TOWN OF SUDBURY

SELECT BOARD MISSION STATEMENT AND VALUES

Select Board Mission Statement:

The Select Board, as the chief policy making body for the Town of Sudbury, Massachusetts, will maximize and ensure the quality of life and well-being of Sudbury residents, today and in the future. To accomplish this, the Select Board shall set strategic direction, appoint certain boards, establish policies, and develop goals that deliver the highest quality municipal services in a fiscally responsible manner to the community that it serves and advance its values. The Select Board relies upon the Town Administration, volunteers, residents, and other stakeholders to implement the policies and initiatives while promoting an atmosphere of mutual respect, collaboration, and inclusion.

Select Board Values:

- Protect and enhance the professionalism of the Town's staff, boards, and committees.
- Foster respectful civic engagement; promote transparency and effective communications.
- Protect and promote a climate of acceptance, equity, inclusion and belonging.
- Encourage responsible long-term capital management and strategic planning to support, maintain, and enhance Town infrastructure and services.
- Protect and enhance educational excellence.
- Ensure equitable access to Sudbury facilities, programs, information, and services.
- Promote and ensure public health and safety within the community.
- Protect and enhance Sudbury's fiscal health and financial stability.
- Protect and enhance the unique sense of place offered by the Town.
- Encourage and pursue a wide range of housing options that accommodate the diverse needs of individuals across age and socio-economic demographics.
- Promote access to transportation options and advocate for bicycle and pedestrian alternative travel.
- Promote and enhance Sudbury's environmental resources and sustainability.

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