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Meeting Agenda
City Council Chambers
Walter J. Puchalski Municipal Building
212 Main Street, Northampton
Meeting Date: February 2, 2017
Meeting Time: 7:00pm

1. Public Comment

2. Roll Call

3. Public Hearings

A. 7:05 pm 16.205 Public Hearing regarding a pole petition received from Verizon

In accordance with the provisions of Section 22, Chapter 166, of the Massachusetts General Laws, a public hearing will be held tonight on the petition of Verizon New England, Inc. to erect a line of poles with wires and fixtures on Rust Avenue in Northampton.

The City Council will hear all persons who wish to be heard thereon.

Petition #4A0RG417

Documents:

[16.205_Rust_Avenue_DPW_Recommendation.pdf](#)
[16.205-revised-rust-ave-pole-petition_201701041154.pdf](#)

4. Recognition and One-Minute Announcements by Councilors

5. Communications and Proclamations from the Mayor

6. Resolutions

A. 17.234 A Resolution Declaring Northampton a Fair Employment City - 2nd Reading

Documents:

[17.234_Resolution_Fair_Employment.pdf](#)

7. Presentations

A. Committee Study Request: the Committee on Community Resources will give its final report on the study of Northampton's downtown economy

Documents:

[FinalReportCSR-Comm-Resources-To_City_Council.pdf](#)

B. Refugee Resettlement Initiative Given by Catholic Charities

8. Consent Agenda

A. 16.205 Approve pole petition request from Verizon to relocate a pole on Rust Avenue

See documents under Public Hearings

9. Recess for Committee on Finance (See Separate Agenda)

10. Financial Orders

A. 17.237 An Order to transfer Free Cash to Capital Stabilization and Stabilization Funds - 2nd Reading

Documents:

[17.237_Free_Cash_to_Stabilization_and_Capital_Stabilization.pdf](#)

B. 17.238 An Order to transfer retained earnings into Stabilization funds for water and sewer - 2nd Reading

Documents:

[17.238_Retained_Earnings_Water_and_Sewer_to_Water_and_Sewer_Stabilization_Funds_FY17.pdf](#)

C. 17.239 An Order To authorize the creation of a Stormwater and Flood Control Stabilization Fund and transfer free cash into the Fund - 2nd Reading

Documents:

[17.239_New_Stabilization_Fund_for_Storm_Water-Sub.pdf](#)

D. 17.240 An Order to authorize the creation of a Solid Waste Stabilization Fund and to transfer free cash into that fund - 2nd Reading

Documents:

[17.240_New_Stabilization_Fund_for_Solid_Waste.pdf](#)

E. 17.242 An Order to authorize the appropriation of free cash to NPS McKinney Vento Transportation Fund and Integrated Municipal Data System Capital Project Fund - 2nd Reading

Documents:

[17.242_FreeCash_to_NPS_Mckinney_Vento_and_Data_Integration_Capital_Project.pdf](#)

11. Orders

A. 17.235 An Order regarding wage compliance certificates in License - 2nd Reading

Documents:

[17.235_Wage_Compliance_Order.pdf](#)

12. Ordinances

A. 16.184 - Relative to Heavy Equipment Operation - Positive recommendation from the Committee on Legislative Matters - 2nd Reading

Documents:

[16.184_Heavy_Equipment.pdf](#)

B. 16.213 RELATIVE TO PARKING ON CENTER STREET AND MARKET STREET - Positive Recommendation from the Committee on Legislative Matters - 2nd Reading

Documents:

[16.213_Market_Center_Street.pdf](#)
[16.213_pic.pdf](#)

C. 16.214 RELATIVE TO A YIELD SIGN ON MAPLE STREET - Positive Recommendation from the Committee on Legislative Matters - 2nd

Reading

Documents:

[16.214_Yield_Maple_St.pdf](#)

D. 17.244 Ordinance regarding Fair Minimum Wage - Refer to Committee on Finance and Committee on Legislative Matters

Documents:

[17.244_Ordinance_Minimum_Wage.pdf](#)

13. Updates from Council President & Committee Chairs

14. Information Requests (Charter Provision 2-7) and Committee Study Requests

15. New Business

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