



# PUBLIC SAFETY BUILDING PROJECT



Weekly Project Updates and  
7-Day Look-Ahead

**Here is a look-ahead at the construction work planned for the Public Safety Building,  
from March 14, 2022 to March 18, 2022**

## **Project Overview:**

Construction of a combined public safety building commenced in December 2020 on the site of the former Town Hall at 26 Bryant Street. The new building will house the staff and equipment of Fire, Police, and Dispatch departments. The new combined Public Safety Building will replace two older Town buildings: Police Station at 600 High Street (built in 1962) and the Fire Station at 436 Washington Street (built in 1930). The new building is scheduled to open in the Fall of 2022.

A [livestream video](#) of the construction is available on the Project website! Tune in from anywhere to watch the continued progress on the Combined Public Safety Building. While there, check out the updated Before-and-After photos of the progress onsite.

## **What to expect March 14, 2022 (Monday) through March 18, 2022 (Friday):**

- The project site remains closed to the public.
- Last week, Eversource relocated underground utility lines from the existing poles to the newly installed poles that will provide service to the new building. Service to the Fire Station was not interrupted during this process.
- Exterior installation of Shouldice, stone veneer, will continue this week on the west and north sides of the building.
- Crews completed repairs to the elevator shaft and the elevator is expected to be delivered by the end of March.
- Contractors will continue working along Bryant Street to install water quality structures and manholes. Please use extra caution when driving in this area.
- The roofing subcontractor is nearing completion of the sally port roof. (The sally port is the secure and enclosed entry point where police unload those in custody by the Police Department.) Work will continue this week.
- Crews will continue the installation of the first floor Police and second floor Fire door frames this week.
- Eversource crews are slated to return to relocate the existing overhead utility wires from the existing poles to the newly installed poles.
- Expect periodic entrance and exit of large trucks at the project site entrance, located at the intersection of Washington Street and Bryant Street. **Please expect minor traffic delays at this intersection.**
- No additional traffic impacts or pedestrian impacts are anticipated during this week.

## **Public Viewing Area:**

If you want to stop by to check out the progress, stand by the picnic table outside the north entrance to Town Hall. This spot provides a great view into the project site and is outside of the project boundaries. Worth a visit!

## Construction Hours:

- Crews will be onsite:
  - Monday through Friday: 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM

## Project Team Contact Information:

- Immediate issues or concerns, please contact the Town Manager's Office at [781-751-9100](tel:781-751-9100).
- For general questions or concerns, please contact the project team at [psb@dedham-ma.gov](mailto:psb@dedham-ma.gov)
- For more information about the Public Safety Building Project, please visit the project website at [www.dedham-ma.gov/psb](http://www.dedham-ma.gov/psb)
- Download our [project team contact information flyer](#) on the project website.

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**Caption:** Photo of the active construction site, using a drone on Wednesday, March 9, 2022. Crews completed the backfill and preparations for the generator pad at the bottom of this photo. The next step is to pour the transformer pad.

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**Caption:** Photo of the active construction site, using a drone on Wednesday, March 9, 2022. Crews are still installing the exterior stone veneer, Shouldice, on the west and north sides of the building. The white plastic sheeting on the exterior of the building helps to protect the stone veneer during installation and while the mortar cures.

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