

# Town of Rochester

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## SELECT BOARD MEETING THURSDAY, APRIL 4th, 2024

Select Board Chair Paul Ciaburri, Select Board Vice-Chair Bradford Morse, and Clerk Adam Murphy are Present.

The Select Board's Open Meeting is opened by Chair Paul Ciaburri

### People on the Agenda:

Town Clerk Margie Barrows – Request to Suspend Early Voting for the Annual Town Election – Town Clerk Margie Barrows is present to request the suspension of early voting for the 2024 local Spring election; she explains that this would just be for the local election and the costs associated with holding early voting. Select Board Member Murphy states that this money is already allocated to elections in the budget for this expense and expresses his concerns over reducing the amount of voting opportunities for residents.

**Motion:** A motion is made by Select Board Member Morse to suspend early voting for the local town election on Wednesday, May 22, 2024. The motion is seconded by Select Board Member Murphy. The motion passes with a 2:1 vote. Roll Call Vote—Ciaburri—Aye, Morse—Aye, Murphy—Nay.

#### Adjournment:

Motion: Select Board Member Murphy makes a motion to enter into Executive Session in accordance with G.L.c.30A 21(a)(2) and G.L.c.30A 21(a)(6) to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares, not to return back into Open Session at the conclusion. This motion is seconded by Select Board Member Morse. All members of the Board are in favor and the Executive Session meeting is opened. Roll Call Vote Ciaburri – Aye, Morse – Aye, Murphy - Aye 3:0 motion passes.

Adam C. Murphy, Clerk