

TOWN OF IPSWICH: Boards, Committees & Commissions
Updated: 6/30/2023

<u>Boards and Committees</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Appointed By</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
Action, Inc. (1 Member/1 year) *Independent Regional Board/Organization	VACANCY	Town Manager	6/30/2023
Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board (5 Members/2 Years)	Michael Jones	Select Board	6/30/2024
	James Warner (Chair)	Select Board/IHP Rep	6/30/2025
	Binni Hackett	Select Board/IHP Rep	6/30/2024
	Sarah Player	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Michael Schaaf	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Agricultural Commission (5 members, three year terms) 2 members for 3 year 2 members for 2 years, and 3 years thereafter 1 member for 1 year, and 3 years thereafter Three alternates may be appointed for one year terms	Royce Knowlton	Select Board	6/30/2023
	Norm Swanson	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Shendel Bakal	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Jay Stanbury	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Donald Galicki	Select Board	6/30/2022
Alternates	Charlotte Kahn	Select Board	6/30/2023
3 Alternates/1 Year	VACANCY	Select Board	
	VACANCY	Select Board	
Architectural Preservation District Commission (5 Members/3 Years, up to 2 Alternates/3 Years (changed from seven to five members)	Henri (Joe) Bourneuf	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Christopher Morse	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Nancy Carlisle	Select Board	6/30/2023
	Peter Bubriski	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Susan Hill Dolan	Select Board	6/30/2025
Alternate Member:	Dwight M. Thompson	Select Board	6/30/2025
	George Mathey	Select Board	6/30/2025

Audit Committee
(5 Members/3 Years)

Michael S. Dougherty	Select Board	6/30/2024
Walter Hartford	Select Board	6/30/2023
VACANCY	Select Board	6/30/2021
Larry Pszenney	Select Board	6/30/2026
James Kelley	Select Board	6/20/2026

Bay Circuit Trail Committee
(7 Members/3 Years)

no reappointment required per AMarino 4/29/2022
*chair updated member list 12/29/2022

Lawrence G. Eliot (Chair)	Town Manager	6/30/2021
Martha Mauser	Town Manager	6/30/2021
Ed Murphy, Chair	Town Manager	6/30/2020
Ralph Williams	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Dwight Thompson	Town Manager	6/30/2022
Alan Goren	Town Manager	6/30/2023
Rick Ostberg	Town Manager	6/30/2021
Joel Hariton	Town Manager	6/30/2023

Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Board
(5 Citizen Members/3 year terms)

Chris Chapman	Select Board	6/30/2025
Brian Hone	Select Board	6/30/2026
Jennifer Perry	Select Board	6/30/2025
Rev. Adam Randazzo	Select Board	6/30/2026
William Whitmore	Select Board	6/30/2025
Bob Tragert	Select Board	6/30/2025
Mitchell Lowe, Planning Board Rep	Select Board	6/30/2025
Officer Dave More, Police Rep	Select Board	6/30/2025
Public Works Rep	Select Board	
Michael S. Dougherty	Select Board	6/30/2024

Board of Assessors
(3 Members/3 Years)

Nancy Papows	Town Manager	6/30/2025
David Feldman	Town Manager	8/19/2024
Mary-Louise Ireland (Ex Officio)	N/A	

Board of Health
(3 Members/3 Years)
Includes (1) MD

Susan C. Hubbard (Chair)	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Susan Boreri, MD	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Amanda Donovan	Town Manager	6/30/2026

Cemetery & Parks Commission
(3 members/3 Years)

James Graffum	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Sean Cronin	Town Manager	6/30/2026
Theodore Lemieux	Town Manager	6/30/2026
Alternate Harry Argeropoulos	Town Manager	

Climate Resiliency Committee

	Town Manager	None
Carl Nysten	Town Manager	None
Frank Ventimiglia	Town Manager	None
Chris Rais	Town Manager	None
VACANCY	Town Manager	None
Mike Johnson	Town Manager	None
Carolyn Britt	Town Manager	None
Michele Hunton	Town Manager	None
Rebecca Love	Town Manager	None
James Donovan	Town Manager	None
Carl Nysten	Town Manager	None
Pat Kneedler		None
Jon Blair	Town Manager	None

