

Some exciting news in Harding. This year we will have a contested election for ALL 3 openings for Township Committee. Running on the Republican ticket, Ned Ward for reelection, Alf Newlin for the 2 remaining years of Regina Egea's term- he is currently serving on the Township Committee, and new comer Nanette DiTosto for Marshall Bartlett's seat.

A new slate of Independent candidates has emerged running on a platform of Open Dialogue and Effective Government for Harding Township. The candidates include Judy Malloy, Mike Meade, and Brian McCarthy. They have set up a website at [www.OpenandEffective.com](http://www.OpenandEffective.com). They will be hosting a Town Hall Meeting and Kick off on Monday, May 14th at the Green Village Methodist Church. Notice of this event did not arrive in time to be published in the Thumbnail so we are sending the information via e-mail.

When we get closer to the general election, the Civic Association will host a Meet the Candidates Night. We will also post notices of any events the candidates will be hosting such as the upcoming one on Monday just as we would any other event.

**The Civic Association does not endorse any candidate.**