. Review Received and Estimated Linkage Fees for 2026
4. Updates on Active Programs and Upcoming Programs
5. Volunteers for 2027 RFP Subcommittee
6. Review draft schedule for upcoming meeting topics and next request for proposals (RFP)
7. Adjournment

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