**From:** Lisa M. Cagno
**To:** Morgan Hunte
**Subject:** FW: Commenting in opposition to 432-25: Appointment of Jeffrey Allen Donahue
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# Public Comment…..

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**From:** Jessie Bowen <jessiebowen@gmail.com>
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 18, 2025 3:39 PM
**To:** Gary J. Christenson <gchristenson@CITYOFMALDEN.ORG>; Carol Ann Desiderio <cdesiderio@CITYOFMALDEN.ORG>
**Cc:** Lisa M. Cagno <lcagno@CITYOFMALDEN.ORG>
**Subject:** Re: Commenting in opposition to 432-25: Appointment of Jeffrey Allen Donahue

For the record my address is 17 Crawford St, Malden, MA 02148.

On Tue, Nov 18, 2025 at 2:09 PM Jessie Bowen <jessiebowen@gmail.com> wrote:

> Dear Mayor Christenson and Members of the City Council,
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> It was brought to my attention that the council and school committee will be voting on potentially a 3 year term for the position of school committee for the vocational high school. I understand this is generally an elected position and it seems odd to me that this appointment is being made without allowing the citizens of Malden to apply for the position. To me this feels undemocratic and opaque. I am opposed to this simply on principle. The people of Malden should have a voice to either apply for the position or vote on it in next year's election.
>
> Sincerely,
>
> Jessie Bowen
> Ward 1

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