

City of Haverhill City Council Minutes

Tuesday, October 23, 2018 at 7:00 PM Theodore A. Pelosi, Jr. Council Chambers, Room 202 4 Summer Street

Present - President Michitson, Councillors Sullivan, Bevilacqua, Barrett, LePage, Jordan, Macek, Daly O'Brien, and McGonagle.

City Clerk – Linda L. Koutoulas

- 1. Opening Prayer
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Approval of Minutes of Prior Meeting

The minutes were approved

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1(Bevilacqua)

- 4. Assignment of the minutes review for the next Meeting
 - Councillor Jordan was assigned the minutes
- **5.** Communications from the Mayor:
- **6.** Communications and Reports from City Officers and Employees:

Councillor Bevilacqua arrived

7. Utility Hearing(s) and Related Order(s)

Hearing was held on Document 111, a petition from National Grid and Verizon New England for a Joint Pole location on Orchard st – Plan 26590153/26946146. With John Gentile from National Grid appearing in favor and no one opposed.

Hearing closed. Placed on file

Yeas 9, Nays 0

ORDERED: Joint pole location for t National Grid & Verizon New England on Orchard st (see document for complete text)

PASSED Yeas 9, Nays 0

111B

8. Hearings and Related Orders

Document 101: Petition for Hearing from City Engineer John Pettis for the City of 8.1.

Haverhill requesting to Accept the following streets as Public Ways:

Brandon Road Kali Way Colonial Farm rd Kristine Lane Crafts st Stelyani dr Creek Brook dr Strawberry In

Favorable recommendation from Planning Board & William Pillsbury Planning Director

REQUEST BY CITY ENGINEER TO CONTINUE TO OCT 30 2018.

CONTINUED TO OCT 30 2018 Yeas 9, Nays 0 101

8.1.1.1. Order -Accept Brandon rd as a Public Way	101B
8.1.1.2. Order - Accept Colonial Farm rd as a Public Way	101C
8.1.1.3. Order -Accept Crafts st as a Public Way	101D
8.1.1.4. Order - Accept Creek Brook dr as a Public Way	101E
8.1.1.5. Order - Accept Kali Way as a Public Way	101F
8.1.1.6. Order - Accept Kristine Lane as a Public Way	101G
8.1.1.7. Order – Accept Stelyani dr as a Public Way	101H
8.1.1.8. Order – Accept Strawberry Lane as a Public Way	101I

REQUEST BY CITY ENGINEER TO CONTINUE TO OCT 30 2018.

CONTINUED TO OCT 30 2018 Yeas 9, Nays 0

> **8.2.** Document 112: Petition Hearing for Special Permit from Law Office of E. Pamela Salpoglou, Inc representing applicant Edgar Arias, requesting to operate a Class II used automobile dealership, with open-lot sales and storage at 7-11 Kenoza av which is located in a Commercial CC Zone – Assessor's Map 248, Block 48, Lot 1- to have 5 parking spaces for customers, 1 of which will be handicap accessible, 2 spaces for employees and 16 spaces for display

Reports are included from various Departments regarding this Special Permit

PETITION TABLED WITH AMENDED PETITION TO BE SUBMITTTED WITH POTENTIAL HEARING DATE OF NOVEMBER 27 2018 Yeas 9, Nays 0 112

- 9. Public Participation- Requests under Council Rule 28
- **10.** Appointments:

Confirming Appointments:

Non-Confirming Appointments

William McArthur, 21 Amy Lynne Lane, Cable TV Advisory Committee

PLACED ON FILE Yeas 9, Nays 0 17U

11. Petitions:

Applications:

Applications/Handicap Parking Sign

Raylene M Wentz-Fischer for 40 Sheridan st - new REFERRED TO PLANNING 47P Yeas 9, Nays 0 Joseph Miller for 20 Swasey st, 1st floor – renewal **GRANTED** Yeas 9, Nays 0 47Q Philip Siney for 5 Arch av - renewal **GRANTED** Yeas 9, Nays 0 47R Limousine/Livery License/Chair Cars – new Mark Mollica, Black Tie Limousine, 25 Bond st – 46 Limousines; has police approval **GRANTED** 110E Yeas 9, Nays 0

12. Motions and Orders:

ORDERED: That the City transfer the sum \$10,000 from the Capital Budget to the Capital Account:

Inspectional Services Renovation

PASSED Yeas 9, Nays 0 34X

ORDERED: That in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 64, authorize the payment of bills of the previous years and to further authorize the payment from current year departmental appropriations as listed below:

VendorAmountAccountFrancis H Maroney\$2041.26Public PropertyGreenman-Pederson Inc (4)\$17,184.03Landfill-LegalDavco Excavators\$4,442.39WastewaterHarriman\$1,390.00Economic Dev/Planning