Conservation Commission
(7 Members/3 Years)
Confirmed by SB

James Stone	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Jennifer Hughes (Chair)	Town Manager	6/30/2024
William "Will" Paulitz	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Sissy ffolliott	Town Manager	6/30/2025
John (Jack) Stone	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Catherine Carney-Feldman	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Raymond Putnam	Town Manager	6/30/2026
Jenna Pirrotta (Ex Officio)	N/A	
Associate: VACANCY	Town Manager	

Council On Aging
(7 Members/3 Years)

Nancy C. Warner	Select Board	6/30/2026
Lillian Reilly	Select Board	6/30/2025
Stephen Veiga	Select Board	6/30/2025
Rita Badami	Select Board	6/30/2025
Shirley Berry	Select Board	6/30/2023
Keith Carlson	Select Board	6/30/2024
Lorraine Laddin	Select Board	6/30/2024
Alternate Anthony Klos	Select Board	6/30/2023
Alternate Martha Frost	Select Board	6/30/2023

Cultural Council
(11 Members/3 Years/2 Consecutive Term Limit)

Sandra Cohen	Select Board	6/30/2024
Michele McGrath	Select Board	6/30/2024
Daniel Kelly	Select Board	6/30/2026
VACANCY	Select Board	6/30/2022
Evan Smith	Select Board	6/30/2025
Alan Thibeault	Select Board	6/30/2026
VACANCY	Select Board	6/30/2024
VACANCY	Select Board	6/30/2024
Cynthia August	Select Board	6/30/2026
Sarah Everston	Select Board	6/30/2023
Leslie Hamilton-Tragert	Select Board	6/30/2022

Cycle Safe Task Force
Unlimited members with 1 SB Rep

Christopher Chapman	Select Board	None
Melanie Conant	Select Board	None
Gordon Harris	Select Board	None
Mitchell Lowe	Select Board	None
Adam Green	Select Board	None
Emily Marcus	Select Board	None
Linda Murphy	Select Board	None
David Benedix	Select Board	None
Deborah Logan	Select Board	None
Jennifer Perry	Select Board	None
Brian Hone	Select Board	None
William Whitmore	Select Board	None
Christopher Fauske	Select Board	None

Design Review Board (5 Members/3 Years)	Laura Gresh	Select Board	6/30/2024
	VACANCY	Select Board	6/30/2021
	Linda Riley	Select Board	6/30/2023
	Scott Finlay	Historic Commission	2025
	Rue Sherwood	Select Board	6/30/2023
Alternate Members: (2 Alternates/3 Years)	John Sarni	Select Board	6/30/2024
	VACANCY	Select Board	6/30/2022
Eastern Essex District Dept. of Veterans Services	Linda Alexson	Select Board	6/30/2024
Eight Towns & the Great Marsh Coalition (2 Representatives/3 Years/Regional) *Independent Regional Board	James McCambridge	Select Board	6/30/2023
	Jennifer Hughes	Select Board	6/30/2023
Electric Light Sub-Committee (7 Members/3 Years)	Charles Surpitski	Select Board	6/30/2024
Including: (2) Board of Select Board Representatives (1) Finance Committee Representative	Sarah Player	Select Board	6/30/2024
	William Craft	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Michael Schaaf	BOS/Fin. Com. Rep	6/30/2025
	James Engel	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Whitney Hatch	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Edward "Ted" Dillon	Select Board	6/30/2026
Feoffees of the Grammar School in the Town of Ipswich Trust (7 members/3 Years)	Patricia Beckwith	Life Feoffees	8/12/2020*
	Dick Fates	School Committee	
	Nat Pulsifer	Finance Committee	4/30/2021
	Larry Seidler	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Mark Evans	Finance Committee	1/14/2023
	Michael Feldman	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Walter Zagrobski	School Committee	

Finance Committee
(9 Members/3 Years)

Michael J. Schaaf	Select Board	6/30/2024
Joseph Bourque	Select Board	6/30/2025
VACANCY	Select Board	6/30/2023
Ken Swenson	Moderator	6/30/2024
Jamie M. Fay	Moderator	2026
Emilie M. Smith	Moderator	5/31/2025
Leah Crespi	Town Meeting	5/31/2026
Robert A. White	Town Meeting	5/31/2024
Walter Hartford (Vice)	Town Meeting	5/31/2025

