

Office of the BOARD OF SELECTMEN

272 Main Street, Townsend, Massachusetts 01469

Sue Lisio, Chairman

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AGENDA JULY 10, 2018 6:00 P.M. SELECTMEN'S CHAMBERS, TOWN HALL 272 MAIN STREET, TOWNSEND, MA

- I. PRELIMINARIES VOTES MAY BE TAKEN:
- 1.1 Call the meeting to order and roll call.
- 1.2 Pledge of Allegiance
- 1.3 Announce that the meeting is being tape recorded.

Chad Stateler, Reserve Officer

- 1.4 Chairman's Additions or Deletions.
- II. APPOINTMENTS AND HEARINGS VOTES MAY BE TAKEN:
- 2.1 6:05P.M. Barbara Tierney, Treasurer RE: Award of sale and execution of note documents.

III. APPOINTMENTS OF OFFICIALS/PERSONNEL - VOTES MAY BE TAKEN:

3.1 Appoint the following as Special Police Officers to the Townsend Police Department for a one-year term effective July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019:

James P. Marino, Police Chief Michael F. Luth, LT Thomas L. Gammel, Sgt lack A. Hebert, Sgt Jeffrey M. Thibodeau, Detective/Sgt Sean J. Connery, Sgt Jonathan J. Broc, Officer Robert D. DiConza, Officer Jacob Lachance, Officer Kayla M. Leger, Officer Kayla M. Leger, Officer Joshua M. Mathieu, Officer Bradley McNamara, Officer John Morreale, Jr., Officer Joshua B. Tocci, Officer Sean Zrate, Officer Stanley W. Barney, Reserve Officer Benjamin Campbell, Reserve Officer Samuel Christensen, Reserve Officer Erin K. Considine, Reserve Officer Robert R. DeCosta, Reserve Officer Donald A. Letarte, Reserve Officer Zachery J. Levasseur, Reserve Officer Whitney Mansfield, Reserve Officer Ionathan G. May, Reserve Officer Lisa M. Melnicki, Reserve Officer Kamerin Munroe, Reserve Officer Gage Russel, Reserve Officer

3.2 Appoint the following as Special Police Officers to the Townsend Police Department for a one-year term effective July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019:

John M. Wagner, Reserve Officer

Fred S. Alden, Police Chief John R. Dillon, Officer Erik C. Salo, Officer Dylan J. Denis, Reserve Officer Derek Pepple, Sgt Brian F. Vautour, Officer Corin W. Campbell, Officer

- 3.3 Appoint Paul Clark as a Truck Driver/Laborer to the Townsend Highway Department effective July 10, 2018 contingent upon the passing of a medical exam and CORI with a one-year probationary period.
- 3.4 Appoint Jane Jackson to the Council on Aging for a three year term effective July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.
- 3.5 Appoint Joan Daigle to the Council on Aging for a three year term effective July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.
- 3.6 Appoint Cynthia Donovan to the 300th Anniversary Committee effective July 10, 2018.
- 3.7 Appoint Alice Struthers to the Girls' School Commemoration Committee effective July 10, 2018
- 3.8 Appoint Natalie Call to the American Flag Committee effective July 10, 2018.
- IV. MEETING BUSINESS VOTES MAY BE TAKEN:
- 4.1 Discussion, RE: American Flag Committee
 - 4.1.1 Appoint a Board Liaison to the American Flag Committee.
 - 4.1.2 Discussion, RE: American Flag Committee background information.
- 4.2 Review/Award FY 19 Material Bids as recommended by James Smith, Highway Superintendent.
- 4.3 Accept a grant from the Community Foundation of North Central Massachusetts in the amount of \$8,128.00 for purpose of funding educational opportunities for the Senior Center Staff.
- 4.4 Review/Approve request from the Chief of Police to be paid for 10 unused vacations days for FY18 in accordance with his personnel services contract.
- 4.5 Review/Approve non-exercise of option for an affordable housing unit on Coppersmith Way.
- 4.6 Review FY 18 warrant article carry over requests.
- 4.7 Review/Approve an application to Cross, Alter and/or Construct within a Town Way, RE: South Row Road.
- V. OLD BUSINESS VOTES MAY BE TAKEN:
- 5.1 Policies
 - 5.1.1 Board of Selectmen Operating Policy (amended agenda section)
 - 5.1.2 Board of Selectmen Liaison Roles Policy
 - 5.1.3 Board of Selectmen Public Comment Policy
 - 5.1.4 Board of Selectmen Legal Counsel Policy
- VI. WORK SESSION VOTES MAY BE TAKEN:
- 6.1 Town Administrator updates and reports.
 - 6.1.1 Roads Scholar Designation-Highway Superintendent Jim Smith

- 6.1.2 Brief Cable Non-Profit and System Expansion Discussion
- 6.1.3 Department Assistant, Leigh Reddin
- 6.1.4 Annual Departmental Work Calendars
- 6.1.5 All Boards Meeting- Week of September 17-22, 2018- Select Date and Discuss
- 6.1.6 Board and Employee Reception-Select Date and Discuss
- 6.1.7 Town Counsel
- 6.1.8 Action Items List-

Training Open Meeting Law and Ethics

- 6.1.9 Updates: Charter Review Committee, Town Properties Committee, Regional Dispatch, Land Use Coordinator.
- 6.1.10 Outstanding Items List
- 6.2 Board of Selectmen announcements, updates, and reports.

Sue Lisio:

- 1. Housing Authority Liaison Report
- 2. The Chair requests the Board approve a request to receive copies of written comments, opinions, and back-up information regarding all current and/or pending Union and Personal Contracts from Town Counsel. If no written comments exist on current or pending contracts, the Chair requests the Board approve a request for written comments from Town Counsel.

Wayne Miller - Band Concert Announcement

- 6.3 Board of Selectmen Mail/Correspondence.
- 6.4 Approval of meeting minutes for June 19, 2018
- 6.5 Review and sign payroll and bills payable warrants

VII: EXECUTIVE SESSION - VOTES MAY BE TAKEN:

Executive Session pursuant to GL c. 30A, s. 21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position or litigating position and the chair so declares. Merrill vs Townsend

Executive Session pursuant to GL c. 30A, s. 21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position or litigating position and the chair so declares. RE: Fire Union and Police Union.

Executive Session pursuant to GL c. 30A, s. 21(a)(2) to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions or contract negotiations with nonunion personnel. RE: Police Lieutenant

Executive Session: pursuant to GL c. 30A, s. 21(a)(1) to discuss the reputation, character, physical condition or mental health, rather than professional competence, of an individual, or to discuss the discipline or dismissal of, or complaints or charges brought against, a public officer, employee, staff member or individual.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT: