

Wrentham Voter Guide

Election Day is Monday, April 6, 2026



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About the Wrentham Voter Guide

Local elections, those that matter most, exert direct effects on our day-to-day lives because local officials' decisions affect our schools, roads, public safety, and local businesses. Your votes in local elections give you a say in who makes decisions that affect you and let your voice be heard.

The Wrentham Voter Guide (WVG) is designed to help you, as a voter, make informed decisions because lack of information about candidates and the positions they hope to fill are among the primary reasons that voters do not turn out at local elections.

We reached out to every candidate who filed to run as a candidate and to those we learned are "write-in" candidates for the April 6, 2026 election, and requested the following information:

- 1 - 2 sentence statement about why he or she is running for office
- 100 - 150-word bio
- Photo
- Website, social media channels and LinkedIn profile if available

Note the Guide will only accept write-in candidate profiles up until seven days before our Annual Town Election.

Every candidate responded to our inquiries, which enabled us to share the information they provided.

We hope that this information, available in PDF format and on the web, will help you make informed votes and that you will share it with your friends and neighbors, encouraging them to vote.

Your vote makes a difference because it puts you, the voter, in the driver's seat.

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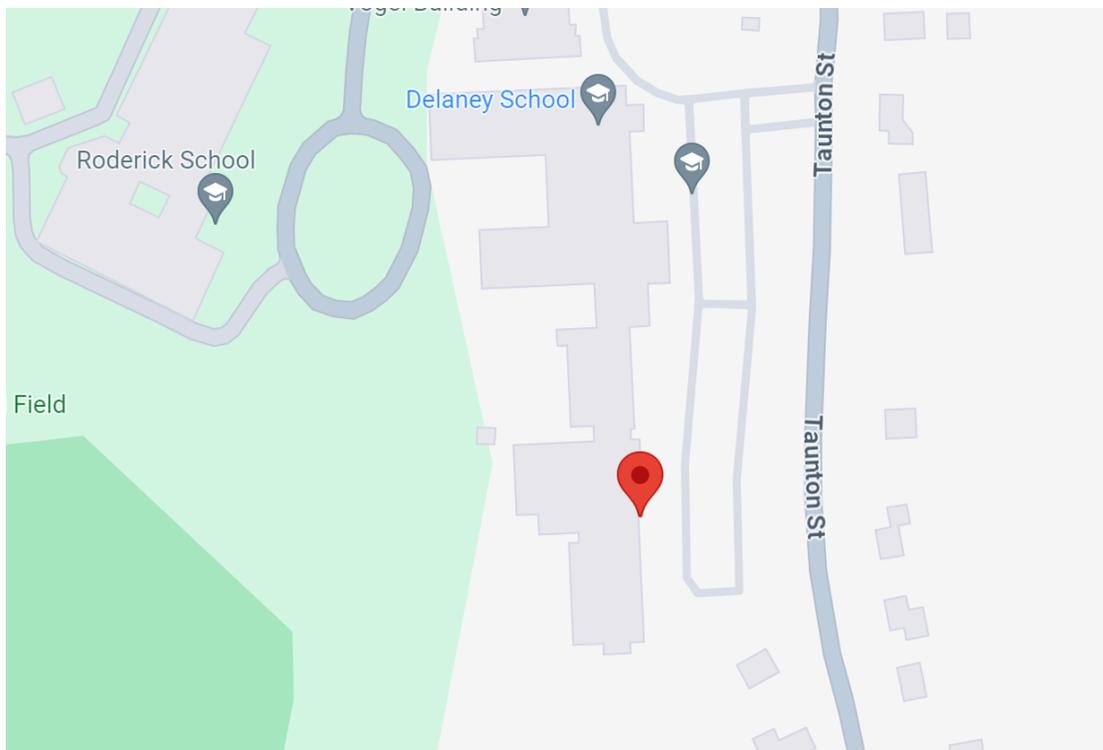
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Annual Town Election

Wrentham's Annual Town Election will be held on Monday, April 6, 2026 at the Delaney Elementary School, 120 Taunton Street.

Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.



