

TOWN HALL/FIRE STATION FEASIBILITY STUDY

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BACKGROUND ON STUDY

- Funded in FY 2022 capital plan
- Committee members appointed by Select Board:
 - 1. Ari Sky, Town Administrator
 - 2. Richard LaCamera, Select Board Member
 - 3. Michael O'Brien, Fire Chief
 - 4. Nathan Darling, Building Commissioner
 - 5. Lillian Drane, Town Clerk

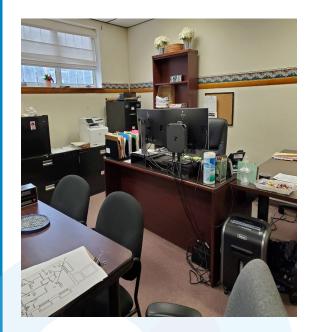


BACKGROUND ON STUDY

- Three (3) options were reviewed based on assessment of current and future space needs
 - Renovate existing building to accommodate both Town Offices and Fire Department.
 - 2. Renovate for Fire Department and build new Town Hall.
 - 3. Renovate for Town Offices and build new Fire Station.

EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS

Existing Conditions – Town Hall



Accounting Dept. & HR Assistant's office space



Meeting Space on upper 1st floor



Restrooms on 2nd floor

Existing Conditions – Town Hall



Door leading to attic space & only access to lower 2nd floor



Only access to lower 2nd floor



IT room



Basement

Existing Conditions – Fire Station



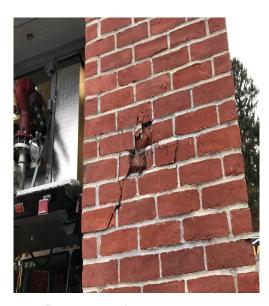
Rear Egress stair



Apparatus Bay



Plymovent



Damage to the structure

Site Limitations

- Septic
 - Capacity Insufficient capacity
 - Location
- Taunton water main and right-of-way
- Apparatus bays undersized
- Proximity to Assawompsett Pond



ALTERNATE SITES EVALUATED

Alternate Sites Evaluated for Fire Station

Parcels previously designated for public safety use adjacent to Ted Williams Camp

- 1) Precinct Street (adjacent to Council on Aging)
- 2) Bedford Street (adjacent to Police Station)