Government Study Committee

(9 Members/3 Years)
5 members/3 years
1 Sc
1 Fcom
1 SB
2 at town meeting or moderator
effective May 10, 2022

Gary Champion	Town Meeting	Town Meeting 2025
Clint Dalton	Town Moderator	Town Meeting 2024
Mitch MacDonald	Select Board	6/30/2024
Emilie Smith	FinCom	6/30/2023
VACANCY	School Committee	

Historical Commission

(7 Members/3 Years)
No fewer than 3 members.
Confirmed by Select Board

Stephen Miles	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Rachel Meyer	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Lindsay Randall	Town Manager	6/30/2024
VACANCY	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Mariana Ovnich	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Laura Gresh	Town Manager	6/30/2026
Gordon Harris (Town Historian term 6/30/25)	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Alternate* VACANCY	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Alternate* VACANCY	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Alternate* VACANCY	Town Manager	6/30/2024
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Alternate* VACANCY	Town Manager	

Ipswich Community Access Media (ICAM) (2 Representatives/ 3 Years) *Independent Regional Board	James Maloney	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Feruza Krason	Select Board	6/30/2025
Ipswich Housing Authority (Elected) Five members elected for three years	Glenn Gibbs	Elected	2023
	Rich Kallman	Elected	
	K. Maguire	Elected	
Ipswich Housing Partnership (unlimited members 3 years)	James M. Warner	Town Manager	6/30/2024
	Michael Jones	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	Donald M. Greenough	Town Manager	6/30/2023
	Stacey Pedrick	Town Manager	6/30/2023
	Binni Hackett	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	Charlie Allen	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	Judy Field	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	Carl Gardner	Town Manager	6/30/2024
	Ken Redford	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Ipswich Human Rights Commission (9 members/ 3 year term)	Amanda Markos	Town Manager	6/30/2024
	Brigid "Deedee" Schiano	Town Manager	6/30/2024
	Carolyn Williams Sweeney	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	Christina Donehow	Town Manager	6/30/2026
	Heather Leonard	Town Manager	6/30/2024
	Jocelyn Duff	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	VACANCY	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	Sharon Schiffer	Town Manager	6/30/2026
	Shanelle Taylor	Town Manager	6/30/2026
Alternate VACANCY	Town Manager		
Ipswich River Watershed District Advisory Board (1 Member/1 Year/Regional)	Kerry Mackin	Select Board	6/30/2021

Library Board of Trustees (9 Members/3 Years)	George R. Gray (Chair)	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Lawrence J. Pzenny	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Ellen Maher	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Lisa Palance	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Jennifer M. Norton	Select Board	6/30/2026
	Susie Green	Select Board	6/30/2026
	Doug Stewart	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Dorothy Johnson	Select Board	6/30/2025
Thomas Smith	Select Board	6/30/2025	
MAPC Representative (3 Years/Regional) Alternate (3 Years)	Carolyn Britt	Town Manager	7/1/2022
	William Paulitz	Town Manager	6/30/2022
MBTA Advisory Board (1 Year/Regional) Select Board Chair or Designee	Linda Alexson	Select Board	6/30/2024
Open Space Committee (7 Members/1 Year)	Wayne Castonguay (Co-Chair)	Town Moderator	8/11/2023
	Monty Monroe	Town Moderator	7/31/2023
	Erin Coates-Connor	Town Moderator	7/31/2023
	Ralph Williams	Town Moderator	7/31/2023
	Andrew Brengle	Town Moderator	7/31/2023
	Andrea Lacroix	Town Moderator	7/31/2023
	Katie Hone	Town Moderator	7/31/2023
	Associates Edward Monnelly	Town Moderator	
VACANCY	Town Moderator		
Larry Eliot	Town Moderator		
Planning Board (5 Members/5 Years)	John Crespi	Town Manager	6/30/2028
	Mitchell H. Lowe	Town Manager	6/30/2024
	Helen Weatherall	Town Manager	6/30/2024
	Jennifer Crawford	Town Manager	6/30/2027
	Toni Mooradd	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	Associate Member (2 Years) Tom Hammond	Town Manager	6/30/2025

