

**ATTLEBORO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
INAUGURATION - MEETING
TUESDAY JANUARY 7, 2020
7:00 P.M. @ ATTLEBORO HIGH SCHOOL
*AMENDED AGENDA**

APPROVAL OF THE RECORDS: November 5, 2019, November 12, 2019, November 19, 2019, December 10, December 17, 2019. Executive Sessions June 6, 2017, June 27, 2017, April 10, 2018 and March 12, 2019.

No Public hearings tonight due to inauguration.

January 21, 2020 Public Hearings are as follows:

PUBLIC HEARING to consider the possible revocation, suspension or modification to the Class II license of Green Light Auto of 650 Washington Street, Attleboro.

PUBLIC HEARING relative to the proposed amendment to the Revised Ordinances of the City of Attleboro Section 7-8, Health, as it pertains to solid waste fee reduction for eligible property taxpayers.

PUBLIC HEARING relative to the proposed amendment to the Revised Ordinances of the City of Attleboro Section 10, Motor Vehicles and Parking, as it pertains to parking restrictions on Beagle Club Road.

PUBLIC HEARING relative to a proposed change in the Exempt Classification Plan of the Personnel Rules and Regulations of the City, to add Administrative Assistant to the Mayor in place of the current title for that position, Executive Secretary.

PUBLIC WORKS

- Transfer \$262,458.47 to for Water Department’s ongoing Water Meter Replacement FY2020 (12/03/19)
- Request \$265,907.00 for Parks & Forestry purchase of a vehicle dump truck with grapple body and chip box. (12/17/19)
- \$1,000.00 to cover deductible for the Animal Control Vehicle damage repair. (12/17/19)
- Create Special Committee to address Ordinances for the Winter Parking Ban concern and Snow Removal. (NB 12/17/19)
- Robert Peterson communicating that parking ban is outdated. (12/17/19)
- Amy Lambert of Pleasant St. requesting help with drivers down her driveway thinking it is Pike Avenue (12/17/19)
- Haley Fiske communication suggesting winter parking ban is unnecessary (12/17/19)
- George Jackson suggesting “as needed” parking ban (12/17/19)
- A communication from Robert Peterson suggesting the parking ban is outdated and should only be on storm days. (12/17/19)
- Communication dated January 21, 2018 from resident Kellie Marcil, suggesting a change in the Winter Parking Ban (2/6/18)
- Communication dated January 15, 2018 from Adam Stuminski, relative to changes in the Winter Parking Ban (2/6/18)
- To investigate the following amendments: Section 11-10 Sidewalk Snow and Ice Removal and Section 11-10 Sidewalk Snow Removal in Commercial or Industrial Zones_(New Business—Ms. Porreca) (1/16/18)

PERSONNEL & HUMAN SERVICES

- 14 reappointments for positions: Wiring Inspector; City Solicitor; Community Development Director; Director of Budget; Director of Emergency management; Director of Veteran’s Services; Forest Warden; Health Officer; Building and Mechanical Inspector; Lockup Keeper; Parking Administrator; Recreation Director and Superintendent of Public Works.
- Appointment of Giana Pina to fill a term on Attleboro Youth Commission to expire 2023 (12/17/19)*
- Appropriate \$27,900.00 for longevity payments for 16 departments. (12/17/19)
- Transfer funds in Wastewater Enterprise to pay \$4,400 in longevity payments. (12/17/19)
- Transfer finds in Water Enterprise to pay \$2,300 in longevity payments. (12/17/19)
- Add Administrative Assistant to the Mayor as a job title to the Exempt Classification Plan. (12/17/19)(PH 1-21-20)
- Mayor Heroux’ suspension of Joe Caponigro from the Traffic Study Commission (12/17/19)

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS & CITY DEVELOPMENT

- Request for a multifunction printer purchase for the Planning and Development department \$10,254.00 (12/17/19)
- Letter from Dee Dee Chang suggesting alternative solution to utility pole issues. (11-5-19)
- Petition from Green Dr. and Fairway Dr. neighbors regarding an oversized electrical pole installed in September (10-1-19)
- Appropriate \$460,000 to Gym floors for Hyman Fine/Hill Roberts and parking lots for elementary schools (10-15-19)

ZONING & LAND USE

- PH to declare surplus a 7,236 sf area on Frank Mossberg Drive, which was recently discontinued. (10-15-19) (PH 11-19-19)

- Amend §17-16.10 NON-CONFORMING SIGNS Delete B in its entirety and insert new language (see New Business-Ms. Porreca & Mr. DiLisio) (12/12/17)

TRANSPORTATION & TRAFFIC

- Proposed amendment change regarding seasonal parking ban for Beagle Club Road (12/17/19) (PH 1/21/20)
- To install a solar flashing light southbound on Slater St. before Augsburg Dr. Refer to TSC (NB Porreca 12/17/19)*
- To install a stop sign on Davis Ave at Pear Street. (NB Porreca 12/17/19)*
- To install a stop sign on Commerce Way at tiffany and install a stop sign Northbound on Tiffany St at Commerce Way. (NB Porreca 12/17/19)*
- To restrict parking 20 feet on either side of residential entrances and egresses on Commerce Way adjacent to NESV (NB Porreca 12/17/19)*
- Traffic Study Commission recommends delay Rathbun-Willard Dr. opening until proposed traffic light installed (11/19/19)
- Request to review the Lasalette Shrine Holiday Traffic issues (11/19/19 Jackson)
- Letter from Ms. Redlund - Zeoli of Augsburg Dr. about exiting to Slater Street. (10-15-19)
- Amend Section 10-4.15: Operation of Heavy Commercial Vehicles adding May St. from Washington St. to Newport Ave. (Ms. Porreca 11/6/18)
- Amend Section 10-4.6 Left Turn Prohibited: May Street to Newport Avenue: May Street traffic traveling --- bound prohibited from making a Left turn onto Newport Avenue Northbound unless directed by a public safety official. (Ms. Porreca 11/6/18)

BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS

- \$8,000 for cleaning services at the senior center due to custodian retiring in November (12/17/19)
- Amend the agreement between City and Schools that all Medicaid reimbursement go to schools. (Ms. Porreca 12/17/19)*
- \$95,462.68 APS request for repairs, for unanticipated repairs at various schools. (12/17/19)*
- \$236.60 FY2019 bill from Veteran's office, no transfer needed. (12/17/19)*
- \$4,705.00 contingency returned to Reserve Funds from the boiler replacement work. (12/17/19)
- \$50.00 for Veterans office to pay an FY2019 bill. (12/17/19)
- To establish a budget under a specific department and superintendent for the former Highland Country Club. (3/5/19)
- Collaborate with state officials to have a meeting to understand the Community Pact Program thru FY2019 for best financial policies for capital improvement (NB Conti 11/13/18)
- That the City of Attleboro accept a local exemption to allow research and development corporations to be taxed as manufacturing corporations in accord with M.G.L. c. 59, § 5, cl. 16(3), as amended by St. 2010, c. 240, § 108, effective for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2018. (03/21/17: NB Mr. Conti)
- To research/investigate establishing a separate Stabilization Fund for the purposes of establishing a fund to replace the Attleboro High School track surface and/or the artificial athletic field (NB—Mr. Kirby and Mr. Conti)
- To establish a procedure for notifying the business community of proposed new ordinances or revisions to existing ordinances that may affect their businesses. (New Business—Mr. Cook and Mr. Bergevine)

LICENSE

- Class II license amendment for 97 Emory Street, LLC. (12/17/19)
- A packet containing police reports for Green Light Auto at 650 Washington Street, Attleboro.
- PH for the possible revocation or modification of license for Green Light Auto 650 Washington Street (PH 1-21-20)
- Complaint against 100 Percent Auto Wholesalers from Doreen DuRoss (11/5/19)
- Class II application for Leins Auto Repair, Inc. 141 Pine Street (11/19/19) PH 12-3-19

CITY PROPERTY & CLAIMS

- Donation from MetFab Engineering of custom stools to aid in the installation of grave flags valued at \$800 (12/17/19)
- Surplus declaration of a UPS Frame from MIS Department. (12/17/19)*
- Donation of a Saxophone and a 32 inch TV to Coelho Middle School. (12/17/19)*
- Surplus request for Fire Departments 2008 GMC ambulance upon arrival of 2018 Dodge ambulance. (12/17/19)
- Donation of \$300.00 in Stop & Shop gift cards from the Holiday Spirit Committee to the COA. (12/17/19)
- Donation of \$750.00 in Stop & Shop gift cards from the Attleboro Elks Lodge #1014 to Veterans office. (12/17/19)
- Donation of \$300 in Stop & Shop gift cards from the Holiday Spirit Committee to Veterans office. (12/17/19)
- Donation of \$700 in Stop & Shop gift cards from the Holiday Spirit Committee to Health office. (12/17/19)

ORDINANCES, ELECTIONS & LEGISLATIVE MATTERS

- Ordinance amendment to add language to 16-12.26, Hydrant use for municipal road work (11/19/19) (PH 12-10-19)
- New Business to add a sentence to City Ordinance 9-28:1 regarding utility pole placement or relocation (Conti 11/5/19)

- To establish in the City of Attleboro, a Mobile Home/Manufactured Homes Rent Control Board. (7/18/19)
- To differentiate between the positions of an executive and legislative city solicitor section 2-3 of the Ordinances of the City of Attleboro. (Ms. Holmes and Mr. Kobus 10/16/18)
- Request for a new ordinance as it pertains to Smoking restrictions in cars with children in car seats (Public Hearing scheduled for September 18, 2018) (7/17/18)

PUBLIC SAFETY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE COUNCIL'S RULES OF PROCEDURES

SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR TAX ABATEMENT REVIEW

- Request adjustment of money from \$600 to \$700 for property tax exemption for senior citizens. (5/7/19)
- Home Rule petition for city with House of Representatives Amendment Article 89 and MGL Ch. 43B to adopt Ordinance for a Senior Tax Program authorizing City to amend Ch. 169 of Acts of 2012 (House, 3815). (Mr. Conti 7/17/18)
- Create an Elderly and Disabled Taxation Aid Fund. (Mr. Kobus 9/18/18)
- That the City of Attleboro create a local property tax freeze program that will bar property tax increases for certain seniors and other eligible populations who are on a fixed income and most affected by an increase taxes (Mr. Kobus 9/18/18)

OLD BUSINESS: None

(Disclaimer: This agenda has been prepared in good faith based on topics that the Municipal Council anticipates may be discussed at its meeting). Agenda prepared by the Administrative Assistant from the Office of the Municipal Council.