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NORTHAMPTON CITY COUNCIL
July 10, 2014
7:00 p.m.
City Council Chambers
Wallace J. Puchalski Municipal Building
212 Main Street, Northampton

AGENDA

- PUBLIC COMMENT - 7:00 P.M.
- REGULAR MEETING - 7:05 P.M.

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

- ROLL CALL
- PRESENTATION: Use of Rodeo for Eradication of Invasive Species
 - Bernadette Giblin of Safeground Organic Landcare in Northampton
 - Mike Bald of Got Weeds? In Royalton, VT
- PUBLIC HEARINGS
- COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR
- PROCLAMATIONS, RESOLUTIONS, RECOGNITIONS AND ONE-MINUTE ANNOUNCEMENTS OF EVENTS
 - Proclamation: August 7, 2014 declared Purple Heart Day in the City of Northampton
 - Announcement of Public Hearing:
 - What: National Grid Pole Petition for Pilgram Drive
 - When: 7:05 p.m., August 14, 2014
 - Where: Council Chambers, 212 Main Street, Northampton
- LICENSES AND PETITIONS

- **Vintage Treasures: Petition for a Dealer in Second Hand Articles At 238 Bridge Street, Northampton**
- **Scanlon Avenue: Petition for Street Acceptance (Refer to Board of Public Works and Planning)**

- **APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF June 19, 2014**

- **REPORTS OF COMMITTEES, APPOINTMENTS, AND ELECTIONS**

- **Appointment to the Board of Public Works: Patrick Goggins, 20 Bridge Road (F), Term July, 2014-March, 2015 to fill the unexpired term of K. Christopher Hellman. (Refer to Committee on Rules, Orders, Appointments and Ordinances)**
- **Meeting Minutes:**
 - **Meeting Minutes from Committee on Economic & Community Development, Housing & Land Use of May 6, 2014.**
 - **Meeting Minutes of the Committee on Social Services, Veterans, Culture, and Recreation of May 19, 2014.**
 - **Finance Committee Meeting Minutes of June 19, 2014**
 - **Minutes of FY2015 Budget Hearing of June 4, 2014**
 - **Minutes of FY2015 Budget Hearing of June 5, 2014**
 - **Meeting Minutes of the Parking Committee of the Transportation and Parking Commission of April 17, 2014 and May 8, 2014**

- **RECESS FOR FINANCE COMMITTEE**

1. Financial Order: Capital Projects appropriated from the General Fund FY15Cash Capital Account of \$250,000
2. Financial Order: FY2014 Budgetary Transfers totaling \$45,389
3. Financial Order: Transfer from Unused Earned Leave Account to the Compensated Absences Reserve Fund (\$19,844)
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- **FINANCIAL ORDERS**

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5. Financial Order: Purchase or otherwise acquire 47.6+/- acres from the Sanderson/Hewes Family (*1st Reading*)
6. Financial Order: \$2,450 appropriated from the CPA Budget the Fitzgerald Lake Invasive Plant Eradication Project (*2nd Reading*)

- **ORDERS AND ORDINANCES**

1. Order: Authorization for the Mayor to execute and cause to be recorded 7 Notices of Activity and Use Limitation for City Properties (*1st Reading*)
2. Order: Warrant for State Primary Election, September 9, 2014 (*1st Reading*)
3. Ordinance: Amend §312-102 Schedule I: Parking Prohibited All Times – Maple Street (*2nd Reading*)
4. Ordinance: Amend §312-104 Schedule III: Limited-Time Parking – Maple Street (*2nd Reading*)
5. Ordinance: Amend §312-117 Schedule XVI: On-Street and Off-Street Handicapped Parking Spaces – Maple Street (*2nd Reading*)
6. Ordinance: Amend §312-117 Schedule XVI: On-Street and Off-Street Handicapped Parking Spaces – Henshaw Avenue (*2nd Reading*)
7. Ordinance: Amend §312-102 Schedule I: Parking Prohibited All Times – Massasoit Street (*2nd Reading*)
8. Ordinance: Amend §312-102 Schedule I: Parking Prohibited All Times – Prospect Street (*Request 2 Readings*)
9. Ordinance: Amend §312-75 - Compression release engine brake use; operation of heavy commercial vehicles (*2nd Reading*)

- **UPDATES FROM COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS**

- **INFORMATION REQUESTS (CHARTER PROVISION 2-7)**

- **NEW BUSINESS** – *Reserved for topics that the Chair did not reasonably anticipate would be discussed.*

The next City Council meeting is August 14, 2014.

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