PASSED Yeas 9, Nays 0 36H

12.4 ORDINANCES (File 10 days)

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE CHAPTER 240

An Ordinance Relating to Parking

123 Cedar Street - Establish Handicapped Park (see document for complete text)

22T

PLACED ON FILE for at least 10 days

Yeas 9, Nays 0

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE CHAPTER 240

An Ordinance Relating to Parking

30 Bellevue Ave - Establish Handicapped Park (see document for complete text)

PLACED ON FILE for at least 10 days Yeas 9, Nays 0 22U

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE CHAPTER 240

An Ordinance Relating to Parking

51 Bellevue Ave - Establish Handicapped Park (see document for complete text)

PLACED ON FILE for at least 10 days Yeas 9, Nays 0 22V

13. Monthly Reports:

14. Communications from Councillors:

Communication was received from Council President Michitson announcing Hack Haverhill 2018, a 24-hour Civic Technology Hackathon, November 16-17 at UMass Lowell Innovation Hub, \$10,000 in prizes PRESIDENT MICHITSON INFORMED THAT THEY ARE SEEKING HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS CHALLENGE TO INTEGRATE DATA. EVENT IS OPEN TO ANYONE INTERESTED IN USING DATA, SOFTWARE AND TECHNOLOGY TO SOLVE CIVIC CHALLENGE. SPONSORS ARE THE CITY OF HAVERHILL, CITY COUNCIL, SCHOOL DEPARTMENT, HAVERHILL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, REP. VARGAS. MADDOX FOUNDATION IS OFFERING \$10,000 IN CASH PRIZES. THIS 24 HOUR EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE AT UMASS LOWELL INNOVATION HUB, 2 MERRIMACK ST, STARTING AT 4PM ON NOV 16. THRU NOV 17. CONTACT WWW.HACKHAVERHILL.COM. MR. DOUGAN SHERWOOD, PRESIDENT, GR. HAVERHILL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE INFORMED THAT HE IS EXTENDING OUTREACH TO BOSTON/CAMBRIDGE AREAS.

PLACED ON FILE Yeas 9, Nays 0 107W

Communication was received from Councillor McGonagle requesting to introduce Michael Hart to discuss the fundraiser for the Veterans Alliance of Greater Haverhill scheduled for November 4th MR. HART INFORMED THAT 100% OF MONEY RAISED GOES TO SUPPORT VARIOUS VETERANS GROUPS. MS. MAUREEN MENZIE GAVE PARTICULARS OF EVENT ON NOV. 4TH TO BE HELD AT AMVETS POST 147, 576 PRIMROSE ST, 9AM-11AM; \$5 PER PERSON; FREE FOR VETERANS AND SENIORS. THEY ARE SEEKING SPONSORSHIPS FOR PLACEMATS. CALL 978 372-4440.

PLACED ON FILE Yeas 9, Nays 0 107X

Communication from Councillor Joseph Bevilacqua requesting to introduce Dana DeFranco to discuss crosswalk safety in the downtown district

POSTONED TO OCT 30 2018 Yeas 9, Nays 0 107Y

Communication was received from Councillor Melinda Barrett requesting a discussion regarding fencing around the Bradford Depot

COUNCILLOR BARRETT INFORMED THAT THE MBTA PLANS TO INSTALL A 8 FOOT BARBED WIRE MICRO MESS FENCE PAST THE DEPOT TO PROTECT THE TRAINS FROM PEOPLE AND PEOPLE FROM TRAINS. MR.KELLY MIELE, OWNER OF STEAMPUNK STATION INFORMED THAT HE HAD INSTALLED A FENCE AROUND HIS PROPERTY AND SPENT SIGNIFICANT AMOUNT OF MONEY TO REHAB THE BUILDING. THE PROPOSED FENCE WOULD BLOCK PATRONS VIEWS AND IMPACT THE RESTAURANT NEGATIVELY. MS. HEARTQUIST INFORMED THAT THEY WOULD BE MEETING WITH MBTA AND CITY OFFICIALS ON THURSDAY MORNING, 10/25, TO

REVIEW THE SITUATION ON MOTION OF COUNCILLOR BARRETT TO SEND LETTER TO GOV. BAKER AND TRANSPORTATION SECRETARY POLLACK TO INTERCEDE ON CITY'S BEHALF Yeas 9, Nays 0 107Z

- **15.** Unfinished Business of preceding Meetings :
- **16.** Resolutions And Proclamations
- 17. Council Committee Reports and Announcement
- 18. Documents Referred To Committee Study

Meeting adjourned at 7:46 o'clock P.M. Yeas 9, Nays 0

Attest: <u>Linda Koutoulas</u> City Clerk