Public Safety Facility Committee

Tammy Jones	Select Board	
Jean Emerson	Select Board	
Robert Donahue	Select Board	
Charles Surpitski	Select Board	6/30/2024
Robert Weatherall	Select Board	
Harvey Schwartz	Select Board	
	Select Board	
Peter Dziadose	Select Board	
Dave Irvine	Select Board	
Keith A. Carlson	Select Board	
Stephen Crane (Ex Officio)	N/A	EMPLOYEE
Chief Paul Parisi (Ex Officio)	N/A	EMPLOYEE
Paul Nikas (Ex Officio)	N/A	EMPLOYEE
Lee Prentiss, Alternate Fire Union	Select Board	EMPLOYEE
Jamie Fay		
Rami Harb	Select Board	

Public Safety Property Re-Use Working Group

1 Select Board Member	Linda Alexson	Select Board
1 School Committee Member	Jeff Poirer	Select Board
1 FinCom Member	Michael Dougherty	Select Board
1 Planning Board Member	Laurie Paskavitz	Select Board
Local Business Owner	Paul Seaman	Town Manager
Local Business Owner	Scott Glosserman	Town Manager
1 Historical Comm. Member or Ipswich Museum Member	Gordon Harris	Select Board
1 Garden Club or Shade Tree Committee Member	Janet Craft	Select Board
1 Member of AHTF or Ipswich Housing Partnership	Donald Greenough	Select Board
2 Citizens at Large	VACANCY	Town Manager
	John Sarni	Town Manager

Recreation Committee

(7 Members/3 Years)

Kerrie Bates (Ex Officio)	N/A	EMPLOYEE
Alexis MacIntyre	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Carla Villa	Town Manager	6/30/2026
Dan Lovy	Town Manager	6/30/2026
Gina Tzizik	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Aaron Stronge	Town Manager	6/30/2026
Gordon Harris	Town Manager	6/30/2024
Peter Cushing	Town Manager	6/30/2024

Registrar of Voters

(4 Members/3 Years)

*Town clerk must be a member.

*Letters must be sent to 2 political parties notifying them of vacancies

Amy Akell	N/A	EMPLOYEE
Antigone Simmons	Select Board	6/30/2024
Kristen Seashore	Select Board	6/30/2022

School Committee

7 members/3 years

Jennifer Donahue	ATE	2025
Jeff Poirier	ATE	2024
Kate Eliot	ATE	2024
Dianna Freehan	ATE	2025
Mathew B. Perry	ATE	2026
Jenny L. Connolly	ATE	2026
Sasha Sopic	ATE	2026

Section 3A Task Force*Term exp. December 31, 2024 compliance deadline or prior to this date.*

Ken Redford, Ipswich Housing Partnership	Town Manager
Carolyn Britt, Planning Bd & Climate Resilienc	Town Manager
Chase Delano, Ipswich Partnership	Town Manager
Chris Doktor, Specialist (architecture)	Town Manager
Glenn Gibbs, Specialist (zoning)	Town Manager
Toni Mooradd, Planning Board	Town Manager
Sarah Player, SB & Affordable Housing Trust F	Town Manager
Lindsay Randall, Historical Commission	Town Manager

Select Board

5 members/3 years

Sarah Player	ATE	2024
Carl Nysten	ATE	2025
Charles Surpitski	ATE	2025
Linda Alexson	ATE	2026
Michael Dougherty	ATE	2026

Shellfish Advisory Sub-Committee

(9 Members/3 Years)

When possible, consists of:

(3) Commercial Clammers

(2) Select Board Members

(1) Biologist

(2) Recreational Clammer

Linda Alexson	Select Board	6/30/2024
Evan Orlando, Commercial	Select Board	6/30/2025
Wayne Castonguay, Biologist	Select Board	6/30/2023
Charles D. Surpitski	Select Board	6/30/2024
VACANCY, Commercial	Select Board	6/30/2022
Peter Soffron, Commercial	Select Board	6/30/2026
Mike Walker, Recreational	Select Board	6/30/2024
Paul Nikas, Ex-Officio	N/A	EMPLOYEE
	N/A	EMPLOYEE
VACANCY, Recreational	Select Board	

