

HOPKINTON TOWN COUNCIL MEETING – June 6, 2022
BUSINESS AGENDA
Town Hall, 1 Town House Road, Hopkinton, RI 02833

**NOTICE
HYBRID 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 June 6, 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 7:00 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 7:00 PM.

You are invited to a Zoom webinar.
When: June 6, 2022 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)
Topic: Town Council Meeting – June 6, 2022 - Hybrid

REMOTE MEETING ACCESS:

Webinar ID: 851 2324 9777

Passcode: 054619

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

Weblink:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85123249777?pwd=dW01aVQweFhndE1iT2lxYnhmSWJxUT09>

Dial In: 1-646-558-8656

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

Call to Order and Roll Call

Public Comment

Approval of Agenda Order

HEARING MOTION TO SIT AS A LICENSING BOARD

MULTI EVENT PERMIT

Open a hearing on an application for a Multi-Event Permit filed by Jennifer Johnson of Holly Tree Campground to hold three Band and DJ Events for their campers: Saturday, June 18, 2022 with a DJ, July 9, 2022 with a Band and September 3, 2022 with a DJ from 6:30 PM to 11:00 PM. The events will be held in the Camp Pavilion at Holly Tree Campground located at 109 Ashaway Road, Ashaway, RI 02804 from 7:00 PM to 11:00 PM. These events are not open to the public.

Application complete/consider waivers.

Discussion.

Discuss, consider and possibly vote to grant approval to the Multi Event Permit.

MOTION TO ADJOURN AS LICENSING BOARD AND RECONVENE AS COUNCIL

CONSENT AGENDA

Approve Town Council Meeting Minutes of May 16, 2022; Special Town Council Meeting Minutes and Workshop Minutes of May 9, 2022; Emergency Town Council Meeting Minutes of May 18, 2022; Workshop Minutes of May 23, 2022; Workshop Minutes of May 31, 2022; Approve refunds resulting from escrow company overpayments on the 2021 real property tax roll submitted by the Tax Collector.

MOTION TO APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA

New Business

1. Discuss, consider and possibly vote to award the bids for the following RFP's:
 - Diesel Fuel
 - #2 Fuel Oil
 - Gasoline
 - Heating & Cooling System Maintenance
 - Propane Gas Heating Fuel
2. Discuss, consider and possibly vote on how the FY 21/22 Town Council Contingency Funds should be used.
3. Discuss, consider and possibly vote to increase the zoning certificate fee issued by the Building & Zoning Department from \$5.00 to \$25.00 for a residential zoning certificate and \$50.00 for a commercial zoning certificate.
4. Discuss, consider and possibly vote to accept Sylvia Thompson's donation for the purchase of a red maple tree and a Japanese maple tree for Crandall Field.
5. Discuss and consider setting a hearing date for a proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance District Use Table to include Subcategory 9 "Medical and Recreational Marijuana (Cannabis) and Related Uses", introduced and sponsored by Councilor Moffitt.

Unfinished Business

1. Discuss, consider and possibly vote to revise Communications Committee charge to extend their term to December 5, 2022 – requested by Councilor Marvel.

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, Police Station, Hopkinton Website, Secretary of State Website. Posting date: June 2, 2022