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TOWN OF LITTLE COMPTON

TOWN COUNCIL

TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBERS

MEETING OF March 24th, 2005

AGENDA

7:00 P.M.

Salute to the Flag

Approval of Minutes - March 10th, 2005 – Town Council meeting

March 17th, 2005 – Town Council meeting

*** Consent Agenda - All items listed with an asterisk (*) are considered to be routine by the Town Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a council member or citizen so requests in which event the item will be withdrawn from the General Order of business and considered in the normal sequence on the agenda.**

**** These items are received and filed with no other action taken.**

Announcements:

1.

Department Head Reports:

1.

Committee Reports:

1. Charter Review Commission update

Requests for legal services from Town Boards, Committees and Commissions:

1.

Safety Issues:

1. None

Appointments to be made at this meeting:

1.

Old Business:

- 1. Dredging Project Sakonnet Harbor and Landfill Closure capping Project**
- 2. Coastal Resources Management Council – Harbor Management Plan updating**
- 3. William West complaint matter. Letters from Michael J. Harrington, Esq. and David I. Lough, Esq. regarding same**
- 4. Receive letters of interest for positions of Revenue Ad Hoc Committee Member at large and for Harbor Commission Member**
- 5. Building Official vacancy – discussion of staffing options**
- 6. Consideration of advertising to fill vacancy of Police Chief**

New Business:

- 1. Community Development Block Grant Funding Public Hearing – 7:30 PM**
- 2. Vacancy in Treasurer and Tax Collectors office of full time clerk**
- 3. Request from the Town Clerk to have May 1 through May 7, 2005 proclaimed as Municipal Clerks Week in the Town of Little Compton**

Board of License Commissioners:

- 1. Request from the L.C. Community Center to obtain a Class F one**

day Beverage License and a one day Entertainment License for it's Annual Sakonnet Rhythm and Blues Festival on August 7, 2005

Communications:

- 1. Request received from IAFF Local 3957 for the deadline for the conclusion of contract negotiations to be extended to March 31, 2005**
- 2. Copy of Electronic Memo's expressing concerns received from the RI League of Cities and Towns concerning Senate Bill S-129 which would amend the Firefighter's Arbitration Act**
- 3. Request for support received from the Town of Barrington School Committee and Town Council for the enactment of pension benefit reform in this legislative session**
- 4. Invitation to participate in the CEDS (Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy) Program by submitting a project proposal. Received from Statewide Planning Program, Dept. of Administration**
- 5. Abatement List**
- 6. Letter received from Stephen P. Laffey, Mayor of the City of Cranston seeking support of the Taxpayers Relief Act of 2005**
- 7. Application form for RI Clean Water Finance Agency Clean Water SRF Loans for water pollution abatement projects**
- 8. Request from members of various members of the General Assembly to urge the General Assembly to support pension reform now.**

Consent Calendar:

- 1. Copy of a letter sent to Ms. Ann Brooks by Richard S. Humphrey, Town Solicitor concerning Greene's Package Store and the Dec.1, 2005 renewal process**
- 2. Copy of a letter sent to RI DEM, Div. Of Groundwater and ISDS by John C. Whitehead concerning ISDS Application #0018-2985 for Nourie, Maryland Road**
- 3. Copy of a resolution passed by the Town of Richmond Town Council concerning health care and health insurance costs in the State of Rhode Island**
- 4. Copy of a resolution passed by the City of Providence City Council concerning health care and health insurance costs in the State of Rhode Island**
- 5. Notice of Public Hearing from RI Dept. of Health RE: Rules and Regulations Related to the Collection of Bodily Substances for Criminal Identification Purposes**

Payment of Bills

Executive Session – NO