

# Public Safety

## Hubbardston Police Log

**Sunday, March 9**  
2:31 p.m. Erratic Operator, Gardner Road, Negative Contact  
3 p.m. Speak to the Chief/Officer, Main Street, Report Filed

**Monday, March 10**  
3:08 a.m. Emergency Medical Service – Stroke (CVA), Madison Way, Ambulance Signed Refusal  
8:16 a.m. Emergency Medical Service – Breathing Difficulty, Birches Road, Transported to Hospital

9:30 a.m. Emergency Medical Service – Falls, Madison Way, Transported to Hospital  
1:06 p.m. Property Dispute or Exchange, Burnshirt Road, Report Filed

1:41 p.m. Fire – Tree on Wire, Thompson Road, Referred to Other Agency

**Tuesday, March 11**  
5:07 p.m. Assist Other Agency/Non-Police, Worcester Road, Public Assist

8:05 p.m. Motor Vehicle – Disabled, Gardner, Officer Spoke to Party

**Wednesday, March 12**  
11:57 a.m. Emergency Medical Service – Unattended Death, Twin Hill Road, Report

Filed  
7:15 p.m. Assist Other Police Department, Gardner Road, Public Assist

10:50 p.m. Emergency Medical Service – Welfare Check, Natty Pond Drive, No Fire Service Necessary

**Thursday, March 13**  
7:46 a.m. Animal – ACO Call, Ragged Hill Road, Referred to Other Agency

4:29 p.m. Assist Other Police Department, Worcester, Officer Took Call

5:45 p.m. Motor Vehicle – Disabled, Gardner Road, Removed Hazard

9:40 p.m. Noise Complaint, Williamsville Road, Vehicle Removed

10:03 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, Worcester Road, Written Warning

**Friday, March 14**  
3:21 a.m. Emergency Medical Service – Sick/Unknown, Twin Hill Road, Ambulance Signed Refusal

4:22 a.m. Erratic Operator, Gardner Road, Negative Contact

8:42 a.m. Erratic Operator, Gardner Road, Officer/Chief Advised

11:19 a.m. Fraud or Forgery, Barre Road, Report Filed

12:41 p.m. Serve Warrant, Ragged Hill Road, Removed to Court/Lockup

Arrest Eagan, Jeffrey R., 43, Hubbardston

Charges Warrant  
1:40 p.m. Complaint, Bemis Road, Officer/Chief Advised

2:32 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, Gardner Road, Citation Issued

3:12 p.m. Emergency Medical Service – Sick/Unknown, Princeton Cutoff Road, Transported to Hospital

7:41 p.m. Missing Person, Worcester Road, Located/Found

10:20 p.m. Emergency Medical Service – Falls, Muskogee Street, Mutual Aid Transport

**Saturday, March 15**  
11:14 a.m. Brush and Wildland Fires, Ed Clark Road, Fire Extinguished

11:23 a.m. Notification, Old Westminster Road, Information Taken

2:13 p.m. Animal – Wildlife, Gardner Road, Referred to Other Agency

2:57 p.m. Follow-Up Investigation, Gardner Road, Information Taken

## AAA survey finds Americans are afraid of self-driving vehicles

WESTWOOD – Americans grew slightly less wary of self-driving vehicles over the past year, but an overwhelming majority still don't trust riding in one, according to the latest AAA survey on autonomous vehicles.

Just 13% of U.S. drivers indicated they'd feel safe riding in a self-driving or autonomous vehicle. That's up from last year, when 9% of drivers said they'd be comfortable. Despite the slight increase, six in ten drivers still report being afraid to get into a vehicle that drives itself.

For drivers, enhancing vehicle safety systems remains the priority 78% of survey respondents listed advancements in safety systems as a top vehicle technology initiative. In contrast, the development of self-driving vehicles is a low priority as only 13% of drivers expressed interest in AV technology.

"Most drivers are interested in advanced technology to enhance safety but still want to maintain a sense of control

over their vehicles," said Mark Schieldrop, senior spokesperson for AAA Northeast. "When it comes to gaining consumer trust in self-driving vehicles, automakers face a long road ahead and as vehicle technology continues to evolve, educating consumers on safety standards is paramount."

Robotaxis, self-driving vehicles used for taxi and ride-hail services, operate in several major cities. AAA's survey found that 74% of drivers were aware of robotaxis, but more than half (53%) said they would choose not to ride in one.

Collectively, interest in advanced driver assistance features continues to remain high. The survey found that 64% of U.S. drivers would "definitely" or "probably" want Automatic Emergency Braking on their next vehicle, 62% would want Reverse Automatic Emergency Braking and 59% would want Lane Keeping Assistance. AAA advocates for standardized naming schemes for

these systems to accurately describe their capabilities and limitations and reduce consumer confusion.

"Advanced driver assistance technologies should enhance driver safety rather than give the impression that the car is driving itself," Schieldrop said. "As the software and sensors that power these systems continue to improve, drivers must be informed about their limitations as well."

AAA has conducted various tests to determine if the technology performs as expected. Research released by AAA in October 2024 showed significant AEB advancements, particularly at speeds up to 35 mph.

AAA Northeast is a not-for-profit auto club with offices in Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Jersey, New Hampshire and New York, providing more than 6.5 million local AAA members with travel, insurance, finance and auto-related services.

