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Amended
The City of Warwick
Docket of the City Council
Regular Business Meeting
For
January 6, 2021
@
@ 7:00 P.M.

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Roll Call: 9/0

Time: 7:00 PM

Salute To The Flag: Councilman Gebhart and son Jack Gebhart (5), Cedar Hill School

Executive Communications

None

General Communications –

McAllister – has spoken with Mayor Picozzi and he has hit the ground running. Chief of Staff will be joining the meeting tonight – Welcomes Susan Ayrasian Congrats Mayor and 2 new council and all colleagues. Thanks the Inauguration committee for a safe event thanks Mayor Avedesian as well.

Support and Pray for the safety for all in DC – His headquarters are in DC A lot of friends and colleagues in area, sad day, pray everyone gets home safe, it's a sad day in government.

Rix – Chair Tax Relief interested in convening in near future. Congrats to 2 new council people. New Admin may make new designation on the committee as well as the 2 new council members to discuss and vote on the upcoming matters. As we are aware, earlier today a riotous group sieged and broke into the US Capitol, highly disturbing this can happen, shouldn't have been encouraged or allowed to happen. Peoples business is serious. Read's 14th Amendment Sec.3 What we saw today in DC is disgusting, those must be brought to justice, this cannot be allowed to stand.

A. Acceptance of minutes from council meeting held on: None

1. Announcement of Appointments –

****The following announcements were read into the record at the December 21, 2020 City Council Regular Public Hearing Meeting**

Board of Public Safety

James H. Paolucci

6 Martingale Dr.

Warwick, RI 02886

Re-Appointment

Ward 9

Term to Expire: January 1, 2023

Thomas McGovern
26 Hilton Rd.
Warwick, RI 02889
Re-Appointment

Ward 3
Term to Expire: January 1, 2024

Planning Board

Philip C. Slocum
211 Carlton Avenue
Warwick, RI 02889
Re-Appointment

Ward 5
Term to Expire: January 1, 2025

Michael Penta
30 Dayton Avenue
Warwick, RI 02889
Vice: Wayne L. Hemond

Ward 4
Term to Expire: January 1, 2024

2. Appointments Requiring Confirmation – None

3. Consent Calendar –

1. PCR-2-21 Resolution Relative to Bids

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

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Howe**
Seconded by: **Foley**

Adopted
R-21-2

2. PCR-3-21 Resolution Relative to Abatements

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

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Howe**
Seconded by: **Gebhart, Foley**

Adopted
R-21-3

3. PCR- 4-21 Resolution Relative to Traffic Studies

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

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Foley**
Seconded by: **McAllister, Rix**

Adopted
R-21-4

4. PCR-5-21 Omnibus Resolution of Congratulations and Condolences

Committee Report: (Community Affairs): **Favorable**

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Rix**
Seconded by: **Travis, Foley**

Adopted
R-21-5

Consent calendar vote: 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-16-20 (Sub A) Ordinance Relative to Permitting and Regulating Charitable Donation Bins (Councilman Rix, Councilman Howe)
Second Passage, As Amended**

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

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

Second Passage
O-21-1

2. **PCO-21-20 – Ordinance in Regards to Erecting “No Parking” Signs on Naples Avenue in Front of the Starbucks Lot Facing Westbound**

(Councilman Sinapi)

Second Passage

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

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Sinapi**
Seconded by: **Foley, Rix**
Vote: **9/0**

Second Passage
O-21-2

3. **PCO-22-20 Ordinance in regards to erecting No Parking Signs for Arnold Ave and Hall St.** (Councilman Gebhart)

Second Passage

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

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

Second Passage
O-21-3

4. **PCO-10-20 An Ordinance Relative to Amendment of the Warwick Zoning Ordinance: Regulations for the Installation of Solar Energy System**

(Councilman Sinapi)

First Passage – Not Drafted

Committee Report: (Land Use): **Hold 1-20-2021**

5. **PCR-40-20 A Resolution in regards to amending the City Council Rules**

(Councilman Sinapi)

Not Drafted

Committee Report: (Intergovernmental): **Hold 3-8-2021**

New Business

1. **PCO-23-20 Ordinance in regards to Omnibus Reforms, Updates, and Amendments to Chapter 4 of the Warwick Code of Ordinances Entitled Animals and Fowl** (Councilman Rix and Councilman Sinapi)

First Passage, Not Drafted

Committee Report: (Ordinance): **Hold 3-8-2021**

2. **PCO-24-20 Ordinance in regards to modernization of Public Safety Equipment** (Councilman Howe)

First Passage

Committee Report: (Finance): **Hold 1-20-2021**

3. **PCR-125-20 Resolution from the Warwick City Council to the Rhode island Department of Transportation and the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority regarding the proposed bus stop on Greenwich Ave.** (Councilman Sinapi)

Committee Report: (Intergovernmental): **Favorable**

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Sinapi**
Seconded by: **Rix, Foley, Gebhart**
Vote: **9/0**

**Adopted
R-21-6**

4. **PCR-126-20 Resolution for a School Bond Referendum** (Councilman Gebhart, **Foley, Rix, Howe, McElroy, Ladouceur, Travis, McAllister, Sinapi**)

Not Drafted

Committee Report: (Finance): **Hold 2-1-2021**

5. **PCR-127-20 A Resolution to discuss recommendations of the Chapter 4 Commission, PCR-36-19, Relative to Chapter 4 of the Warwick Code of Ordinances Entitled Animals and Fowl** (Councilman Rix and Councilman Sinapi)

Not Drafted

Committee Report: (Intergovernmental): **Hold 2-1-2021**

6. PCR-128-20 Resolution from the Warwick City Council to the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management in support of the City of Warwick's Submission to the 2021 Recreational Trail Grant Program

(Councilman McAllister & Councilman Sinapi, Travis, Ladouceur, Howe, McElroy, Rix, Foley, Gebhart)

Committee Report: (Intergovernmental): **Favorable**

Action: **Favorable**
Moved by: **Sinapi**
Seconded by: **Travis, Gebhart, Foley**
Vote: **9/0**

Adopted
R-21-7

Unanimous Consent

Foley - A Resolution from the Warwick City Council in support of the Friends of Salter's Grove Community Group's Submission of Champlin Grant Application for Improvements to the George B. Salter Memorial Grove

Motion to Adjourn: **Travis**
Seconded by:
Vote: **vv**
Time: **7:32**
Next Available Numbers: **PCR-6-21**
PCO-1-21

Docket Session

Sinapi – A Resolution requesting the State DOT to perform a traffic study at the intersection of Greenwich and Naples Ave (PS)

Attest,



Lynn D'Abrosca
Acting City Clerk

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