Ted Williams Camp

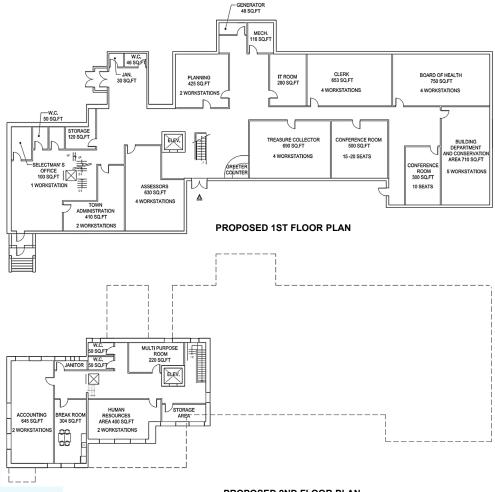


PROPOSED PROGRAMMING & LAYOUTS

346 BEDFORD STREET - EXISTING

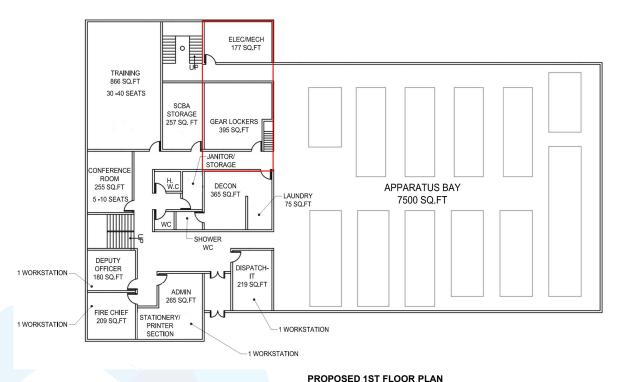


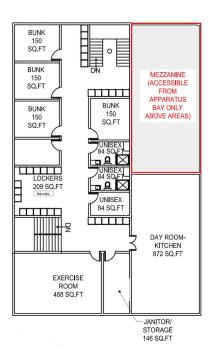
TOWN HALL



PROPOSED 2ND FLOOR PLAN

FIRE STATION





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OPINION OF PROBABLE COSTS

Opinion of Probable Cost - Schematic Design Phase

		<u>Fire Station</u> (Schematic Design Only)		Town Hall (Schematic Design Only)	
Fire Station General Construction (per cost estimate)	\$	13,129,985.00	•		
Town Hall Reno General Construction			\$	8,671,098.00	
Soft Project Costs - Design	\$	212,102.29	\$	199,750.86	
Architect	\$	137,864.84	\$	121,395.37	
OPM Contract	\$	49,237.44	\$	43,355.49	
Geotechnical (Fire Station only)	\$	20,000.00		Šķ.	
Boundary Survey (Fire Station Only)	\$	5,000.00			
Topographic survey (Fire Station Only)		X-117			
Communications (Fire Station Only)			j		
Radio/Antennas/Tower (Fire Station Only)					
Wetlands Scientist (Town Hall Only)					
Hazardous Materials Testing (Town Hall Only)			\$	10,000.00	
Test cuts/contractor support (Town Hall Only)	15		\$	25,000.00	
Misc Other	\$	2,000.00	\$	2,000.00	
Legal/Fees/Advertising	\$	2,000.00	\$	2,000.00	
Permitting (submission fees, etc)	7 90			· ·	
FF&E (Fixtures, Furniture & Equipment)					
Telephones and Wi-Fi	3		5		
Utility work orders and engineering (Fire Station Only)					
Contingency (5% of Soft Costs)					
TOTAL ESTIMATED SCHEMATIC DESIGN PHASE COST	\$	214,102.29	\$	201,750.86	
TOTAL COMBINED			\$	415,853.15	

- Preliminary only.
- To be further refined during design.
- Assumptions made.
- Opportunities for value engineering.

Opinion of Probable Project Costs

Estimated Total Construction Cost	Fire Station		Town Hall	
	\$	14,049,083.95	\$	9,538,207.80
Fire Station General Construction (per cost estimate)	\$	13,129,985.00		
Town Hall Reno General Construction			\$	8,671,098.00
Construction Contingency (7% new const./ 10% reno)	\$	919,098.95	\$	867,109.80
Soft Project Costs - Design	\$	2,140,047.98	\$	1,295,598.23
Architect (10%)	\$	1,312,998.50	\$	867,109.80
OPM Contract (3.5%)	\$	459,549.48	\$	303,488.43
Geotechnical (Fire Station only)	\$	30,000.00		
Boundary Survey (Fire Station Only)	\$	5,000.00		
Topographic survey (Fire Station Only)	\$	7,500.00		
Permitting (submissions, fees, etc)	\$	15,000.00	\$	10,000.00
FF&E (Fixtures, Furniture & Equipment)	\$	70,000.00	\$	45,000.00
Telephones and Wi-Fi	\$	25,000.00	\$	25,000.00
Utility work orders and engineering (Fire Station Only)	\$	15,000.00		
Communications Consultant (Fire Station Only)	\$	100,000.00		
Radio/Antennas/Tower (Fire Station Only)	\$	100,000.00		
Wetlands Scientist (Town Hall Only)			\$	5,000.00
Hazardous Materials Testing (Town Hall Only)			\$	15,000.00
Test cuts/contractor support (Town Hall Only)			\$	25,000.00
Other Fees/Costs	\$	142,002.40	\$	94,779.91
Legal/Advertising	\$	15,000.00	\$	10,000.00
FF&E (Fixtures, Furniture & Equipment)	20	TBD		TBD
Telephones, Fiber, Wi-Fi	\$	20,000.00	\$	20,000.00
Tower Construction (Fire Station Only)	100	TBD		
Communications (Fire Station Only)	(2)	TBD		
Builders Risk Policy	20	TBD		TBD
Contingency (5% of Soft Costs)	\$	107,002.40	\$	64,779.91
TOTAL PROJECT COST	\$	16,331,134.32	\$	10,928,585.94

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PRELIMINARY TIMELINE

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- November Town Meeting November 14, 2022
 - Request funds for Schematic Design only.
- ➤ Designer Selection February 28, 2023
- Schematic Design May 3, 2023
- Spring Town Meeting May 11, 2023
 - Full funding request based on developed designs.

