



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 May 15, 2023 through May 19, 2023**

Project Status and Overview:

As of May 2, 2023, the Police Department, Fire Department, and Dispatch Team are operating out of the new Public Safety Building. The former Police Station, located at 600 High Street, will become the future Town Green, and the former Fire Station is currently undergoing abatement in advance of demolition. The building will be razed in Phase 3 of the Public Safety Building Project and will be replaced with parking spaces and small landscaped areas. 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 1952). The new building is scheduled to reach final completion later this year and remains on budget.

What to expect May 15, 2023 (Monday) through May 19, 2023 (Friday):

- The new Public Safety Building is open to the public. The former Fire Station is closed to the public and is undergoing abatement and preparations for demolition.
- The Project Team received the final demolition permit from the Town Building Department and will commence demolition of the former Fire Station Building as early as **Monday, May 15, 2023**.
- Abatement is nearing completion for the building and crews continue to take the required steps to ensure materials removed from the site are handled properly, including spraying with water to mitigate dust generation, and that they follow all regulatory requirements for disposal.
- Demolition is expected to be completed in June 2023 and may result in additional noise during normal business hours, 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday.
- Large equipment will be mobilized to the site and Police support may be provided to ensure safe passage of adjacent sidewalks and roadways.
- Expect periodic entrance and exit of large trucks at the project site entrance. **Please expect minor traffic delays at this intersection.**
- No additional traffic impacts or pedestrian impacts are anticipated during this week.

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
- For more information about the Public Safety Building Project, please visit the project website at www.dedham-ma.gov/psb
- Download our [project team contact information flyer](#) on the project website.

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Caption: Photo of the rear of the former Fire Station taken on May 10, 2023 via drone during the abatement process. Crews started with the interior of the building and disposed of materials using the onsite dumpsters for disposal each day to a licensed offsite disposal facility.



Caption: Photo of the apparatus bays to the former Fire Station taken on May 10, 2023 via drone during the abatement process. A crane is onsite to assist personnel with accessing upper levels of the building.

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