

HOPKINTON TOWN COUNCIL MEETING – March 4, 2019
BUSINESS AGENDA

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

6:15 P.M. Motion to Convene Open Session and Enter into Executive Session under:

- I. RIGL secs. 42-46-5(a)(1) & (2) for Preliminary Discussions and legal advice and/or considerations related to the hiring of a prospective candidate as a new Town employee with the filling of an existing and currently vacant position, including the potential impacts, if any, on existing collective bargaining.

The prospective candidate has been notified in advance and in writing of this agenda item, and has been advised that he may require that the discussion be held in Open Session.

Reconvene in Open Session.

Statement by the Council President that no votes were taken in Executive Session.

Consider and vote on Motion to Seal the minutes of the Executive Session.

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

Rock-Paper-Scissor's Children's Fund Bikes for Girls Program Presentation – Abbey Paradis.

CONSENT AGENDA

Approve Town Council Meeting Minutes of February 19, 2019; approve transcript of February 19, 2019 as the record of the Zoning Ordinance Amendment & Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use Map Amendment decision filed by Joyce K. Luzzi/Joyce K. Luzzi Living Trust; Executive Session Minutes February 19, 2019; Budget Workshop Notes of February 25, 2019; Budget Workshop Notes of February 11, 2019; Approve refund resulting from duplicate payment of RE taxes submitted by the Tax Collector.

MOTION TO APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA

PUBLIC FORUM

COUNCIL PRESIDENT REPORT

- Status Update re: Proposed FY 19/20 Budget upon completion of February 11 & 25, 2019 budget workshops and Chariho School Committee's school district budget adjustments.

TOWN MANAGER REPORT

- Stubtown Road Dump/Solar Array
- Waterline Consultant Meeting
- P/T ACO Hire

OLD BUSINESS

1. Discuss, consider and possibly approve two motions to reconsider and clarify the wording of the two motions made, seconded, and unanimously approved by the Town Council at its February 19, 2019 meeting and pertaining to the then-pending Decision on the applications for a Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use Map Amendment and a Zoning Ordinance Map Amendment filed by Joyce K. Luzzi/Joyce K. Luzzi Living Trust, 145 Sakonnet Blvd., Narragansett, RI 02882 for property located at 165 A Tomaquag Road identified as Plat 5, Lot 6, a Manufacturing Zone, to amend the Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use Map from Manufacturing to Medium-Density Residential and to rezone the parcel from Manufacturing to R-1.

The purpose of this agenda item is to consider making it more clear that the Council's February 19, 2019 intent was to amend the Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use map and the zoning classification for the referenced parcel from Manufacturing to R-1, and so that the final form of written Decision clearly and accurately reflects the intended action by the Town Council.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Discuss and consider holding the Annual Financial Town Assembly scheduled for May 7, 2019 in the Town Hall Council Chambers, rather than in a local elementary school.
2. Discuss, consider and vote to approve a two-year solid waste contract between the Towns of Hopkinton and Westerly in annual amounts of \$15,000 for FY 2019-20 and \$16,000 for FY 2020-21, which allow Hopkinton, its residents and taxpayers the right to use the Westerly transfer station.

BOARDS & COMMISSIONS

1. Discuss and consider appointing Christine Cook to the Recreation Commission.

PUBLIC FORUM

ADJOURN

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