TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

**Jamestown Town Hall**

***Rosamond A. Tefft Council Chambers***

***93 Narragansett Avenue***

**Monday, April 10, 2017**

**7:00 PM**

*The public is welcome to participate in this Town Council meeting. Open Forum offers citizens the opportunity to clarify an item on the agenda, address items not on the agenda, or comment on a communication or Consent Agenda item. Citizens are welcome to speak to the subject of a Public Hearing, and are allowed to speak at the discretion of the Council President or a majority of Councilors present, or at other times during the meeting, in particular during New or Unfinished Business.*

*Anyone wishing to speak should use the microphone at the front of the room, stating their name and address for the record; comments must be addressed to the Council, not the audience. It is the Town Council’s hope that citizens and Councilors alike will be respectful of each other’s right to speak, tolerant of different points of view, and mindful of everyone’s time.*

# ROLL CALL

# CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

# PUBLIC HEARINGS, LICENSES AND PERMITS

 *All approvals for licenses and permits are subject to the resolution of debts, taxes and appropriate signatures as well as, when applicable, proof of insurance.*

## Public Hearings:

## (The two proposed ordinance amendments listed as follows seek to limit weapons discharges in the Town)

1. Proposed Amendment of the Jamestown Code of Ordinances, Chapter 38 Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions, Article V. Weapons, Sec. 38-112 Definitions (new); Sec. 38-113 Firearm Discharge (new); Sec. 38-114 Use of Weapons in Self-Defense and Hunting (new); and Sec. 38-115 Enforcement (new); duly advertised in the *Jamestown Press* March 30th edition; review and discussion and/or potential action and/or vote
2. Proposed Amendment of the Jamestown Code of Ordinances, Chapter 38, Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions, Article V. Weapons, Sec. 38-112 Definitions (new); Sec. 38-113 Firearm Discharge (new); Sec. 38-114 Use of Weapons in Self-Defense and Hunting (new); and Sec. 38-115 Enforcement (new); duly advertised in the *Jamestown Press* March 30th edition; review and discussion and/or potential action and/or vote

# OPEN FORUM

 *Please note that, under scheduled requests to address, if the topic of the address is available to be put on the agenda, the Council may discuss the issue*

## Scheduled to address

## Non-scheduled to address

# COMMUNICATIONS

1. In favor of Regulating Firearms Discharges on private property in the Town of Jamestown; review and discussion and/or potential action and/or vote

### Email of Bill Munger in favor of regulating firearms discharges

### Email of Cynthia Leonard in favor of regulating firearms discharges

1. In favor of Prohibiting Firearms Discharges on private property in the Town of Jamestown; review and discussion and/or potential action and/or vote

### Email of Elizabeth Delude-Dix in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of John and Betsy Taylor in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Paul Sanford in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Hannah M. Swett in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Marcy Magrattan in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Tom and Joan Swift in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Lucia Marshall in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Letter of Edwina Cloherty in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Sue Maden in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Duval Slingluff in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of David Booth with newspaper article in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Robert Zimmerman in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Katherine Grimes in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Steve Heath in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Kane Wright in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Sandra and Donald Beauregard in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Jane Garnett in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Chris Cannon in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Jeff Nickol in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Merrill Sherman in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Peter Marcus in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Noreen Drexel in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Donald and Nancy Miller in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Michelle Snoeren in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Pieter Snoeren in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Jim Estes in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Peter Wilson in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Ken Schadegg and Robert Upham in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Andrew, Suzanne, Samara, and Ani Ayvazian in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Virginia Pritchett in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Joan Faella in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Abigail Campbell King in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Durga Larkin in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Janet and Walter Cooper in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Josy Wright in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Charles Schmidt and Marie Schappert in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Harry Wright in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Deborah Meagher in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Diane Terry in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Chris Terry in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Patricia Lager in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Email of Terry Lanza in favor of banning firearms discharges

### Letter of Liz Brazil in favor of banning firearms discharges

# ADJOURNMENT

***Pursuant to RIGL § 42-46-6(c) Notice of this meeting shall be posted on the Secretary of State’s website and at the Town Hall and the Jamestown Philomenian Library. In addition to the two above-mentioned locations, notice is also posted at the Jamestown Police Station and on the Internet at*** [***www.jamestownri.gov***](http://www.jamestownri.gov)***.***

NOTE: This meeting location is accessible to the physically challenged. If communications assistance is needed or other accommodations to ensure equal participation, please call 1-800-745-5555, or contact the Town Clerk at 401-423-9800, via facsimile to 401-423-7230, or email to cfernstrom@jamestownri.net not less than three (3) business days prior to the meeting.