

**ATTLEBORO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
SUMMER MEETING
AUGUST 17, 2023 – AGENDA
77 PARK STREET, CITY HALL
MEETING IS CANCELLED**

Records for approval – July 18, and 20, August 15, 2023

No public hearings on August 17, 2023

**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
MAYOR’S COMMUNICATION
CLERK’S COMMUNICATION
COMMITTEE REPORTS**

ITEMS OPEN IN COMMITTEES

LICENSE COMMITTEE

- Application to serve alcohol at Capron Zoo for a fund raiser in September (8/15/23) (PH 8/15/23)
- Application from Paul Courtemanche of Andover Ave to keep 6 unregistered cars at his residence (8/15/23) (PH 9/5/23)

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

- New business for Emergency Parking Ban and amendments to Section 10-5 (12/20/22) (PH 8/15/23)

FINANCE COMMITTEE

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TRANSPORTATION & TRAFFIC COMMITTEE

- Request Isolated Stop Sign Southbound on Steeple chase Circle at Bishop Street (8/15/23)
- New Business to evaluate current layout, signage and conditions for crosswalks near Hyman Fine (2/21/23)
- Request there be no parking from Orange Street to Brownell Street on Parker St. Westerly side (2/7/23)
- That Holden Street traffic calming measures and safety concerns be addressed referred to TSC also (12/20/22)
- To look into multi-way, stop signs at the intersection of Dennis Street at Eldridge Street. (TSC also) (12/6/22)

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IT & INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE

ZONING & LAND USE COMMITTEE

- Planning Board certificate of vote recommending acceptance of 66 streets as public ways (4/4/23)
- Planning Board certificate vote recommending adoption of amendments to ordinance 17 about accessory dwelling (4/4/23)
- Adopt an Inclusionary Zoning ordinance (See Goal 11, Policy 3 of comprehensive plan) (9/20/22) (10/4/22)
- Amendment to Zoning Ordinance to allow for Accessory Dwelling Units (12/21/21) (PH 2-7-23)
- Mobile Home Park zoning district proposed (11/2/21)

CITY PROPERTY & CLAIMS COMMITTEE

- Adopt Article 97 restriction of the Amendments of Mass Constitution for Highland Park (12/20/22)
- New Business to protect Highland Park Property by transferring to Park Commission for Article 97 (12/20/22)
- Request to lift the façade restriction from the sale of 135 County Street (4/5/22)
- New Business to review all city’s annual legal expenses to determine if prudent to use new methods (6/15/21)

PERSONNEL VETERANS AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

- Confirmation of Chris Reilly of Parsonage Way to the Liquor Licensing Board. Term to expire February 2029 (8/15/23)
- Appointment of Cari Gray of Briarwood Drive to the Council on Human Rights. Term to expire February 25 (7/20/23)
- Transfer \$1,678.08 from City Wide to Veterans Prior Year Salaries for a step increase not paid in Oct 2022 (8/15/23)

ORDINANCES, ELECTIONS & LEGISLATIVE MATTERS COMMITTEE

- Letter from Safety and Loss Prevention Manager of Nova Farms disputing previous letter for employee (6/6/23)
- Letter from Jason Leclerc support Nova Farms developing 1000 Washington Street to a cannabis dispensary (6/6/23)

- 3 letters supporting Sustainability commission – School Superintendent, Land Trust Board and Housing Authority (3/7/23)
- Amend Sec 10-7.2 of Ordinances allowing Parking for seniors at the library (PH 3-21-23) (Desimone, Waterman)
- Amend Section 2 to add a Sustainability Commission (1/17/23)
- Requested City Charter change to Article 4 – School Committee (1/17/23)
- Requested City Charter Change to Article 3 – Mayor (1/17/23)
- Ordinance amendment to 10-13 Parking to remove the current free spaces in the covered garage (PH 10/18/22)
- Proposed adoption of Chapter 40U of MGL regarding the collection of fines by the city (PH 9-20-22)
- Request amendment to 16-9, suggesting a Fee Report every 3 years by Water Superintendent (4/6/21)
- Request amendment to 16-15 suggesting a Fee Report every 3 years by the Wastewater Dept. (4/6/21)
- Request to review the Revised Ordinances of the City of Attleboro (12/15/20) (DiLisio)
- Letter from Mark Kolakowski regarding change of hours at the city Compost Center. (6/16/20)
- Request that a Special Commission be formed to review the City Charter. (Ms. Jackson) (2/4/20)

PUBLIC SAFETY AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

- New business to adopt the Mass Police Pay Incentive Program (Quinn Bill) (5/3/22)

SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR TAX ABATEMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION

- Request a Special Committee with focus on current hiring challenges facing the city (9/20/22)

(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.