Shade Tree Beautification Committee

(11 Members/3 Years)

Fred Blum	Select Board	6/30/2023
Charlotte Kahn	Select Board	6/30/2025
Paula Jones	Select Board	6/30/2024
Janet Craft	Select Board	6/30/2024
Donna Carpenter	Select Board	6/30/2025
Pat Beirne	Select Board	6/30/2024
Ann Wright	Select Board	6/30/2024
Mary-Ellen Dixon	Select Board	6/30/2025
Barbara Monahan	Select Board	6/30/2025
Rick Clarke	N/A	EMPLOYEE
Charles Surpitski	Select Board	6/30/2024

Strategic Planning Working Group

Town Manager
Sarah Johnson, Finance Director
Brian Blake, Superintendent of Schools
Cheryl Herrick-Stella, School Finance Dir.
Chris Rais, Facilities Director

Rick Clarke, Public Works Director
 Vicki Halmen, W&WW Director
 TBD, Planning Director
 Rob White, FinCom Rep.
 Adam Gray, Citizen
 Emilie Smith, Citizen
 Carl Nysten, Citizen

Trust Fund Commission
 (3 Members/3 Years)

Richard Fates	Select Board	6/30/2025
Jean Emerson	Select Board	6/30/2024
Barry Hopping	Select Board	6/30/2026

Waste Reduction Advisory Committee
 (9 Members/3 Years)

Paula Jones	Select Board	6/30/2024
Wendall Waters	Select Board	6/30/2026
Linda Alexson	Select Board	6/30/2024
David Benedix (Chair)	Select Board	6/30/2026
Nicole Whitten	Select Board	6/30/2025
VACANCY	Select Board	6/30/2022
Jody Huffcut	Select Board	6/30/2025
Heather Pillis	Select Board	6/30/2024
Andrea Lacroix	Select Board	6/30/2024
Rick Clarke (Ex Officio)	N/A	EMPLOYEE
Marlene Faria-Connelly (Ex Officio)	N/A	EMPLOYEE
Alternate/ 3 years Penelope Devoe	Select Board	6/30/2024

Wastewater Subcommittee
 (5 Members/3 Years)

Carl Nysten	Select Board	6/30/2024
Michael S. Dougherty	Select Board	6/30/2024
Joseph Bourque	Select Board	6/30/2023
James Engel	Select Board	6/30/2025
Brian Kubaska	Select Board	6/30/2024
William Craft	Select Board	6/30/2025

Including:
 (2) Board of Select Board Representatives
 (1) Finance Committee Representative

Water Subcommittee (5 Members/3 Years)	Carl Nysten	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Joseph Bourque	Select Board	6/30/2023
	Michael S. Dougherty	Select Board	6/30/2024
	James Engel	Select Board	6/30/2025
	Brian Kubaska	Select Board	6/30/2024
	William Craft	Select Board	6/30/2025
Including: (2) Board of Select Board Representatives (1) Finance Committee Representative			
Waterways Advisory Committee (7 Members/3 Years)	Michael Arnold	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	Gary Hamilton	Town Manager	6/30/2025
	Robert Donahue	Town Manager	6/30/2023
	<i>Commercial Fisherman</i> Christopher J. Murray	Town Manager	6/30/2024
	Anthony Giannelli	Town Manager	6/30/2026
	<i>IOC</i> David Morin	Town Manager	6/30/2023
	<i>IBYC</i> Jeff Cann	Town Manager	6/30/2025
Whittier Regional Technical Vocational High School Representative	Garry James	School COM	3/30/2024
Zoning Board of Appeals (5 Members/ 5 Years)	Robert A. Gambale (Chair)	Select Board	6/30/2028
	Benjamin Fierro	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Julia O'Leary	Select Board	6/30/2026
	Robert Clocker	Select Board	6/30/2027
	Haley Mosher	Select Board	6/30/2025
	(3 Associates/1 Year) Denise Cooper	Select Board	6/30/2024
	Samuel Robertson	Select Board	6/30/2023
Erica Duda	Select Board	6/30/2024	