

Approved 4-17-23

Posted March 30, 2023

Amended
The City of Warwick
Docket of the City Council
Regular Business Meeting
For
April 3, 2023
@ 7:00 P.M.
Council Chambers
Warwick City Hall
3275 Post Road
Warwick, RI 02886
Stephen P. McAllister, President

Roll Call: 9/0

Time: 7:06 PM

Salute To The Flag: Potowomut Community Association
Gebhart – Gives overview of the Potowomut Community Association

General Communications

1. Announcements of Congratulations, Condolences, or Community Events.

Potowomut Community Association to lead the Pledge of Allegiance

McAllister – Easter Egg Hunt Saturday at City Park begins at 12:30 PM

Rix – Tax Relief will be holding a meeting this month ahead of Budget Hearings – will docket Reconsideration of Committee to be heard prior to Budgets

Howe – Moment of Silence 3/29 Blackhawk 101 Airborne Division crashed – moment of silence for the 9 members

Executive Communications

None

- A. **Acceptance of minutes from council meeting held on:
March 20, 2023**
Moved by: **Howe**
Seconded by: **Gebhart**
Vote: **vv (Sinapi & Rix abstain)**

Paused 7:16 PM

Resumed 8:50 PM

1. Appointments Requiring Confirmation –

Library Board of Trustees

1. Peggy Chace
28 Potters Ave
Warwick, RI 02886
Vice: Diane Erban (Ward 7) Term to expire: December 31, 2026

Committee Report (Appointments): **Hold 4-17-2023**

Action:
Moved by:
Seconded by:
Vote:

2. Consent Calendar –

1. PCR-37-23 Resolution Relative to Bids (Councilman Howe)

Committee Report (Finance): **Favorable**

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Howe**
Seconded by: **Foley, Ladoucuer**
Adopted R-23-31

2. PCR-38-23 Resolution Relative to Abatements (Councilman Howe)

Committee Report (Finance): **Favorable**

Action: **Favorable**

Moved by: **Howe**

Seconded by: **Foley**

Adopted R-23-32

3. PCR-39-23 Resolution Relative to Claims (Councilman Foley)

Committee Report (Public Safety): **Favorable**

Action: **Favorable**

Moved by: **Foley**

Seconded by: **Rix, McElroy**

Adopted R-23-33

Consent calendar vote: 9/0

***ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT CALENDAR**

2024-014 Re-Accreditation Services assigned PCR-41-23

1. PCR-41-23 2024-014 Re-Accreditation Services

Committee Report (Finance): **Favorable to Amend**

Action: **Favorable to Amend**

Moved by: **Howe**

Seconded by: **Foley**

Vote: **9/0**

Adopted R-23-34

Favorable as Amended

Howe

Foley

9/0

Unfinished Business

(Items to be considered may include second passage of ordinances not tabled, first passage of ordinances not tabled, resolutions, reports of committees on items referred and previously tabled, removal of items from the table, and action on items removed from the table)

1. **PCO-18-22 An Ordinance Penalizing Owners or Lessees of Vehicles used to Carry Materials to a place at which they are illegally dumped** (Councilman Howe & Councilman Ladouceur)

First Passage

Committee Report (Ordinance): **Favorable to Amend**

Action: Favorable	Favorable to Amend
Moved by: Howe	Howe
Seconded by: Ladouceur, Travis	
Vote:	9/0

Favorable as Amended
Moved by: Howe
Seconded by: Ladouceur, Travis
Vote: 9/0

2. **PCR-24-23 2023-088 Repairs to E13** (Councilman Howe)

Committee Report (Finance): **Hold 4-17-2023**

Action:
Moved by:
Seconded by:
Vote:

3. **PCR-31-23 Angela Toljan Claim** (Councilman Foley)

Committee Report (Public Safety): **Unfavorable - Deny**

Action: Unfavorable	Rix - To Hold 4-17-2023
Moved by: Foley	Rix
Seconded by:	McElroy
Vote:	vv

New Business

1. **PCO-9-23 An Ordinance to Prohibit Parking on the West side of Lauren Court on School Days between 8:30 AM and 9:30 AM and between 2:30 PM and 3:30 PM** (Councilman Ladouceur)

First Passage

Committee Report (Ordinance): **Favorable**

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Ladouceur**
Seconded by: **Travis, Howe**
Vote: **9/0**

2. **PCO-10-23 An Ordinance to Prohibit Parking on the South side of Castle Rocks Road between 133 and 179 Castle Rocks Road** (Councilman Gebhart)

First Passage

Committee Report (Ordinance): **Favorable**

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Gebhart**
Seconded by: **Howe**
Vote: **9/0**

3. **PCR-33-23 A Resolution in regards to Authorizing and Repositioning the Stop Sign on Glenco Road where it intersects with Wharf Road** (Councilman Ladouceur)

Committee Report (Public Safety): **Favorable**

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Ladoucuer**
Seconded by: **Howe**
Vote: **9/0**

Adopted R-23-35

4. **PCR-35-23 A Resolution requesting the General Assembly to amend R.I.G.L. §44-5-67.2 regarding Property Tax Classification for The City of Warwick to reduce the Minimum Ratio of Class 1 to Class 2 Rates** (Council President McAllister on behalf of Mayor Picozzi)

Committee Report (Intergovernmental): **Favorable**

Action:	Favorable	Ladouceur motion to Hold 5/25
Moved by:	McElroy	No Second
Seconded by:	Foley, Howe	Motion Fails
Vote:	8/1 (Ladoucuer)	

Adopted R-23-36

5. **PCR-36-23 A Resolution in regards to erecting a Stop Sign on Charlotte Drive where it intersects with Sawyer Avenue** (Councilman Gebhart)

Committee Report (Public Safety): **Favorable**

Action:	Favorable
Moved by:	Gebhart
Seconded by:	Ladouceur, Howe
Vote:	9/0

Adopted R-23-37

Referral and Advertising

PCO-11-23 - Zone Change – JMR Properties, Inc (Councilman Gebhart)

Unanimous Consent

1. **PCR-40-23 A Resolution memorializing the General Assembly to enact legislation amending State Laws that provide for increased School Housing Aid for certain school projects to extend the deadlines for Commencement and Completion of such projects by One Year** (Council President McAllister on behalf of Mayor Picozzi)

Action:	Favorable
Moved by:	Howe
Seconded by:	Foley
Vote:	9/0

Adopted R-23-38

Motion to Adjourn: Travis

Seconded by:

Vote: vv

Time: 9:40 PM

Next Available Numbers: PCR-41-23
PCO-12-23

Docket Session

Rix – Res for Tax Relief Commission (Fin)

Howe – Ord Sec 64-6 Military Time for City Employee's (Ord)

Gebhart – Ord to dissolve Alarm Review Panel (Ord)

Gebhart & Foley– Res City Fin Dept to explore city & School city & other municipalities (Fin)

McAllister – Res Support Clerks Association Bill (IG)

Attest,



Lynn D'Abrosca
City Clerk

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