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### Searles Estate Advisory Committee to Hold Public Input Meeting

**Methuen, MA**- Mayor DJ Beauregard announced today that his Searles Estate Advisory Committee will hold a public meeting on **Wednesday, February 5, 2025, at 7:00 PM at City Hall, in the Great Hall** to gather input from residents on the future use of the historic Searles Estate.

The meeting will begin with a brief presentation from Mayor Beauregard, Advisory Committee Chair Rose Maria Redman, and selected committee members. They will collectively provide a brief history of how and why the City came to purchase the property, outline plans for the public process, and provide residents with an opportunity to share their thoughts, ideas, and feedback directly with the committee and city officials.

"When the idea of purchasing the Searles Estate was first discussed by Mayor Neil Perry, and during the pendency of that matter before the City Council, and finally with the consummation of the sale, the City has been committed to a public process to determine the best use of the property going forward," Mayor Beauregard said. "This meeting is the next step in that plan, and I encourage all residents to participate and provide their thoughts and ideas about the future of the Searles Estate," he concluded.

For those unable to attend in person, the meeting will be broadcast on Methuentv.org and on Comcast 22/Verizon 33 & 2133. Feedback can be submitted online at [Methuen.gov/searles](http://Methuen.gov/searles).

Please contact the Mayor's office at 978-983-8505 with any questions.

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