

HOPKINTON TOWN COUNCIL EMERGENCY MEETING – May 18, 2022  
BUSINESS AGENDA  
Town Hall, 1 Town House Road, Hopkinton, RI 02833

**NOTICE  
HYBRID EMERGENCY MEETING BEING HELD IN PERSON AND REMOTE**

Understanding the people have a vested interest in the operation of their government, the Hopkinton Town Council intends to include the public on May 18, 2022. However, due to the COVID-19 virus, the Council wants to be sure that everyone can do so safely from their own homes. Therefore, this hybrid meeting will be held in person and remotely using Zoom.

To get the most out of the hybrid meeting technology, participants can join by computer when possible. Joining by computer allows you to see the Town Council members on-screen and makes it easier to use the functions for indicating you wish to speak and muting/un-muting yourself.

To attend the meeting remotely, please connect in by 6:00 PM. **Note:** Participants will not be able to connect before the host begins the session, and anyone trying to connect who are unable to do so should try again after 6:00 PM.

You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: May 18, 2022 06:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Emergency Town Council Meeting – May 18, 2022 - Hybrid

**REMOTE MEETING ACCESS:**

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

- **Webinar ID: 845 2866 5809**
- **Passcode: 323323**
- **Dial-In Number: 1-646-558-8656**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84528665809?pwd=rSahz5NvKoDYDcsXfkUF7ES-V0BsV2.1>

**\*\*Citizens wishing to speak during public forum:**

Any participants wishing to speak during the public forum should indicate so as early as possible. The Zoom meeting has a ‘Raise your hand’ indicator that you enable to let the host know you wish to speak.

To ‘Raise your hand’ in Zoom:

**By Computer:**

Click “raise hand” from the Zoom menu bar and wait for the meeting host to ask you to unmute. Once asked to unmute, press “unmute” to unmute and speak.

**By Phone:**

Dial \*9 to “raise your hand” and wait for the meeting host to ask you to unmute. Once asked to unmute, dial \*6 to unmute and speak.

**"Please remember when making a public comment to state your name and address before speaking."**

Please note: Because of ever-changing regulations due to the COVID-19 virus, this meeting may be cancelled. Please check the Town of Hopkinton website [www.hopkintonri.org](http://www.hopkintonri.org) for updates on these meetings and other important Town or COVID-19 information.

Elizabeth J. Cook-Martin  
Council Clerk/Town Clerk

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**6:00 P.M.** Call to Order – Moment of silent meditation and a salute to the Flag.

**CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL**

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT STATEMENT AS TO WHY THE MATTER MUST BE ADDRESSED IN LESS THAN FORTY-EIGHT (48) HOURS PURSUANT TO RIGL 42-46-6(c).**

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**ASHAWAY AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION FINANCIAL ISSUES/POSSIBLE CLOSURE**

1. Status report from the Ashaway Ambulance Association on finances.
2. Discuss, consider and possibly vote on possible funding options including the use of American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

**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.

Posting Details: Town Hall, Hopkinton Post Office, Police Station, Hopkinton Website, Secretary of State Website. Posting date: May 17, 2022