



COVENTRY TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
Coventry Town Hall
1670 Flat River Road, Coventry, RI
January 12, 2015

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President

Karen Carlson
District 1
Vice-President

Kerry McGee
District 3

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Laboissonniere
District 2

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District 5

EXECUTIVE SESSION – 6:00 PM

A. For the purpose of discussing matters of litigation as per RIGL 42-46-5(a) (2)

1. Evergreen vs Town of Coventry

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING – 7:00 PM

- A. Roll call by Clerk
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Invocation
- D. Review of Emergency Evacuation Plan
- E. President's Comments
- F. Approval of Town Council minutes December 8 and December 15, 2014

G. COUNCIL DISTRICT UPDATES

H. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Discussion and resulting action on tax abatements and additions for November and December 2014 (Ref. #1)
2. Discussion and resulting action regarding the approval of a sewer tie in at 614 Tiogue Avenue (Ref. #2)
3. Discussion and resulting action regarding the approval of an application for renewal of Private Detective license by Kevin Beese (Ref. #3)

I. APPOINTMENTS

1. Discussion and resulting action regarding the reappointment of Pamela Conti and Arthur Chapman to the Coventry Land Trust (Ref. #4)
2. Discussion and resulting action regarding the reappointment of Joseph Spada and the appointment of Joel Johnson to the Tax Assessment Board of Review (Ref. #5)
3. Discussion and resulting action regarding the reappointment of Glen Skurka to the Sewer Assessment Board of Review (Ref. #6)
4. Discussion and resulting action regarding the reappointment of Irene Jones, Jaime Bernard, Robert Mann and the appointment of John Sigillo to the Juvenile Hearing Board (Ref #7)
5. Discussion and resulting action regarding the appointment of Gloria Martins to the Library Board of Trustees (Ref. #8)

J. LICENSES

1. Application by Cumberland Farms, Inc., 2293 New London Turnpike for new victualling license with additional hours (Ref. #9)
2. Discussion and resulting action regarding renewal of Annual Campground Licenses (Ref. #10)
 - a. Hickory Ridge
 - b. Bamford Lakeside Properties LLC dba Water's Edge
3. Renewal of Firearms licenses for: (Ref. #11)
 - a. Mid-State Gun Company, LLC, 1200 Tiogue Avenue
 - b. Hawkins Machine Co Inc., 374 Hopkins Hill Road
 - c. Rhode Island Gunworks, 303 South Main Street

K. PUBLIC HEARING

1. Application for renewal of Class B liquor license for Chen & Chen Restaurant, 856 Tiogue Avenue (Ref. #12)

L. RESOLUTIONS

1. Discussion and resulting action regarding the revised Financial Improvement Plan for the Police Pension Plan (Ref. #13)
2. Discussion and resulting action regarding updating the Municipal Employees Pension Plan document (Ref. #14)
3. Discussion and resulting action requesting the Rhode Island Department of Transportation to investigate the following: (Ref. #15)
 - a. The need for an installation of a traffic control device at the intersection of State Route 102 and Waterman Hill Road
 - b. The need to change the timing on the traffic light on State Route 3 (Tiogue Avenue) at Hopkins Hill Road so as to eliminate the long traffic delay on Hopkins Hill Road
 - c. The need to change the timing on the traffic light on State Route 3 (Nooseneck Hill Road) at Reservoir Road so as to alleviate the traffic back up on Reservoir Road when the Coventry High School is beginning and ending their sessions
 - d. The needed paving on State Routes 102 and 116 in the Town of Coventry
4. Discussion and resulting action regarding placing a moratorium on the approval of anymore wind turbines in the Town of Coventry until further notice (Ref. #16)

M. PUBLIC COMMENT

N. ADJOURNMENT

The public is welcome to any meeting of the Town Council or its committees. If communication assistance is needed or any other accommodation to ensure equal participation, please contact the Town Clerk at (401) 822-9173 at least two (2) business days prior to the meeting.