

REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Agawam Junior High School

1305 Springfield Street

Feeding Hills, MA 01030

*****Monday, May 16, 2022*****

7:00 P.M.

AGENDA

- A. ROLL CALL
- B. MOMENT OF SILENCE AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- C. CITIZEN'S SPEAK TIME
- D. MINUTES
 - 1. Regular Council Meeting – **May 2, 2022**
- E. DECLARATION OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT
- F. PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS
 - 1. **TR-2022-24** - A Resolution to appropriate and authorize borrowing in the amount of Two Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (**\$2,500,000.00**) to pay costs for the Westfield River Intercept Sewer Relocation Project and the Reed Street Embankment Project (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli) (**Referred to Finance Committee**) (**Remain on table since 4/4/22**)
 - 2. **TR-2022-27** - A Resolution confirming the reappointment of **Vincenzo Ronghi**, 55 Avalon Place, Feeding Hills, MA to the Community Preservation Act Committee to a term expiring April 30, 2025 (City Council) (**Remain on table since 4/19/22**)
 - 3. **TR-2022-30** - A Resolution to appropriate and authorize borrowing in the amount of Eleven Million Six Hundred Twenty Nine Thousand Dollars (**\$11,629,000**) for the purchase of 1070 Suffield Street and the construction/reconstruction of the building and site for a police station (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli)
 - 4. **TR-2022-31** - A Resolution preventing and opposing the closing of the Northampton VA Medical Center located in Leeds, Massachusetts (Sponsored by Councilors Bitzas and Rossi)

G. ELECTIONS

H. PUBLIC HEARINGS

1. **TR-2022-28 (PH-2022-4)** - A Resolution adopting the Fiscal Year 2023- 2027 Capital Improvement Program (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli)
2. **TOR-2022-8 (PH-2022-5)** - An Ordinance to amend Section 124 of Chapter 180 of the Code of the Town of Agawam (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli) (Two Readings Required) (**Referred to Legislative Committee**) – **Public Hearing Date set for June 6, 2022**

I. OLD BUSINESS

None.

J. NEW BUSINESS

1. **TR-2022-32** - A Resolution adopting the Fiscal Year 2023 Annual Operating Budget for the Town of Agawam (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli) – **Suggest a Public Hearing Date of June 6, 2022**
2. **TR-2022-33** - A Resolution confirming the appointment of **Frank DeStefano**, 918 Shoemaker Lane, Feeding Hills to the Community Preservation Act Committee to an unexpired term expiring April 30, 2023 (City Council)
3. **TR-2022-34** - A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an easement agreement between the Town of Agawam and NStar Electric Company and Verizon New England, Inc. (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli)
4. **TR-2022-35** - A Resolution approving water use rates fixed by the Department of Public Works (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli)
5. **TR-2022-36** - A Resolution approving sewer use rates fixed by the Department of Public Works (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli)
6. **TR-2022-37** - A Resolution approving water connection and service charges fixed by the Department of Public Works (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli)
7. **TOR-2022-9** - An Ordinance to amend Chapter 175 of the Code of the Town of Agawam (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli) (Two Readings Required)
8. **TO-2022-11** - An Order granting or renewing a Junk Dealer's PERMIT for **Baki's Fine Jewelry**, 9 North Westfield Street, Feeding Hills, MA (Clerk)

K. ANY OTHER MATTER THAT MAY LEGALLY COME BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL

L. ADJOURNMENT

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