

Town of Merrimack Charter Commission - All Forms Matrix

	<u>BOS Official Ballot Form</u>	Reference	<u>BOS Budgetary Form</u>	Reference	<u>BOS Representative Form</u>	Reference
Governing Body	3 or 5 Member Board of Selectmen	41:8 & 41:8b	3 or 5 Member Board of Selectmen	41:8 & 41:8b	3 or 5 Member Board of Selectmen	RSA 49-D:3 III
Legislative Body	Offical Ballot Town Meeting on all matters	40:13	Town Meeting on Budgetary Matters Only	RSA 47-D	Representative Town Meeting	RSA 49-D:3 III
Chief Administrative Officer	Town Manager appointed by BOS	RSA 49-D:3	Town Manager appointed by BOS	RSA 49-D:3	Town Manager appointed by BOS	RSA 49-D:3
Representation	At-Large		At-Large		District	RSA 49-D:3 III
Terms of Office	Three year, staggered	41:8 & 41:8b	Three year, staggered	41:8 & 41:8b	Three Year Staggered Terms	RSA 41:8 & 8b
Principal Officer	Chairman		Chairman		Chairman	RSA 49-D:3 III N28
Period of Domicile	No minimum		No minimum		Up to One Year	RSA 49-D:3 III
Residency	Required	RSA 669:6	Required	RSA 669:6	Required	RSA 669:6
Vacancies	Filled by BOS	40:2	Filled by BOS	40:2	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-D:3 III
Compensation	Set by Town Meeting		Set by Town Meeting		Set by Town Meeting	
Removal From Office	Provided by statute and/or charter	RSA 49-D:4; RSA 32; RSA 640; RSA 643	Provided by statute and/or charter	RSA 49-D:4; RSA 32; RSA 640; RSA 643	Provided by statute and/or charter	RSA 49-D:4; RSA 32; RSA 640; RSA 643
General Powers	Provided by statute and/or charter	RSA 31; RSA 41	Provided by statute and/or charter	RSA 31; RSA 41	Provided by Statute	RSA 31 & 41
Appointive Powers	Provided by statute and/or charter		Provided by statute and/or charter		Provided by statute and/or charter	
Non Interference by Elect Body	By Statute	RSA 49-D:4	By Statute	RSA 49-D:4	By Statute	RSA 49-D:4
Appointive Officers	Set by charter	RSA 37	Set by charter	RSA 37	Board of Selectman	RSA 49-C:20
Organization	Town Administrator	RSA 49-C:18, RSA 49-C:21	Town Administrator	RSA 49-C:18, RSA 49-C:21	Town Administrator	RSA 49-C:18, RSA 49-C:21
Administrative Code	To be set forth in charter		To be set forth in charter		To be set forth in charter	
Merit Plan	Town Administrator	RSA 49-C:21	Town Administrator	RSA 49-C:21	Town Administrator	RSA 49-C:21
Fiscal Year	To begin January 1, or July 1, or as prescribed by charter or by ordinance	RSA 49-C:22	To begin January 1, or July 1, or as prescribed by charter or by ordinance	RSA 49-C:22	To begin January 1, or July 1, or as prescribed by charter or by ordinance	RSA 49-C:22
Budget Process	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23
Budget Submission Dates	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 I	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 I	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 I
Budget Hearings	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 II	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 II	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 II
Transfer of funds	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 II	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 II	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 III
Audit	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 IV	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 IV	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 IV
Supplemental Appropriations	To be set forth in charter	32:6; 32:11	To be set forth in charter	32:6; 32:11	To be set forth in charter	
Fiscal Controls	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 IX	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 IX	To be set forth in charter	RSA 49-C:23 IX
Borrowing	Town Meeting/Special Town Meeting	33 and 31:10	Town Meeting/Special Town Meeting	33 and 31:10	Board of Selectman	RSA 49-C:24
Referendum Procedures	May be set forth in charter	RSA 49-D:2	May be set forth in charter	RSA 49-D:2	May be set forth in charter	RSA 49-D:2