

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

Jamestown Town Hall Rosamond A. Tefft Council Chambers 93 Narragansett Avenue Monday, July 20, 2020 6:30 PM

PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 20-05 EXECUTED BY GOVERNOR GINA RAIMONDO ON MARCH 16, 2020, THIS MEETING WILL BE TELECONFERENCED VIA ZOOM:

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- I. ROLL CALL
- II. CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, PRESENTATIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS

Please Note in Accordance with Section 42-46-6 (b) the Council May Review, Discuss and/or take Action and/or Vote on the following items:

- A) Proclamations:
 - 1) Recognizing Quononoquott Garden Club

IV. PUBLIC HEARINGS, LICENSES AND PERMITS

The Town Council will review each license application and vote on it individually. 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. Please Note in Accordance with Section 42-46-6 (b) the Council May Review, Discuss and/or take Action and/or Vote on the following items:

One Day Event License Applications: A)

1)

Applicant: Marcie Lindsay & William Smith

Event: Hiroshima/Nagasaki Commemoration

August 6, 2020 Dates: Location: East Ferry Green

2) Applicant: Jamestown Arts Center

> Event: Open Studios & Art –Drive-By

Dates: August 8, 2020

JAC & Around the Island Location:

B) Renewal of Event License Application

> Applicant: Jamestown Chamber of Commerce 1)

> > Event: **Restaurant Outdoor Dining**

Extending to August 18th unless revoked earlier Dates:

Location: Narragansett Avenue, Narragansett Avenue Municipal Parking

Lot & East Ferry Parking Lot

Renewal of a Vendor/Peddler/MFE License Application as part of the Jamestown C) Chamber of Commerce Outdoor Dining

Applicant: Islandish LTD- Chopmist Charlie 1)

> Extending to August 18th unless revoked earlier Dates:

Location: 40 Narragansett Ave.

- D) Town Council Sitting as the Alcoholic Beverage Licensing Board Notice is hereby given by the Town Council of the Town of Jamestown, being the Licensing Board in said Town as provided under Title 3, Chapters 1-12 of the General Laws of Rhode Island 1956, and as amended.
 - Renewal of Approval of Requests for Temporary Seasonal Expansion of 1) Existing Liquor License Applications in accordance to R.I.G.L 3-5-17, for service and consumption areas valid with Special Event Application of the Chamber of Commerce for Dine out Event in response to COVID- 19; with proposed Extension to August 18th unless revoked earlier.
 - i) KALI LLC dba J22 Tap & Table, 22 Narragansett Ave.
 - Jamestown Beer Holdings LLC dba The Generals Crossingii) 34 Narragansett Ave.
 - Jamestown Restaurant Group LLC dba Narragansett Café'iii) 25 Narragansett Ave.
 - Johnny Angels Clam Shack LLC dba Angels Kitcheniv) 23B Narragansett Ave.
 - 2) Renewal of Approval of KAILI LLC dba J22 Tap & Table for Temporary Seasonal Expansion of Existing Liquor License Applications in accordance to R.I.G.L 3-5-17, for service and consumption areas to include property contingent on lease agreement with REGNUM LLC, located at 20 Narragansett Ave. With proposed Extension to August 18th unless revoked earlier.

E) Town Council adjourns as the Liquor Licensing Board

V. COUNCIL, ADMINISTRATOR, SOLICITOR, COMMISSION/COMMITTEE COMMENTS & REPORTS

Please Note in Accordance with Section 42-46-6 (b) the Council May Review, Discuss and/or take Action and/or Vote on the following items:

