

## Community Meeting

May 21, 2024

**Q. What trees will be planted in the area where trees came down during the storm this past winter?**

A. In that area, there will be two white pine, two balsam fir and two white oak trees planted. These trees have already been tagged in the nursery. The trees are currently 8 to 10 feet and will likely be 11 to 12 feet when they are planted. The size of the trees selected is based on the fact that the larger the tree, the less likely they are to survive transplant.

**Q. Could BWFH advocate for DO NOT BLOCK THE BOX striping to be added to the corner of Centre and Whitcomb Streets?**

A. A member of the construction team is following up with the Department of Conservation and Recreation to see if this is possible, and we will share an update when we have one.

**Q. What are working hours for construction?**

A. Working hours of the project are generally weekdays from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. and weekends from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. All weekend work requires a permit from the city. A reminder will be made to the construction crews that no work should begin before 7 a.m.

**Q. Will there be anything done to mitigate the noise from the cooling towers currently blocked by the old garage which will eventually be a surface lot?**

A. The wall behind the current garage will remain in place which should help mitigate noise. There will also be landscaping and trees planted in that area to limit noise.