## Public Notices

### BARRE PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

The Barre Planning Board will hold a public hearing on **Tuesday, April 1, 2025 at 7:15 p.m.** in the Henry Woods Municipal Building, 40 West Street, Boards' Office, 3rd Floor, requested by Paul A. Johnson, property owner, for the keeping of horses with fencing and shelter on property located at 379 Town Farm Road, Assessors Map H, Lot 202 and recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds Book 35008, Page 0239.

All persons who wish to comment on this matter should attend the hearing, or submit comments in writing prior to the hearing to the Planning Board.

Floyd Kelley  
Chairman

03/20, 03/27/2025

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court  
Worcester Probate and Family Court  
225 Main Street  
Worcester, MA 01608  
(508)831-2200  
Docket No. WO25P0948EA  
Estate of:  
Rose M Clough  
Date of Death: 01/29/2025  
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION**

To all interested persons:  
A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Lawrence S Clough of Barre, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that **Lawrence S Clough of Barre, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration**.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**  
You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this

proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: **10:00 a.m. on the return day of 04/22/2025.** This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

**UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)**

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A Keamy, First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 19, 2025  
Stephanie Fattman,  
Register of Probate  
03/27/2025

### PUBLIC AUCTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF M.L.C. 225 SEC.39A THE FOLLOWING VEHICLES WILL BE SOLD ON **March 29, 2025** AT A SALE TO SATISFY OUR GARAGE LIEN THEREON FOR TOWING & STORAGE CHARGES AND EXPENSES OF SALE AND NOTICE:

2012 Ford Focus  
VIN 1FAHP3E23CL285540  
2009 Dodge Journey  
VIN 3D4GH57V79T176875  
2009 Scion xD  
VIN JTKKU10449J048929

2009 Saturn Outlook VIN 5GZEV23D29J215953  
2003 Toyota Highlander VIN JTEHF21A830129334  
2006 Honda Pilot VIN 2HKYF18516H533557  
2009 Honda Civic VIN 19XFA169X9E005035  
1993 Toyota Corolla VIN 2T1AE09E2PC018052  
1995 Toyota Corolla VIN 2T1AE04B9SC092977  
2012 Dodge Charger VIN 2C3CDXBG5CH190239  
2011 GMC Yukon XL VIN 1GKS2KE33BR163097  
2008 Land Rover Range Rover Sport VIN SALSK254X8A149606  
2008 Honda Civic VIN 2HGFA16578H310929  
2006 Toyota Corolla VIN 2T1BR30E26C680431  
2005 Honda Civic VIN 1HGEM22925L078868

The sale will be held at **Early's on Park Avenue at 536 Park Ave., Worcester, MA 01603**  
03/13, 03/20, 03/27/2025

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court  
Worcester Division  
Docket No. WO25P0803EA  
Estate of:  
Megan Rae Fitzgerald  
Date of Death:  
January 11, 2025  
INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Rory J. Fitzgerald of New Braintree, MA.**  
**Rory J. Fitzgerald of New Braintree, MA**

has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve **without surety** on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to no-

tice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.  
03/27/2025

### TOWN OF HUBBARDSTON LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Town of Hubbardston Select Board will hold a public hearing on **Monday, April 7, 2025 at 6:30 PM** at the Slade Building, 7 Main St, Hubbardston to consider whether the Town should opt out of early voting by mail for the Annual Town Election scheduled for June 10, 2025, as authorized under MGL c. 54, § 25B. Please note, this action will not impact early voting by Absentee ballot, which will remain available for all qualified voters in all elections. All members of the public having an interest in this topic are cordially invited to attend.  
03/27, 04/03/2025

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court  
Worcester Probate and Family Court  
225 Main Street  
Worcester, MA 01608  
(508)831-2200  
Docket No. WO25P0981EA  
Estate of:  
Thaddeus M. Kaczmarek, Jr.  
Date of Death:  
12/31/2021  
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION**

To all interested persons:  
A Petition for **Late and Limited Formal Testacy and/or Appointment** has been filed by **Cheryl J. Kaczmarek of Hardwick, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and

Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that **Cheryl J. Kaczmarek of Hardwick, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration**.

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WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A Keamy, First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 20, 2025  
Stephanie Fattman,  
Register of Probate  
03/27/2025

### BARRE PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

The Barre Planning Board will hold a public hearing on **Tues-**

**day, April 1, 2025 at 7:30 p.m.** in the Henry Woods Municipal Building, 40 West Street, Boards' Office, 3rd Floor, Barre, MA requested by Caruso Construction Corp. for a preliminary plan for a subdivision known as Piper Lane located at the gravel operation on South Barre Road, Assessor Map H, Lots 120 K, 120P, 120A and 120Q.

Anyone wishing to comment on this matter should attend the hearing or submit comments in writing. The plan can be viewed at the Boards' Office, 3rd floor.

Floyd Kelley, Chairman  
03/20, 03/27/2025

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court  
Worcester  
Probate and Family Court  
225 Main Street  
Worcester, MA 01608  
(508)831-2200  
Docket No. WO24C0690CA  
In the matter of:  
Michael Brandon Beauregard  
CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME**

A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by **Michael Brandon Beauregard of Barre, MA** requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to:

**Tori Brandon Beauregard**  
**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: **Worcester Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 04/08/2025.**

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A Keamy, First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 14, 2025  
Stephanie Fattman,  
Register of Probate  
03/27/2025

**Please check the accuracy of your legal notice prior to submission (i.e., date, time, spelling). Also, be sure the requested publication date coincides with the purpose of the notice, or as the law demands. Thank you.**

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