- A) Town Administrator's Report: Jamie A. Hainsworth-
 - 1) Legislative Status Report on Library Bond- New Business Item
 - 2) Review of Financial Town Meeting held June 22, 2020
 - 3) Lease Agreement with JTOWN Main Street, LLC- Consent Agenda
 - 4) Executive Order 20-4 Limited Parking 29 Narragansett- Consent Agenda
 - 5) Jamestown Fire Department Fire Truck- New Business Item
 - 6) Noise Ordinance Ordinance Item
 - 7) Recreational Seasonal Review, Mackerel Cove Beach, Fort Getty, Taylor Point- Parks & Recreation Director's Report
 - 8) Beavertail Lighthouse Property- New Business Item
 - 9) Road Paving Status Update
 - 10) Golf Course Clubhouse Update
 - 11) Scheduling Town Administrator's Six Month Review
 - 12) Jamestown ½ Marathon Race September 19, 2020
- B) Public Works Director Report: Michael Gray
 - 1) Pumping report
 - 2) Town project reports
 - a) Town Wells
 - b) Water Treatment Plant
 - c) Transfer Pumping/Reservoir
 - d) Distribution System
 - e) Wastewater Treatment Facility
 - 3) Consumer Confidence Report for calendar year 2019
- C) Finance Director's Report: Christina D. Collins
 - 1) Comparison of Budget to Actuals as of June 30, 2020
- D) Parks & Recreation Director's Report: Andrew Wade
 - Discussion and/or take Action and/or Vote Regarding Seasonal Activities, and the use of Town Facilities and their Management during COVID 19 protocol operations.

VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Please Note in Accordance with Section 42-46-6 (b) the Council May Review, Discuss and/or take Action and/or Vote on the following items:

- A) Upcoming Meetings and Sessions dates and times
 - 1) Town Council Meeting Schedule: Proposed Meeting Date August 17.
 - 2) Discussion on Proposed September Meeting Dates

- B) Review, Discussion and Possible Action to extend the March 16, 2020 Declaration of the Town of Jamestown State of Emergency to August 18, 2020, unless revoked earlier, to curtail the spread of the COVID 19 Virus.
- C) Review, Discussion and Possible Action to extend the Executive Order 2020-1, from July 21, 2020 to August 18, 2020, unless revoked earlier; the continuation of the authorization of the Town Administrator to take any and all necessary actions to implement best practices guidance regarding municipal government actions to curtail the spread of the COVID 19 virus.

VII. NEW BUSINESS

Please Note in Accordance with Section 42-46-6 (b) the Council May Review, Discuss and/or take Action and/or Vote on the following items:

- A) Review, Discussion and Possible Action to Authorize the Resolution for Placement of a Question on the November 3, 2020 General Election Ballot for Consideration of Jamestown Voters; Regarding Library Renovations, Repairs and/or Expansion.
 - Approval of a Question: "Shall an act, passed at the 2020 session of the General Assembly, entitled 'An Act Authorizing the Town of Jamestown to Finance Library Renovations, Repairs and/or Expansion and/or Related Equipment by the Issuance of Not More Than \$1,500,000 Bonds and Notes,' Therefore Be Approved?"
- B) Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding Jamestown Fire Department Presentation & Request to Purchase Fire Apparatus Pumper Replacement

VIII. ORDINANCES, APPOINTMENTS, VACANCIES AND EXPIRING TERMS Please Note in Accordance with Section 42-46-6 (b) the Council May Review, Discuss and/or take Action and/or Vote on the following items:

- A) Discussion and Possible Action to Order to Advertise in the Jamestown Press; Notice of a Public Hearing for Proposed Amendments to the Code of Ordinances, Article III- Noise Ordinance; Sections 22-63C through Section 22-71. These Amendments are proposed to update and modernize the existing Noise Ordinance.
- B) Discussion and Possible Action to Order to Advertise in the Jamestown Press; Notice of a Public Hearing for Proposed Amendments to the Zoning Ordinance related to Building Height, Proposed amendment of Sections 82-302 and 82-317. This amendment seeks to limit building height in any zoning district from exceeding 35' in height due to required elevation provisions of flood zone requirements.
- C) Discussion and Possible Action to Order to Advertise in the Jamestown Press; Notice of a Public Hearing for Proposed Amendments to the Code of Ordinances Section 70-80 and Section 70-91, Related to All Night Parking, and eliminating Overnight Parking on all Public Highways, Streets, Right of Way's and Town Owned Undeveloped Right of Ways.

