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**** AGENDA ****
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
WEDNESDAY, March 7, 2018 – 7:00 p.m.
TOWN HALL MEETING ROOM
Seekonk Town Hall
100 Peck Street
Seekonk, MA 02771

MGL C 30A § 20(f) REQUIRES ANY PERSON RECORDING MUST NOTIFY CHAIRMAN AT THE BEGINNING OF THE MEETING

CALL REGULAR MEETING TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND MOMENT OF SILENCE

BOARD AND COMMITTEE OPENINGS UPDATE

Volunteers are needed on the: Charter Study Committee (2), Conservation Commission (2 BOS), Energy Committee (2 BOS); Finance Committee (2 Moderator); Historical Commission (1 BOS), Property Tax Work-Off Committee (3 BOS)

COMMUNITY SPEAKS In an effort to conduct a more effective meeting, the BOS respectfully requests participation be limited to the "Community Speaks" segment only.

PRIORITY MATTERS

- A. Swearing in ceremony for Patrolman Jared Turkington
- B. Consider the appointment of Kim Lallier to the position of full time secretary for Planning and Conservation Offices
- C. Consider accepting a donation from Driscoll Associates in the amount of \$120 to Human Services gift account
- D. Update regarding improvements at Tri-County Regional Vocational Technical High School from Douglas Brown

LICENSE HEARINGS

- A. Consider the request for a new Antique and Second-Hand license for Stone Coast Community Church d/b/a Four Echoes at Grist Mill Pond, located at 380 Fall River Avenue

OLD BUSINESS

- A. Update on the status of the Cole Street fields

NEW BUSINESS

- A. Consider the request to reduce the number of Conservation Commission members from 7 to 5
- B. Consider the proposed Zoning Bylaw Amendments to refer to the Planning Board for a public hearing
- C. Consider renaming Cross Street running between Perrin Avenue and Case Avenue
- D. Review and vote on joining the Massachusetts Opioid Litigation
- E. Consider replacing "Administrative Policy #46 – Inclement Weather Provisions" with the "Weather and Emergency Events Policy"
- F. Consider opening the Spring Town Meeting Warrant
- G. Consider the approval of Minutes from February 7, 2018 and February 26, 2018

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OTHER BUSINESS

- A. Discuss other topics not reasonably anticipated by the Chairman 48 hours before the meeting

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

BOARD OF SELECTMEN LIAISON REPORTS AND COMMENTS

- A. Veterans Memorial Committee Liaison Report
- B. Accounts Payable Warrant

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EXECUTIVE SESSION

- A. To conduct strategy sessions with respect to:
 - i. Negotiations with Seekonk Firefighters Union IAFF Local 1931 per MGL c 30A § 21(a) (3) as having the discussion in open session would be detrimental to the litigation or bargaining position of the town
 - ii. To investigate charges of criminal misconduct or to consider the filing of criminal complaints pursuant to MGL c 30A § 21(a) (5) as having the discussion in open session would be detrimental to the litigation or bargaining position of the town
 - iii. To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining with the Fraternal Order of Police MASSCOP Local 215 per pursuant to MGL c 30A § 21(a) (3) as having the discussion in open session would be detrimental to the litigation or bargaining position of the town
 - iv. Discussion regarding the deployment of security personnel regarding school safety per MGL c 30A § 21(a) (4)
 - v. Negotiations with Seekonk Public Library Employee Association, MLSA, AFT Massachusetts, AFL-CIO per MGL c 30A § 21(a) (3) as having the discussion in open session would be detrimental to the litigation or bargaining position of the town

******VOTES MAY BE TAKEN ON ANY OF THE ABOVE ITEMS******

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NEXT BOARD MEETING WEDNESDAY, March 21, 2018