

REGULAR MEETING of the Town Council of the Town of Burrillville to be held Wednesday, November 10, 2021 at 7:00 P.M. in the Burrillville Town Building, 105 Harrisville Main Street, Harrisville for and within the Town of Burrillville.

PRESENT: Council President Donald A. Fox and Councilors Stephen N. Rawson, Dennis M. Anderson, Jeremy P. Bailey, Justin P. Batalon, Amanda K. Gingell and Raymond J. Trinque

MEMBERS ABSENT:

1. Pledge of Allegiance

2. That the question of accepting the minutes of the public hearing held October 21, 2021 and regular meeting held October 27, 2021; and the question of dispensing with the reading of said minutes be now taken up.

3. Public Comment

4. General Good and Welfare of the Town of Burrillville

5. Special Business to be considered and acted on:

21-240 Consider and act on a motion to adopt a proclamation declaring the Saturday after Thanksgiving, November 27, 2021 as Small Business Saturday.

6. Petitions to be considered and acted on: None

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

8. Public Hearings:

21-241 Proposed amendments to the Revised General Ordinances of the Town of Burrillville, RI, 2004, as amended, *Sec. 26-39 Handicap parking zone*, amending handicap parking spaces to the municipal lot on Route 107 (Pascoag Main Street) and Park Place.

Note: Notice of the public hearing was advertised in The Woonsocket Call on November 9, 2021.

- A. Comments/Input/Recommendations from the Ordinance Subcommittee
- B. Comments/Input/Recommendation by Administration – Solicitor, Town Manager

- C. Proponents
- D. Opponents
- E. Closure of the public hearing
- F. Town Council Deliberation
- G. Consider and act on a motion to adopt amendments to the Revised General Ordinances of the Town of Burrillville, RI, 2004, as amended, *Sec. 26-39 Handicap parking zone*, amending handicap parking spaces to the municipal lot on Route 107 (Pascoag Main Street) and Park Place.
- H. Motion to adjourn the public hearing

9. New Business to be considered and acted on:

- 21-242 First reading of proposed amendments to the Revised General Ordinances of the Town of Burrillville, RI, 2004, as amended, *Sec. 30 Zoning*, by adding *Sec. 30-164 Inclusionary zoning* and revisions to *Sec. 30-204 Multiunit dwellings* to make it consistent with the proposed new section; and consider scheduling a public hearing.
- 21-243 Consider and act on filling the vacancy on the School Committee in accordance with Section 11.06 of the Burrillville Town Charter; or take any other action thereon.
- 21-244 Consider and act on a motion to refer to the Screening Subcommittee the applications from Jennifer St. George for reappointment to Board of Assessment Review, and from Melanie Page for appointment to the Jesse M. Smith Memorial Library Board of Trustees.
- 21-245 Consider and act on a recommendation from Michael C. Wood, Town Manager, to approve the proposal for land use services from Horsley Whitten Group; or take any other action thereon.
- 21-246 Consider and act on American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), solicitation for ideas, projects and programs for use of the town's allocated funds; 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:

- 21-247 Request for executive session from Donald A. Fox, Town Council President, pursuant to Rhode Island Open Meetings Law §42- 46-5(a)(1) for discussion, consideration and possible action relative to the job performance of Michael C. Wood, Town Manager; or take any other action thereon

Note: Michael C. Wood was duly notified in advance in writing of this request for Executive Session; he was notified and advised that he could require that the discussion be held at an open meeting.

- 21-248 Consider and act on a request to authorize the Town administration to submit an application for the 2022 State of Rhode Island Natural Heritage Preservation Commission Local Open Space Conservation and Acquisition Grant for property located at Burrillville Assessor's map 174, lot 133; or take any other action thereon.

12. Adjournment

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).