- D) Appointments, Vacancies, and Expiring Terms; review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote:
 - 1) Zoning Board of Review
 - a) Letter of resignation
 - i) Marcy Coleman, Regular Member, Term to Expire December 31, 2020
 - b) Permission to Advertise Vacancy
 - 2) Conservation Commission
 - a) Letter of resignation
 - i) Philip Larson, Regular Member Term to Expire December 31, 2021
 - b) Letter of application
 - i) Leo N Orsi Jr. *
 - ii) Jessica McCarthy *
 - * Previously Interviewed

IX. CONSENT AGENDA

An item on the Consent Agenda need not be removed for simple clarification or correction of typographical errors. Approval of the Consent Agenda shall be equivalent to approval of each item as if it had been acted upon separately for review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote. A Consent Agenda item or items may be removed by the Town Council for review, discussion and/or potential action and or vote.

- A) Adoption of Town Council Minutes
 - 1) June 1, 2020 (Regular Meeting)
 - 2) June 15, 2020 (Regular Meeting)
 - 3) June 22, 2020 (Financial Town Meeting)
- B) Minutes of Boards/Commissions/Committees
 - 1) Zoning Board of Review (February 25, 2020)
 - 2) Jamestown Housing Authority (July 1, 2020)
 - 3) Jamestown Housing Authority (May 21, 2020)
 - 4) Jamestown Housing Authority (February 20, 2020)
 - 5) Jamestown Housing Authority (January 16, 2020)
- C) Ratify the Town Administrator's Executive Order 20-4 Parking Limitations, 29 Narragansett Avenue
- D) Ratify the Lease Agreement with JTown, LLC Regarding the Parking Lot located at 29 Narragansett Ave.
- E) Request of Jamestown Post of the American Legion and VFW to Waive the Pavilion Rental Fee August 12

X. COMMUNICATIONS, PETITIONS, AND PROCLAMATIONS AND RESOLUTIONS FROM OTHER RHODE ISLAND CITIES AND TOWNS

The Council may acknowledge any of the listed Communications and Proclamations and Resolutions. Should any member wish to have a conversation on any of the matters, the item will be placed on a future agenda for review, discussion and/or potential act ion and/or vote.

A) Communications Received:

1) Copy of Email to: Town Administrator Hainsworth & Town Clerk Liese

From: Delia Klingbeil Dated: July 15, 2020

Re: Face Mask Requirement Proposal

2) Copy of Letter to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Beavertail Lighthouse Museum Association

Dated: July 14, 2020

Re: Beavertail Light Station Transfer of Property

3) Copy of Letter to: Carlos E. Padilla-Fresse

From: Attorney John F. Killoy, Jr.

Dated: July 13, 2020

Re: Safe Routes to School- Jamestown

4) Copy of Email to: Town Clerk Liese

From: Trisha McElroy Dated: July 13, 2020 Re: Movie Night

5) Copy of Email to: Town Administrator Hainsworth

From: Larry Lajoie Dated: July 7, 2020 Re: Heads Beach Parking

6) Copy of Letter to: Jamestown Town Council From: Baxter, Dansereau & Associates, LLP

Dated: June 26, 2020

Re: Audit

7) Copy of Letter to: Erin F. Liese, Town Clerk

From: Kelly Giles, Project Manager, Renova

Dated: June 26, 2020

Re: Dig & Haul Response Beavertail Light

8) Copy of Letter to: Jamestown Town Council

From: David StCoeur Re: Basketball Courts

9) Copy of Letter to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Robert Mathieu Dated: June 16, 2020 Re: Jamestown Police

10) Copy of Letter to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Rhode Island Coalition for the Homeless

