

MOHAWK TRAIL WOODLANDS PARTNERSHIP
Forest-Based Economic Development and Conservation

MEETING NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
of the
Mohawk Trail Woodlands Partnership
on Thursday, September 23, 2021 at **2 p.m.**

This will be a **Virtual Meeting** as allowed by “An Act Extending Certain COVID-19 Measures Adopted During the State of Emergency,” signed into law by Massachusetts Gov. Charlie Baker on June 16, 2021 extending until April 1, 2022 remote meeting provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c.30 sec.20.

Members of the public are welcome. Please RSVP to Lisa Hayden to request a Zoom link to attend by emailing: lhayden@newenglandforestry.org

Agenda

1. Approve Minutes of Aug. 24, 2021 Ex. Committee
2. Discuss proposal from Municipal Financial Sustainability Committee for MTWP Board to review “inadequate and inequitable” Payment in Lieu of Taxes formula to municipalities for state-owned and other tax-exempt land
3. Invitation to local legislators for upcoming meeting
4. Review plans for upcoming events: a) Invitations to Sept. 28 MTWP grants webinar; b) Dec. EOR Committee Oak resilience program
5. Williams College student project for Forest Center needs assessment underway
6. Partnership Plan revision process
7. Schedule next Executive Committee meeting(s)
8. Other Items not anticipated within 48 hours of agenda posting
9. Public comment
10. Adjournment

Committee members: Board Chair Henry Art, Joe Nowak, Robert O’Connor, Whit Sanford, Mark Buccowich (ex-officio)