

**Sharon Governance Study Committee  
Subcommittee on Town Meeting**

Minutes of meeting held October 13, 2021, at 7 p.m.

**Attendance**

The subcommittee held its first meeting, an organizational session, via Zoom. All six members were present:

- Peg Arguimbau
- Robert Carver
- Keevin Geller
- Matthew Keenan
- Ganesh Rangarajan
- Maureen Silverleib

**Mission**

The subcommittee reviewed the subjects it is charged with studying. They are:

- Three forms of town government: open town meeting, representative town meeting and town council.
- Using technology or other innovations to enhance voter participation and improve voter experience.
- The timing of town elections and town meetings.

Members of the committee spoke about their expectations and goals for the upcoming work.

**Election of chair**

The subcommittee members selected Mr. Keenan as chair.

**Upcoming meetings**

The members discussed the upcoming meeting schedule. They stated their desire to hear from numerous other communities regarding their governing structures.

The subcommittee is slated to hear a presentation by Mark Hogan, the Sharon town clerk, on Nov. 3.