Dated: Summer 2020 Re: Waves of Progress

11) Copy of Email to: Town Clerk Liese

From: Darlene Kohler Dated: June 16, 2020 Re: Need Our Police

12) Copy of Email to: Town Clerk Liese

From: Claudine & Murray Charron

Dated: June 13, 2020

Re: Support for NOT defunding the Police

13) Copy of Email to: Town Clerk Liese

From: Ann & Ken Rudman

Dated: June 12, 2020

Re: Jamestown Police Department

14) Copy of Email to: Town of Jamestown

From: Kerry Dwyer Dated: June 12, 2020

Re: Petition to Defund the Police Department

15) Copy of Email to: Town Clerk Liese

From: Cathleen A. Studley Dated: June 12, 2020

Re: Defunding Police Dept.

16) Copy of Email to: Town Clerk Liese

From: Daniel F Dwyer, III, CPCU, ARM

Dated: June 12, 2020

Re: Support of Jamestown Police

17) Copy of Email to: Town Council

From: Francis & Lisa Molinari

Dated: June 12, 2020 Re: Support of JPD 18) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Haley Hyden -Soffer

Dated: June 11, 2020 Re: Defund the Police

19) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Saga Darnell Dated: June 11, 2020 Re: Caring for Community

20) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Bridgette Mattson Dated: June 11, 2020

Re: Defund the Police, Invest in the Community

21) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Emma Freel Dated: June 11, 2020 Re: Defund the Police

22) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Mio Hino Dated: June 11, 2020

Re: Budget Reform- Defund Now

23) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Danielle Donadio Dated: June 11, 2020

Re: Reallocate Funds & Defund Police

24) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Ember Knight Dated: June 11, 2020 Re: Defund Police

25) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Adam Phillips Dated: June 11, 2020

Re: Supporting Jamestown Police

26) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Charlotte McGregor

Dated: June 11, 2020

Re: Please Do Not Defund Our Police

27) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Sydney Duncan Dated: June 11, 2020

Re: Reallocate Funds & Defund Police

28) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Kristi Kruser Dated: June 9, 2020

Re: Budget Reform - Defund Now

29) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Emily Kallman Dated: June 9, 2020

Re: Defunding Unnecessary Police Forces in Jamestown

30) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Henry Pratt Dated: June 8, 2020 Re: Liberate Jamestown

31) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Tate Kent Dated: June 8, 2020

Re: Budget for the Community

32) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Kendra Smith Dated: June 8, 2020

Re: Budget for the Community

33) Copy of Email to: Jamestown Town Council

From: Henry Pratt Dated: June 7, 2020

Re: Hold Jamestown Police Accountable

- B) Public Notice
 - 1) Zoning Board of Review- Notice of Public Hearing July 28, 2020
- C) Proclamations and Resolutions from other Rhode Island Cities and Towns
 - 1) Resolution of the Town of Little Compton Regarding Condemning Racism
 - 2) Resolution of the Smithfield School Department Regarding Amending Article I

XI. OPEN FORUM- To participate you will press *9 to raise your hand. The meeting moderator will coordinate your participation.

Comments are not limited to items on this agenda. However, items not on this agenda will only be heard and not acted upon by the Town Council. Note: Section 42-46-6 of the Open Meetings Act, and Department of the Attorney General Advisory Opinions relevant to this item on any public body meeting agenda specifically prohibits the Town Council from discussing, considering or acting on any topic, statement or question presented. The Town Council may, if warranted, refer such matters to an appropriate committee, to another body or official, or post the matter for consideration at a properly-noticed, future meeting.

- Scheduled request to address- Delia Klingbeil's Request for Implementation of a Mask Wearing Order/ Resolution for Downtown Jamestown. Please see Communication Item1 for further information.
- 2) Non-scheduled request to address

XII. 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. Notice is also posted at the Jamestown Police Station and on the Internet at www.jamestownri.gov.

ALL NOTE: 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 eliese@jamestownri.net not less than three (3) business days prior to the meeting.

Posted on the RI Secretary of State website on July 16, 2020