

REGULAR MEETING of the Town Council of the Town of Burrillville to be held Wednesday, February 11, 2026, at 7:00 P.M. in the Burrillville Town Building, 105 Harrisville Main Street, Harrisville for and within the Town of Burrillville.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Council President Donald A. Fox and Councilors Stephen N. Rawson, Dennis M. Anderson, Justin P. Batalon, Anne M. Brown, David Houle and Kevin McDaniel

MEMBERS ABSENT:

- 1. Pledge of Allegiance**

- 2. Public Comment**

- 3. General Good and Welfare of the Town of Burrillville**

- 4. Consent Agenda to be considered and acted on:**

Note: All items on the consent agenda shall be acted on as one item and equivalent to taking the proposed action on each item individually.

- 26-041 Approve the minutes of the regular meeting of January 28, 2026; and dispense with the reading of said minutes.

- 26-042 Receive and file signed agreements between Pare Corporation and the Town of Burrillville for site assessment of the properties located at 120 Mapleville Main Street (Burrillville Assessor's map 214, lot 065) and 120 New Street (Burrillville Assessor's map 214, lot 041).

- 26-043 Receive and file the notice to abutters of the site investigation conducted on 120 Mapleville Main Street (Burrillville Assessor's map 214, lot 065) and 120 New Street (Burrillville Assessor's map 214, lot 041) conducted by BETA Inc.

- 26-044 Receive and file the announcement from US Representative Seth Magaziner of the award of a grant of \$500,000 to develop a new field house at Burrillville High School.

- 26-045 Declare surplus items used by the finance department as recommended by Leslie McGovern, Finance Director.

5. Special Business to be considered and acted on:

- 26-046 Consider and act on adopting a citation honoring George A. Barber on the occasion of his 100th birthday; or take any other action thereon.

- 26-047 Application from St. Theresa Shrine, to apply at 35 Dion Drive (Map 097, Lot 016), as follows:
 - a) Special event victualing license for events during 2026; and
 - b) Class F liquor license for the parish bazaar on November 20 & 21, 2026.

6. Petitions to be considered and acted on: None

7. Unfinished Business to be considered and acted on: None

8. Public Hearings: None

9. New Business to be considered and acted on:

- 26-048 First reading of proposed amendments to the Revised General Ordinances of the Town of Burrillville, RI, 2004, as amended, *Chapter 10 Cemeteries*, prohibiting the establishment of a cemetery or place of burial on private property; and consider scheduling a public hearing.

Legislation

- 26-049 Consider and act on adopting a resolution in opposition to legislation that would make changes to the Access to Public Records Act; or take any other action thereon.
- 26-050 Consider and act on adopting a resolution requesting legislation for dealing with individuals found to be squatting illegally on property that belongs to someone else; or take any other action thereon.
- 26-051 Consider and act on the correspondence from Vicki T. Martin, Town Clerk, in support of legislation which seeks to modernize and improve the way public notices are published in the towns of Burrillville and Glocester; or take any other action thereon.
- 26-052 Consider and act on legislation pending before the Rhode Island General Assembly; or take any other action thereon.

10. Town Clerk/Communication to be considered and acted on: None

11. Additional new business to be considered and acted on:

- 26-053 Request for executive session:
- A. Request for executive session from Michael C. Wood, Town Manager, pursuant to Rhode Island Open Meetings Law
- §42-46-5(a)(5) for discussion, consideration and action relative to the property located at 0 Pascoag Main Street (Burrillville Assessor's map 158, lot 079); or take any other action thereon.
 - §42-46-5(a)(5) for discussion, consideration and action relative to the property located at 98 Roosevelt Avenue (Burrillville Assessor's map 140, lot 085); or take any other action thereon.

- §42-46-5(a)(2) for discussion, consideration and action relative to litigation (Roberta Lacey v. Town of Burrillville et al, C.A. No.: PC-2024-04858 and PC-2024-05161 and countersuits filed by the Town of Burrillville); or take any other action thereon.
- B. Return to open session.
- C. Consider and act on sealing the minutes of executive session, making note of any votes taken.
- D. Consider and act on disclosing any votes taken in executive session, as appropriate.

12. Adjournment

All supporting documents (except for executive session items) are on file in the Town Clerk's Office and are available to the public upon request. The Town of Burrillville will provide accommodations needed to ensure equal participation. Please contact the Burrillville Town Clerk at least three (3) business days prior to the meeting so arrangements can be made to provide such assistance at no cost to the person requesting it. A request for this service can be made in writing or by calling (401) 568-4300 (voice) or "via RI Relay 1-800-745-5555" (TTY).