



COVENTRY TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

Town Council Chambers
1670 Flat River Road, Coventry, RI
January 14, 2013 – 7 p.m.

Gary P. Cote
District 4
President

Kerry L. McGee
District 3
Vice-President

Karen M. Carlson
District 1

Gregory
Laboissonniere
District 2

Thaddeus Jendzejec
District 5

WORK SESSION – 6:00 PM

- A. Presentation by Coventry Concerned Citizens regarding the black, sticky, oily substance in the Catalpa Way neighborhood of Wood Estates North

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING – 7:00 PM

- A. Roll call by Clerk
B. Pledge of Allegiance
C. Invocation
D. Review of Emergency Evacuation Plan
E. Approval of Town Council Minutes November 26 and December 10, 2012
F. President's Comments

G. REPORT

1. Report on the impact of amending Chapter 217 of the Coventry Code of Ordinances by Ord. No. 01-11-282 on November 28, 2011 with regard to disabled property owners' tax freeze (*Ref. #1*)

H. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Renewal of Private Detective licenses for: (*Ref. #2*)
- a. Kevin Beese, 28 Red Oak Drive
 - b. David Thatcher, Sr., 6 White Pine Road
2. Renewal of Firearms licenses for: (*Ref. #3*)
- a. Mid-State Gun Co., LLC, 15 Sandy Bottom Road, Unit 109
 - b. Hawkins Machine Co., Inc., 374 Hopkins Hill Road
3. Approving tax abatements and additions – December 2012 (*Ref. #4*)
4. Approving the Budget Calendar for submission of the 2013/2014 fiscal year budget (*Ref. #5*)

I. LICENSES

1. Application by Michael Manish for Live Show Entertainment license at Patriot Bar & Pizza, 2260 Flat River Road (*Ref. #6*)

J. RESOLUTIONS

1. Appointing School Committee Chairperson Katherine M. Patenaude, Citizens Thomas Heatherman and Steven Lopez and a member of the Town Council to the Coventry Public School Building Committee (*Ref. #7*)
2. Appointing Councilman Gregory Laboissonniere to the Sewer Subcommittee (*Ref. #8*)
3. Appointing a member of the Town Council to the Coventry Public Education Foundation as a non-voting member (*Ref. #9*)
4. Authorizing the approval of a Memorandum of Understanding with the University Of Rhode Island Graduate School Of Oceanography for the placement of a SODAR wind measurement device at Central Coventry Park (*Ref. #10*)
5. Authorizing the purchase of a new 2012 Dodge Charger marked police vehicle for the Coventry Police Department from central Dodge of Norwood, MA at a price including outfitting with lights, siren, etc. of \$30,283 (*Ref. #11*)
6. Authorizing a rental agreement with Cintas Corporation for providing uniforms to the Department of Public Works and the Department of Parks and Recreation at a not to exceed cost per employee of \$10.64 per week (*Ref. #12*)
7. Condemnation of a permanent easement pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 330 § 14 of the 1997 Public Laws of Rhode Island, as amended, over, under and upon that portion of land at 61 Arizona Street for the purposes of excavation, installation, maintenance and repair of a public sewer line, manholes and appurtenances for 22 Lakeside Drive (*Ref. #13*)

K. PUBLIC HEARING

1. New Class B liquor license with victualling for Dragon Palace of Coventry, LLC, 557 Tiogue Avenue (*Ref. #14*)
2. New Class B liquor license with victualling for Riccotti's Subs Inc., 718 Centre of New England Blvd. (*Ref. #15*)

L. ORDINANCES

1. Reducing the interest rate on the amortization of sewer assessments (*Ref. #16*)

M. PUBLIC COMMENT

N. ADJOURNMENT

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