Voter registration is open now, so go register to vote! The last day to register to vote will be Friday, March 27, 2026. The Town Clerk's office will hold a voter registration on Friday, March 27th, at the Fiske Public Library (110 Randall Road), from 9 am to 5 pm.

Note that absentee ballots are available at the Town Clerk's office.

Open Seats

- Board of Assessors - 3-year term - 1 opening
- Board of Health - 3-year term - 1 opening
- Fiske Library Board of Trustees - 3-year term - 2 openings
- KP Regional School Committee - 3 year term - 1 opening
- Planning Board - 3-year term - 2 openings
- Select Board - 3-year term - 1 opening
- Wrentham Elementary School Committee - 3-year term - 2 openings

Wrentham Community Media Candidate Profiles



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Board of Assessors

3-year term - 1 opening, 1 candidate

The Board of Assessors consists of three members, each elected for 3-year staggered terms.

The Board of Assessors is responsible for assessing the value of all real and personal property within the Town of Wrentham. The Board of Assessors works to ensure that property is assessed at fair market value, and that taxes are levied uniformly and equitably. "The Assessor's responsibilities include the ongoing updating of our detailed parcel database via cyclical permit and sales inspections, processing motor vehicle excise tax abatements, personal exemptions, property abatements, chapter land, preparing abutters lists, name and address changes, updating parcel maps and GIS systems on a yearly basis, providing a public access terminal and providing parcel data to those who inquire" ([Board of Assessors, Town of Wrentham](#)).

Candidates:

[Edward F. O'Neil](#) (write-in)

Edward F. O'Neil

Write-in:

105 Beach Street

Why are you running?

I am running for the Board of Assessors to continue to offer my services to the town.

Bio

My professional experience consists of over 30 years in municipal government in finance, valuation and property taxation.

A combination of appointed and elected positions have given me unique perspectives in local governments.

We currently are a third generation family in town and fully support careful and fiscally responsible governance.

Board of Health

3-year term - 1 opening, 1 candidate

Wrentham's Board of Health consists of three members; members are elected for 3-year staggered terms.

The Board of Health (BoH) has a number of responsibilities related to protecting and promoting public health in town. In Wrentham, the BoH is responsible for "...protecting groundwater from contamination, protecting private and public water supplies, ... enforcing DEP regulations on the disposal of wastewater (Title 5), enforcing EPA/DEP regulations on preventing pollution from air, water, solid waste and toxic wastes, enforcing regulations to control noise pollution and so on" ([Board of Health, Town of Wrentham](#)).

Additional duties may include:

- Inspecting food service establishments;
- Investigating public health complaints;
- Promoting public health education;
- Monitoring communicable diseases.

Candidates:

[Sara C. Shaw](#)

Sara C. Shaw

Why are you running?

I believe in using facts and common sense to find solutions. That is what I hope to do as a member of the Board of Health.

Bio

My name is Sara Shaw, and I am running for an open seat on the Board of Health. I am a Medical Laboratory Scientist with 30-plus years of experience working in clinical labs at hospitals across the country. I came to Wrentham five years ago because I liked the town's rural character and affordability. I enjoy the open spaces and parks here, and I would like to see them preserved. I have always been interested in matters of public health and the environment. I have been a volunteer for several years, participating in beach clean-ups and invasive species removal in the local communities. I believe community service to be very important. When the opportunity arose to be on the Board of Health, I wanted to run.

I kindly ask for your vote.

Fiske Library

Board of Trustees

3-year term - 2 openings, 2 candidates

The Fiske Library Board of Trustees consists of six members, each elected for 3-year staggered terms.

The Trustees have custody of, and manage, the library and all property of the town related to the library. All funds and property that the town may receive by gift or bequest for library support or maintenance is administered by the Board in accordance with the gift or bequest. The Board of Trustees, subject to terms of the town charter, has all the other powers and duties given to the boards of library trustees under the constitution and laws and other powers authorized by the Town Charter, by-law, or other town meeting vote.

Candidates:

3-year Term

[Honora E. Raiville](#) (incumbent, Chair)

[Diane “Dyan” G. Rook](#) (incumbent, Vice Chair)

Honora E. Rainville

Why are you running?

