

## SELECTMEN'S OFFICE TOWN OF GILMANTON

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## Re: Opening of Selectmen's Office on Tuesdays

The novel coronavirus public health emergency continues to present unprecedented challenges. Many of these challenges will present themselves during the upcoming September Primary and November General Elections.

At their Board Meeting on August 24, 2020, the Selectmen, in light of COVID-19 and the primary election being conducted that day, re-assessed their June 29 decision to open the Selectmen's Office to the public on Tuesday's effective September 8, 2020.

In a 2-1 vote, the Board of Selectmen decided to push back the opening by one week to September 15, 2020 to facilitate adherence to guidance on Election Operations based on health guidelines and State Emergency Orders.

With respect to the General Election on November 3, 2020, a decision for the Selectmen's Office will be taken at a later date based on the then-current situation.

As a reminder, The Town Clerk/Tax Collector's Office will be closed on Primary and General Election day.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Patrick Boré

Town Administrator