Tom Atwood is currently serving his second term with the West Newbury Board of Assessors. A Merrimac native, Tom graduated Pentucket High School in 1988 and moved to West Newbury in 2002 with his wife Pam and his three children.

Tom's career has been focused in finance and technology. He has an undergraduate degree in Economics-Finance from Bentley University, and a Master of Science degree in Finance from Boston College, and a Masters of Business Administration degree from the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. Tom is currently in the graduate engineering program at the Whiting School of Engineering at The Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore where he is working on a Master of Science Degee in Computer Science.

During his time in West Newbury, Tom's public service has spanned a number of capacities including five years serving on the Pentucket School Committee, three years as Selectman, two separate appointments to the Finance Director Search Committee, one year with the Community Preservation Committee. In addition to the Board of Assessors, Tom currently serves on the West Newbury Conservation Commission.