

**New Shoreham Town Council Meeting Agenda**  
**Tuesday, August 25, 2020**  
**5:00 p.m.**

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State of Rhode Island Executive Order 20-46 dated June 12, 2020.

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1. Discuss and act on amending emergency ordinance pertaining to Outdoor Entertainment Licenses for all license holders to conform with the settlement agreement.
2. Receive and act on reports on the previous weekend's traffic enforcement effort by the R.I. State Police and report on motorized vehicle accidents requiring Rescue assistance for same time period.
3. Discuss and act on emergency amendments to the Town ordinances regulating motorized cycles and mopeds to deal with the emergency which has arisen regarding the public health, safety and/or general welfare of the Town. Specifically, this agenda item is required to address the following: the series of moped and other accidents this summer culminating in a moped accident fatality as well as personal injuries resulting from a constant series of moped accidents; the Town's reduced ability to deal with such accidents and injuries because the number of the Town's rescue personnel has been reduced to approximately one third as a result of personnel electing not to respond because of the COVID-19 crisis; the overwhelming of the Town's medical resources; and the overwhelming of the Town's police force and resources. The following items pertaining to motorized cycles and mopeds may be discussed and considered: reduction in the number of motorized cycles and mopeds which a license shall be permitted to rent or lease; wrist bands for authorized drivers for such purposes as identification of authorized moped drivers; adding stickers to vehicles regarding vehicle identification, improper use of horns, and dirt road prohibitions; measures to improve safety and orientation; mandatory helmets for all riders; mandatory appropriate footwear for all riders. Also, measures to relocate training from Weldon's Way; raising the moped operator age limit; enforcement of rules pertaining to rentals on property referenced in the moped licenses; reduction of ridership to one rider per vehicle; and reduction in the hours of operation.
4. Minutes

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