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All items on this agenda are to be discussed and/or acted upon.

TOWN OF LITTLE COMPTON
TOWN COUNCIL meeting
Town Hall – 40 Commons
Little Compton, RI

MEETING OF JULY 21, 2022

Live streaming at
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AGENDA

7:00 P.M.

Salute to the Flag

Announcements:

1. LC Village Improvement Society and the Town will be holding the Little Compton Community Day on August 6th at Veterans Field starting at 12 noon with Touch a Truck, Chicken Barbeque at 4 pm – 6 pm, Soccer Games 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm, Music from 5 pm – 8 pm, Food by the Wilbur McMahan 8th Grade Class and local vendors and finishing off the day with Fireworks at 9 pm. Rain date will be August 7th

Approval of Minutes – July 5, 2022 – special meeting with Planning Board
July 7, 2022 – regular council meeting
July 12, 2022 – special meeting

Department Head Reports:

1. Tax Assessor – report for month of June 2022
2. Building Department – Analytics report for June 2022
3. Police Department – Monthly report for June 2022
4. Town Administrator – Monthly report for June 2022

Old Business:

1. Report on review for Electric Vehicles – continued from a meeting held in May 2022
2. Report from Town Administrator and Council President for end of fiscal year 2022 account balances and encumbered funds
3. Mayflower Wind Project – copy of Portsmouth Economic Development Committee letter to Christopher Hardy, Mayflower Wind expressing the Town's concerns over the proposed route for undersea/underground cabling. Copy of PowerPoint Presentation from January 19, 2022 introducing the project to Portsmouth. Referred to Little

Compton Town Council to allow written comments to be submitted should the Council decide to comment.

New Business:

1. Request from the Community Dinner Committee, Barbara Passmore, Chairwoman to hold the third annual Community Dinner on September 11, 2022 on the north side of the Commons.
2. Request from Lavinia Gadsden to discuss Tennis Court Infrastructure and chances of having the Tennis/Pickle ball Court replaced
3. Receive bids for South Shore Town Beach Storm Water Damage Repair and Improvement South Shore Road – joint bid process with the Beach Commission. Accept bids and consider options to move forward in the bid process
4. Request from Chief Raynes for the Council to adopt a resolution in support of Non-Emergency Police Powers Mutual Aid Agreements which would allow nonadjacent municipalities to collaborate together.
5. Consider adoption a resolution which would prevent issuance of new cannabis-related licenses in the town unless and until the electors of the town vote to approve such actions.
6. Recommendation from the Town Administrator to support a request of the Police Chief to purchase a Variable Message Sign Board to replace the current aging board.

Board of License Commissioners: none

Communications:

1. Request from the United Congregational Church to use the Town Landing on August 28, 2022 at 10 am for its Summer Beach Service.
2. Abatement List submitted by the Tax Assessor to abate several tangible accounts for closed businesses.
3. Letter from the Planning Board resubmitting recommendations for code amendments for storm water management and new language to set a process for code use review when a use is not specifically listed. The Planning Board asks for a public hearing to be set for both proposals.

Consent:

1. Bill Summary supplied by the Town Solicitor to summarize FY22

Payment of Bills

Consent Agenda - All items listed 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 withdrawn from the General Order of business and considered in the normal sequence on the agenda.

All are welcome to any meeting at the town, which is open to the public. Individuals requiring communication assistance or any accommodation to ensure equal participation will need to contact the Town Clerk at 635-4400 not less than 48 hours prior to the meeting.