# LAND USE POLICY OPEN HOUSE



## Quick Facts: Community Services and Facilities

## **Key Public Services**

Lenox provides a range of services to its residents, carried out by the following departments, commissions, and individuals:

- General Government: Town Manager, Assessing Department, Housing Authority, Inspections Department, Town Accountant, Town Clerk, Town Collector, Land Use and Town Counsel.
- Public Safety: Fire Department, Police Department and Emergency Medical Services.
- Education: Superintendent of Schools, Public School System, grades pre-K through 12.
- Public Works: Department of Public Works, Animal Control, Recycling/ Solid Waste Services, Cemetery Division, Highway Division, Wastewater Division and Water Division.
- Human Services: Housing Authority, Tri Town Health, Veteran's Agent, Community Center, Youth Commission, Commission on Disability and Council on Aging.
- Culture and Recreation: Public Library, Parks and Recreation, Conservation Commission, Historic District Commission, Community Preservation Committee and Land Management Committee.

## **Key Public Facilities**

#### **Buildings:**

- Center School
- Community Center
- Fire Station
- Elm Street Fire Station
- Lenox Academy
- Lenox Beach House
- Memorial High School
- Morris Elementary
- Marris Field House
- North Lenox Fire Station
- Town Hall
- Library

#### **Public Schools:**

- Lenox operates two public schools; one elementary (PK-5) and one high school (6-12).
- In the 2014-15 school year a total of 728 students are enrolled in Lenox's public schools.
  - Lenox Memorial High, 406 students
  - Morris Elementary, 322 students
- In 2014 Lenox's expenditures per pupil was \$16,000, higher than the sate average of \$14,021.









Town of Lenox
General Fund Expenditures, FY 2014

DOR Code	Expenditure	Percent of Total
Other Public Safety	\$116,851	1%
Human Services	\$160,237	1%
Fire	\$350,595	2%
Intergovern-mental	\$388,583	2%
Culture & Recreation	\$605,422	3%
Police	\$882,211	4%
General Government	\$888,450	4%
Other Expenditures	\$1,090,922	5%
Debt Service	\$1,746,963	8%
Public Works	\$2,845,451	14%
Fixed Costs	\$2,977,952	14%
Education	\$8,743,084	42%
Total Expenditures	\$20,796,721	100%

### Water/ Sewer

- Water Division responsibilities:
  - improvement and maintenance of the Town's forty-eight miles of water main
  - average day flow of 0.73 MGD and a peak flow of 1.4 MGD
- Sewer Division Responsibilities
  - operates a wastewater treatment facility at 239 Crystal Street and three pump stations
  - average daily flow of 1.8 MGD and a peak flow of 4.1 MGD.
  - 76,000 linear feet of sewer lines