As I believe the library to be an integral part of the town, it is important to give back in order for our town to flourish. I believe the library is an important source of information for our entire community would like to continue to advocate for the necessary resources for our community.



Bio

I am finishing the 4th year as a trustee at Fiske Public Library. I have been the Chairperson since October 2023.

I have been a resident of Wrentham for close to 51 years. During that time I was a member of The Holly Club for 45 years, served/volunteered in various capacities for town organizations including, PTO, Wrentham Elementary School Committee and the Wrentham Food Pantry in addition to the Fiske Public Library Board of Library Trustees.

I have a Master's degree in Mathematics and taught for over 20 years. In retirement I enjoyed walking a 500 mile pilgrimage from France through Spain. I also enjoy traveling, stone carving, painting, reading and knitting.

I have enjoyed my time as a Fiske Public Library Trustee and would like to continue to serve in that capacity to give back to the town. I would appreciate your vote on April 6, 2026.

Diane “Dyan” G. Rook

Why are you running?

As a trustee I remain committed to keeping the library relevant and inclusive. I will be an advocate for adequate funding for services, personnel and increased hours: due to budgeting issues we have lost a librarian in the elementary schools so we will need to provide services that may have been lost.

Bio

My husband and I moved to Wrentham 46 years ago. When I retired after 34 years of teaching art in public schools, I decided that it was time to give back to our community.

I ran for the position of library trustee and have enjoyed serving on the board since. Libraries have always been an enjoyable and necessary part of my life. I worked in libraries throughout high school and college and later as a research assistant in the library of the Brookings Institution in Washington, DC. I have witnessed how libraries have become more than just a repository for books. I believe that the library is and should be a community center for a wide range of multi-generational opportunities, both educational and recreational. At the Fiske we offer a multitude of services. You can renew your passport, borrow a metal detector from the Library of Things, take a yoga class, enjoy children and adult programs and much more.

Website

If you haven't been to the library in a while, come check out a book and see what the Fiske has to offer: <https://fiskelib.org>



King Philip Regional School Committee

3-year term - 1 openings, 1 candidate

KP Regional School Committee consists of nine members, three members from each town. The third member for each community is a member of the elementary school committee and is elected by the elementary school committee to a one-year term; they serve on both committees for that year.

The KP Regional School Committee is responsible for overseeing the operation of public schools within a regional school district and is comprised of elected representatives from each member town. Specific duties include: developing and approving policies; hiring and supervising the superintendent; developing and approving the budget for the district; negotiating contracts with teachers and staff members; overseeing capital projects such as the construction or renovation of school buildings; monitoring student achievement and taking steps to improve student outcomes; and communicating the performance of the schools within the district to the community.

Candidates:

[Veronica M. Gonzalez](#)

Veronica M. Gonzalez

Why are you running?

After six years serving on the Wrentham Elementary School Committee, I am running for the King Philip School Committee to continue supporting our students as they advance through the district. With three children now in the KP system and deep roots in our community,



I am eager to bring my experience, perspective, and commitment to the broader district.

Bio

As a member of the Wrentham Elementary School Committee, I have worked on budget oversight, contract negotiations, and the MSBA-supported feasibility process for the proposed new Roderick Elementary School. As a former elementary school teacher and the parent of three children in the KP district, I understand both the opportunities and the challenges facing our schools. The impact of cell phones and social media on the school day is something we must thoughtfully address together, as a community, in ways that support focus, learning, and healthy development. We must also work collaboratively to improve attendance and ensure our schools remain safe, secure, and welcoming. I believe that by partnering with families, educators, and community leaders, we can strengthen KP's culture, support student success, and ensure our district remains a competitive and desirable choice for local families.

Planning Board

3-year term - 2 openings, 2 candidates

Wrentham's Planning Board consists of seven members; members are elected for 3-year staggered terms.

Wrentham's Planning Board is responsible for managing the growth and development of the town through the implementation of the Wrentham Zoning Bylaws. Some of the specific responsibilities of the Planning Board include: reviewing and approving subdivision plans; reviewing and making recommendations on zoning bylaw amendments; Issuing special permits for certain land use projects; site plan review; long-range planning, and public outreach.

