

Town of North Kingstown



Town Council Meeting

Monday, April 26, 2021

Municipal Offices Court/Meeting Room

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7:00 PM

Agenda

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- 1 Call to Order
- 2 Pursuant to RIGL 42-46-6(c), notice of this meeting has been posted on the Secretary of State's website
- 3 Salute to Flag

I. PUBLIC HEARING

- 4 Second Reading (Uncodified Ordinance) - An Ordinance authorizing the Town to enter into a loan agreement with the Rhode Island Infrastructure Bank to finance the replacement of the Gilbert Stuart Road Bridge and Culvert
- 5 Second Reading - Amendment to Section 11-66, entitled, "Stop Signs"
- 6 Second Reading - Amendment to Section 13-32, entitled, "Beach Parking Permits"
- 7 **Public Comment**
Those wishing to speak are respectfully requested to limit their comments to 3 minutes.

II. CONSENT AGENDA – Items 8 thru 22

All items on the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by the Town Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Council Member or citizen so requests, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered in its normal sequence on the agenda.

- 8 Approval of Minutes
Special Meeting - March 12, 2021
Special Meeting - March 15, 2021
Regular Meeting - March 29, 2021
Regular Meeting - April 5, 2021
- 9 Receipt of Donation - \$20.00
- 10 Award of Contract - Professional Engineering and Surveying Services Thru Final Plan 99 Phillips Street - DiPrete Engineering - \$13,000.00 (Funding is from Net Proceeds - Wickford Elementary Account)

- 11 Award of Contract - Department of Public Works - Gilbert Stuart Bridge Replacement No. 103701 - Cardi Corporation - \$582,830.00 (Contract) - \$116,566.00 (Contingency) (Funding for this project will be from the Rhode Island Infrastructure Bank)
- 12 Annual Entertainment License - Lafayette Band, Inc., PO Box 855, North Kingstown, to hold various indoor and outdoor concerts
- 13 Exhibition License (1-10 vendors) - Cocumscussoc Association, Smith's Castle, 55 Richard Smith Drive, to hold an Open House on May 1, 2021
- 14 Exhibition License (1-10 vendors) - Cocumscussoc Association, Smith's Castle, 55 Richard Smith Drive, to hold a Strawberry Festival on June 19, 2021 (rain date June 20, 2021)
- 15 Exhibition License (1-10 vendors) - Cocumscussoc Association, Smith's Castle, 55 Richard Smith Drive, to hold a Harvest Festival on September 11, 2021 (rain date September 12, 2021)
- 16 Exhibition License (1-10 vendors) - Cocumscussoc Association, Smith's Castle, 55 Richard Smith Drive, to hold Christmas at the Castle on December 4 and 5, 2021
- 17 Exhibition License (21-30 vendors) - Wickford Art Association, 36 Beach Street, to hold a Foodworks Food and Art Market at the Cold Spring Community Center and the Wickford Art Gallery, on September 19, 2021 (rain date September 26, 2021)
- 18 Farmers Market Permit (renewal) - Coastal Growers Farmers Market, PO Box 251, Saunderstown 02874, Market Location: Casey Farm, 2325 Boston Neck Road, Saunderstown
- 19 Fireworks Permit (new) - Quidnessett Country Club, Inc., 950 North Quidnessett Road, to have a Fireworks Display on July 4, 2021 (rain date July 5, 2021)
- 20 Holiday Sales License (new) - Therapy (Clothing) Boutique LLC, dba Therapy Boutique, 5 West Main Street
- 21 Junkyard License Renewals
- 22 Secondhand License Renewals

III. REPORTS

- 23 Report by the Town Manager
- 24 Report by the Finance Director

IV. OLD BUSINESS

- 25 Brief COVID update by Town Manager followed by request for continued Declaration of Local State of Emergency needed to effectively respond to the challenges and services required for local businesses, residents, and local government during this period

V. NEW BUSINESS

- 26 Discussion/Adoption of Fiscal Year 2021/2022 Budget (if ready)
- 27 Arts Council - one (1) member to March 1, 2023
- 28 Asset Management Commission - one (1) At-Large Representative to July 1, 2023
- 29 Building Code Board of Appeals - one (1) Second Alternate to July 1, 2023 to fill the unexpired term of David McCue
- 30 Conservation Commission - one (1) member to October 1, 2021 to fill the unexpired term of Philip Dyer
- 31 Economic Development Advisory Board - one (1) Second Alternate to December 1, 2021
- 32 Historic District Commission - one (1) member to December 31, 2021 to fill the unexpired term of Andrew Correia and one (1) First Alternate to December 31, 2023
- 33 Information Technology Advisory Committee - two (2) Expert Members, one (1) Alternate Expert Member, and one (1) At-Large Member to March 1, 2024
- 34 Personnel Board - one (1) member to March 1, 2024
- 35 Wickford Village Design Guidelines Committee - one (1) Alternate Business Property Owner to December 31, 2021 and one (1) Business Property Owner to December 31, 2023

- 36 Update by Kristen Urbach, Director of the North Kingstown Chamber of Commerce, on the RI Commerce Small Business Relief Grant
- 37 Correspondence

VI. ADJOURNMENT

THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN WILL PROVIDE INTERPRETERS FOR THE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING AT ANY MEETING PROVIDED A REQUEST IS RECEIVED THREE (3) DAYS PRIOR TO SAID MEETING BY CALLING 294-3331, EXT. 122.