

HOPKINTON TOWN COUNCIL MEETING – December 16, 2019
BUSINESS AGENDA

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

6:30 P.M. Motion to convene Open Session and enter into Executive Session under R.I.G.L. 42-46-5(a)(5) pertaining to discussions and/or considerations related to the disposition of publicly held property where advanced public information would be detrimental to the interest of the public.

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.

CONSENT AGENDA

Approve Town Council Meeting Minutes of December 2, 2019; Special Town Council Meeting Minutes of November 25, 2019; Accept the following monthly financial/activity report: Town Clerk; Approve Petition of National Grid & Verizon for a joint pole replacement on Spring Street; Approve abatements resulting from motor vehicle corrections and a real property adjustment submitted by the Tax Assessor.

MOTION TO APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA

PUBLIC FORUM

COUNCIL PRESIDENT REPORT

- Outline changes to Public Forum as it pertains to regular (twice-monthly) Town Council meeting agendas beginning January 6, 2019; Council discussion.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Discuss, consider and possibly vote to authorize the Town Council President to execute a Memorandum of Agreement between the Towns of Hopkinton and Richmond to share the services of a Certified Building Official to administer and enforce the provisions of the State Building Code, State Property Maintenance Code, and other applicable state and municipal codes and ordinances.
2. Discussion of Chariho School Committee's December 10, 2019 Action on its Audit Subcommittee's November 21, 2019 recommendations regarding Chariho draft audit report, and consideration and possible motion and vote to send correspondence to the Chariho School Committee – requested by Council Vice President Hirst.

3. Consider motion and possibly vote on whether to accept offer to purchase the Town's interest in a parcel of land located at 0 Highview Avenue, AP 27, lot 16.

BOARDS & COMMISSIONS

1. Discuss, consider and possibly vote to reappoint Deborah O'Leary to the Conservation Commission.

PUBLIC FORUM

ADJOURN

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