Candidates:

[Robert S. English](#) (incumbent, Clerk)

[Charles "Chuck" G. Woodhams, Jr.](#) (incumbent, Vice Chair)

Robert S. English

Why are you running?

I believe that my 48 years of professional work in the chemical industry, and 36 of those years founding and running my own wholesale distribution business that employed area residents puts me in a unique position to serve constructively on the Wrentham Planning Board. I recognize that we need appropriate development to continue to thrive as a community, but that development cannot be such that it outruns our infrastructure and long-term objectives as a community.

Bio

We moved our family to Wrentham from Franklin 28 years ago as Franklin's growth run wild. We moved to Wrentham because of the character of the community; we have beautiful open spaces, farms, and lakeside living that has defined our town for 350 years. I'm no stranger to volunteer service and take the responsibility seriously. If elected, I will continue to immerse myself in the planning board duties and by-laws and I will work hard to be a contributing member of the Planning Board. I am not a rubber stamp and will work to the compliance with our regulations and sensible growth for our community. I want to help and give back to the community that has given my family so many great things.

Wrentham Planning Board:

- Elected to PB 2022 Serving as clerk the last year.
- Worked to settle challenges and community of the MBTA by-law compliance
- Will work to continue to carefully evaluate all projects before us and to hear all sides of the proposal and opposition (if any) before taking decisions.

Charles “Chuck” G. Woodhams, Jr.

Why are you running?

I'm running for reelection because I think the board as currently composed is a good group that keeps the best interests of residents first and foremost in our minds. We try to strike a balance between the need for reasonable commercial development and the wellbeing of residents. My goal is to try to guide the inevitable development of the town in a direction that best serves the residents, who ultimately have to live with whatever is left behind. There are some key areas that I believe will be developed in the next several years that will set the tone for the vision of the town, and I want to be part of the process to encourage the very best projects we can. While we do have a good board the membership is all still relatively new (all members except Rob English and myself are still in their first terms) so I believe my cumulative 13 years on the board offer a perspective that can help shape our efforts in a positive way.

Select Board

3-year term - 1 openings, 1 candidate

Wrentham is governed by a five-member Select Board; members are elected for 3-year staggered terms.

The Select Board are the town's Chief Elected Officials. They have general supervision over all matters not specifically delegated by law or vote of the Town Meeting to another officer or board. The Select Board is responsible for hiring and supervising Town Administrator; setting policy and goals for the town, which are then implemented by the town administrator and other town officials; collective bargaining, serving as a licensing authority; and appointing community members to boards and committees.

Candidates:

[Michelle M. Rouse](#) (incumbent, Vice Chair)

Michelle M. Rouse

Why are you running?

I am running for my second term on the Select Board to continue building a healthy, strong, and thriving Wrentham rooted in mutual respect and community collaboration. Together we've made sound fiscal decisions, supported local businesses, strengthened town services, and education. I will continue to lead with integrity, courage, and a commitment to Wrentham's long-term well-being.



Bio

I have lived in Wrentham for 28 years with my husband, Tim, where we raised our three children, all of whom attended Wrentham Public Schools and participated in town sports and community programs. Our oldest son is a United States Navy officer, our eldest daughter works in public relations, and our youngest daughter is a nurse.

My commitment to Wrentham spans decades of public service. I previously served as Vice Chair of the Wrentham Housing Board, participated in multiple town management and superintendent search committees, and spent eight years on the Wrentham School Committee. I was a founding member of the Wrentham Elementary School Trust.

For the past three years, I have served on the Select Board and currently sit on the Roderick School Building Committee. My experience reflects a long-standing commitment to thoughtful leadership, collaboration, and service to the Wrentham community.

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Wrentham Elementary School Committee

3-year term - 2 openings, 3 candidates

Wrentham Elementary School Committee consists of five members; members are elected for 3-year staggered terms.

The school committee has the power to select and to terminate the superintendent; is responsible for reviewing and approving budgets for public education in the district; overseeing capital projects such as the construction or renovation of school buildings; and establishing educational goals and policies for the schools in the district that are consistent with statewide goals and standards established by the board of education.

