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## TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON MASSACHUSETTS

OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER  
Selectboard Special Meeting via Zoom  
Order of Agenda for Friday, August 27, 2021, at 5:00 PM

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\*\*\*\*\*ALL VOTES ARE ROLL CALL\*\*\*\*\*

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. CITIZEN SPEAK TIME
3. CONVENE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION (and will not return to open session)
  - a. Executive Session under MGL Ch 30A, sec. 21(a) for the following purpose: (3) To discuss strategy with respect to litigation, specifically to deliberate regarding a grievance filed by MASS C.O.P. Local 350 on behalf of the Police Department for holiday pay.
    - i. Motion: Move that the Board meet in executive session pursuant to MGL Ch. 30A sec. 21(a) for the following purpose: (3) To discuss strategy with respect to litigation regarding a grievance filed by MASS C.O.P. Local 350 on behalf of the Police Department regarding holiday pay because an open discussion may have a detrimental effect on the litigation position of the Board.
    - ii. Roll Call Vote
4. ADJOURNMENT

### NEXT SELECTBOARD MEETING

Selectboard Meeting September 13, 2021

Selectboard Meeting September 27, 2021

Selectboard Meeting October 4, 2021

Selectboard Meeting October 25, 2021

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