

HOPKINTON TOWN COUNCIL MEETING – January 3, 2017
BUSINESS AGENDA

Town Hall, 1 Town House Road, Hopkinton, RI 02833

7:00 P.M. Call to Order – Moment of silent meditation and a salute to the Flag.

COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS

Appointment of Zoning Solicitor
Appointment of Prosecutions Lawyer
Appointment of Probate Judge

HEARINGS MOTION TO SIT AS A LICENSING BOARD

Campground License Renewals

Open a hearing on the renewal of the following campground licenses:

Frontier Camper Park, LLC– Scott W. Thompson, 180A Maxson Hill Road, Ashaway, RI licensed for 225 Campsites & Safari Sites.

Applicant or representative present.
All fees paid and notices posted.

Greenwood Hill Campground Association, Inc. – Jeff Aldrich, 13 Newberry Lane, Hope Valley, RI licensed for 80 Campsites & Safari Sites.

Applicant or representative present.
All fees paid and notices posted.

Holly Tree Campground, Inc. – Marie Patrizzo, 109 Ashaway Road, Ashaway, RI licensed for 158 Campsites & Safari Sites.

Applicant or representative present.
All fees paid and notices posted.

Whispering Pines Campground – Cameron May, 41 Saw Mill Road, Hope Valley, RI licensed for 213 Campsites & Safari Sites.

Applicant or representative present.
All fees paid and notices posted.

Ashaway Pines, LLC - Clint Ramsden, 41 Saw Mill Road, Hope Valley, RI 02832 for the Ashaway Pines RV Resort on Vuono Place licensed for 266 Campsites. There are no Safari Sites.

Applicant or representative present.
All fees paid and notices posted.
Discussion.

Motion and vote whether to grant renewal to each license subject to all state and town regulations being met and all town taxes current prior to issue.

MOTION TO ADJOURN AS LICENSING BOARD AND RECONVENE AS COUNCIL

CONSENT AGENDA

Approve Town Council Meeting Minutes of December 19, 2016;
Approve Petition of National Grid/Verizon for a new joint owned pole location on Tomaquag Road; Set February 21, 2017 as the second Town Council Meeting in February due to the President's Day Holiday; Approve abatement for a property owned by RI Housing & Mortgage Finance and exempt by law, submitted by the Tax Assessor.

MOTION TO APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA

PUBLIC FORUM

COUNCIL PRESIDENT REPORT

- The Trust Annual Dinner – January 19, 2017
- Responses to Various Resident Zoning Complaints
- Reach out to new Charlestown Town Council President re: Proposed Federal Railroad Administration Railroad Track Relocation

TOWN MANAGER REPORT

- Wood River Health 40th Anniversary
- Annual & Multi-year Goals
- \$21,800 RIEMA GIS Grant Award

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

Discuss, consider and vote on whether to offer comments to DEM re: proposed Bradford Dam Removal.

Consider Budget Timetable - Schedule Budget Workshops.

Schedule workshop to discuss a proposed residential solar ordinance.

Discussion re: methods of receiving town council agenda material:

- Information to receive electronically.
- Information to receive as hard copy.

BOARDS & COMMISSIONS

1. Consider reappointment to the Zoning Board of Review.

PUBLIC FORUM

ADJOURN

If communication assistance (readers/interpreters/captions) is needed or any other accommodation to ensure equal participation by any person, please contact the Town Clerk's Office at 377-7777 (V) or 377-7773 (TDD) at least two (2) business days prior to the meeting.

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