Candidates:

[Cynthia A. Fuller](#) (incumbent)

[Lawrence A. Greene](#)

[Rebecka Dawn Webber](#)

Cynthia A. Fuller

Why are you running?

I am running for reelection to continue the work that has been started, to have consistency on the committee, to help this wonderful school district keep moving forward for the betterment of the students as well as the staff, parents, and community, and to give back to the town that I have called home for my entire life. I have and will continue to keep students' best interests at the heart of all discussions. My past experiences, my knowledge, my expertise, and the willingness to support all aspects of the district, make me the best choice for reelection to the School Committee.



Bio

I am a lifelong resident of Wrentham. I attended Wrentham Public Schools as a student, as did my daughter. I have been on two town building committees for the additions to the Delaney School. With my experience on the two building committees, I feel I will be of value as they move forward with the Roderick School building project.

I taught at Wrentham Elementary School for 35 years, and I held many leadership roles. During my tenure in Wrentham, I worked tirelessly to support the Vision and Mission Statements of the Wrentham Public Schools.

In the time that I have been on the Committee, I have collaborated with the other members, keeping the students' best interests at the forefront of all discussions. I have participated in subcommittees, going to meetings and reporting back to the committee. The expertise I have from being a teacher, and working in the Wrentham Public Schools for the entirety of my career is an asset to the School Committee.

Social Media: www.facebook.com/cindy.fuller.7/

Lawrence A. Greene

Why are you running?

I'm running for school committee to put my skills as a financial advisor to work for the community where my roots run three generations deep. The school committee carries serious responsibilities - managing taxpayer money wisely, ensuring legal compliance, and advocating for fairer funding from Beacon Hill. As a fiduciary, my entire career has focused on putting the people I serve first, that's exactly what I'll bring to the school committee and the education of our children.



Bio

Larry and his wife Becky Greene (Becky Mure to many in Wrentham) moved here in 2016 with their 2 year old, Kennedy, back to the town where Becky was born and raised. Since then, they have added Molly in 2017 and Delaney in 2021. The Greenes love the outdoors and you will often find Larry on the softball field in the spring, coaching his girls and their friends-the highlight of his season! He has been a volunteer and active presence in the schools since 2019, and last year his fellow parents elected him to serve on the school council. Larry is the lead financial advisor of a wealth management practice, a fiduciary, and a proud Wrentham dad and husband who is deeply committed to this community and the kids who grow up here.

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Rebecka Dawn Webber

Why are you running?

The past eight years I have spent raising babies and have not had much time to dedicate to the community. Now that my children are starting their journey into the WPS system I have the ability to give back and I would be honored to be giving back to one of Wrentham's greatest treasures, our kids. I am hopeful that joining the school committee will allow me to help continue to bring a voice of transparency for our community's values to ensure the best possible foundation for our kids to flourish.



Bio

My name is Rebecka Webber and I am running for a seat on the Wrentham Elementary School Committee. I am a mom to two magnificent little kids who attend Delaney; one in kindergarten and one in second grade. Since my husband grew up in Wrentham, we decided to make it home once again in 2016 after his transfer from the Air Force. When we first moved back, I worked as an assistant in a local childcare center and absolutely loved watching them grow and discover. When we had plans to start our own family, plans shifted and I began working as an office manager for my husband's family company and later added the full time job of motherhood. We are rooted in this community, and like many others, would like to continue to see Wrentham be a great place to raise a family.

About Write-In Candidates

A write-in candidate is not listed on the official ballot but asks voters to write their full name and address in the blank space provided for a particular office. Voters must physically write the name of the candidate and his or her address on the ballot rather than selecting a pre-printed name. Often, candidates will provide stickers with their names and addresses for voters to apply to a ballot.

A candidate who chooses to run for office as a write-in or sticker candidate should alert the town clerk in writing of his or her intent.

According to the Massachusetts' Secretary of State guide "How to run as a Write-In Candidate" "...if a voter misspells [the candidate's] name or address, the vote can still be counted, as long as the election worker can figure out the voter's intent" ([How to Run as a Write-In Candidate, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts](#)).

A write-in or sticker candidate must receive the highest number of votes in a contested or uncontested race to win the seat.