



**GROTON 2026 SPRING
TOWN MEETING AND ELECTION CALENDAR**
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Event	Date	Time	Citation
Nomination papers for Annual Town Election available	Monday, January 5	8:00am	---
2026 Spring Town Meeting Warrant Opens	Tuesday, January 13	8:00am	As voted on by SB
2026 Spring Town Meeting Warrant Closes	Friday, February 20	1:00pm	As voted on by SB
Last day to submit nomination papers for the Annual Town Election to the Board of Registrars	Tuesday, March 31	5:00pm	MGL c.53 §7,10
Last day to object to nominations and for candidates to file a notarized withdrawal with Town Clerk	Thursday, April 16	5:00pm	MGL c.55B §7
Last day to register to vote for 2026 Spring Town Meeting	Wednesday, April 22	5:00pm	MGL c.51 §26,27
Last day to post warrant for Annual Town Meeting and Annual Town Election (if using a single warrant)	Saturday, April 25	9:00am	MGL c.39 §9,10 Groton Charter 2-6
2026 Spring Town Meeting	Saturday, May 2	9:00am	Groton Ch. 81
Last day to register to vote for 2026 Annual Town Election	Saturday, May 9	5:00pm	MGL c.51 §26,27
Pre-election campaign finance reports due	Monday, May 11	4:00pm	MGL c.55
Last day to file Vote-by-Mail application for Annual Town Election	Tuesday, May 12	5:00pm	MGL c.54 §89
Last day to file in person absentee ballot application for Annual Town Election	Monday, May 18	12:00pm	MGL c.54 §89
Annual Town Election	Tuesday, May 19	7:00am-8:00pm	Groton Ch. 81
Post-election campaign finance reports due	Thursday, June 18	4:00pm	MGL c.55