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Finance Committee FY25 Public Hearing and

Finance Committee and Selectboard Joint FY25 Budget Meeting #5

Via Zoom and in person At 334 Main Street Great Barrington MA

Order of Agenda for Wednesday, February 28, 2024, at 6:00 PM

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86175484074>

Webinar ID: 861 7548 4074

Dial-in, audio-only: (929) 205 6099

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1. **Call to Order by the Finance Committee**
2. **FY25 Public Hearing conducted by Finance Committee on Proposed FY2025 Budget**
 - a. **Public Input**
 - b. **Close the Public Hearing**
3. **Call to Order the Finance Committee and Selectboard Meeting in Joint Session**
 - a. **Review and vote on the FY25 proposed budget.**
4. **Citizen Speak Time**
 - a. *Citizen Speak Time is an opportunity for the Selectboard and the Finance Committee to listen to residents. Topics of particular concern or importance may be placed on a future agenda for discussion. This time is reserved for town residents only unless otherwise permitted by the chair, and speakers are limited to 3 minutes each.*
5. **Media Time**
6. **Adjournment**

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