



**MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AGENDA
CHESTER R. MARTIN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
141 OAK STREET, TAUNTON, MA 02780**

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MAY 27, 2014 – 7:00 PM

**INVOCATION
ROLL CALL
RECORDS**

HEARING: NONE

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

- **Presentation of the FY2015 City Budget**

APPOINTMENTS

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICERS

- Pg. 1 Com. from Superintendent of Buildings – Submitting recommendations
- Pg. 2 Com. from Chairman, Taunton Planning Board – Notifying of a public meeting
- Pg. 3-6 Com. from Craig Foley, TMLP – Submitting list of double poles
- Pg. 7 Com. from Board of License Commissioners – Responding on additional liquor licenses

PETITIONS

Billiard Table License

Petition submitted by Alan Medeiros, Treasurer, Italian Social Club of Taunton, Inc. requesting a **RENEWAL** of their Billiard Table License located at 2 Columbus Boulevard, Taunton. (1 Table)

Petition submitted by Peter Hebert requesting a **RENEWAL** of the Billiard Table License for Baha Bros. Pub & Restaurant, Inc. –dba- Sandbar Grill located at 64 Weir St., Taunton. (2 Tables)

COMMITTEE REPORTS

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

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ORDERS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

Ordinance for a third reading to be ordained on a roll call vote

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE RESIDENT HIRING POLICY FOR PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS

Chapter 2

ADMINISTRATION

Article XI. Hiring Policy for Public Works Projects Sections 2-305 through 2-311

Be it ordained by the Municipal Council of the City of Taunton and by authority of the same as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 2, Article XI of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Taunton, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking sections 2-305 to 2-311, inclusive and replacing sections 2-305 and 2-306 with the following:

Sec. 2-305. Definitions.

The term “bona fide resident” as used in this article, shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the following meaning: any person for whom the principal place where that person normally eats and sleeps and maintains his or her normal personal and household effects is within the city limits of the City of Taunton. (Ord. of 9-25-84, sec 2)

Sec. 2-306. Policy.

(a) On any construction project funded in whole or in part by city funds, or funds which, in accordance with a federal grant or otherwise, the city expends or administers, or which the city is a signatory to the construction contract, the department involved shall determine whether the language in paragraph (b) of this section may be included in the contract without a detrimental effect upon the cost or quality of the project. If the department determines that the language may be included without detrimental effect, then it shall, to the extent practicable and to the extent allowable by law, include such language or its substantial equivalent in the contract.

(b) To the extent allowable by law, contractor shall work in good faith with the City to:
(i) employ (or cause its contractors to employ) bona fide residents during construction and
(ii) purchase goods and services from local vendors provided that the cost and quality is competitive with other sources.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage.

Order for a second reading to be ordained on a roll call vote

Ordered That,

That \$44,184 is appropriated to pay costs of the High School reconstruction project and that to meet this appropriation, such amount shall be transferred from funds originally borrowed to pay costs of the Harold H. Galligan School roof repair project, as authorized by Chapter 44, Section 20 of the General Laws, because such funds are no longer needed to complete that project.

NEW BUSINESS

Respectfully submitted,



Jennifer Leger

Assistant City Clerk

CITY OF TAUNTON

MASSACHUSETTS

WAYNE E. WALKDEN,
MCPPO, CBO
SUPERINTENDENT OF
BUILDINGS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS



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May 20, 2014

Honorable Mayor Thomas C. Hoye Jr.
Council President Andrew J. Marshall
And Members of the Municipal Council

Dear Mayor and Councilors:

At a regular meeting of the Municipal Council held on Tuesday, May 6, 2014, Councilor Croteau motioned that Tom Pestana provide a report as to recommendations necessary to improve the audio in the Municipal Council Chambers by the end of May.

His recommendations are as follows:

- 1) The installation of new microphones with modifications to the amplifier equipment should improve the performance of the microphone system. This upgrade can be performed over the next few months.
- 2) Since the acoustical problems in the auditorium are complex, an evaluation should be performed by a certified acoustical engineer.

Tom will work with Greg Glynn, Program Director of the Taunton Municipal Network to upgrade the microphones. Two recent microphone replacements have already improved the audio. It is important that speakers direct their voices to the microphones as their operating range is no greater than 24 inches. The video is working well at this time.

Since it is the City's intention to rebuild City Hall in the near future, my recommendation is that we move forward with the limited upgrades that have already been planned for the Maxham Building; which include the renovation of two more bathrooms, a new fire alarm system, and microphone upgrades in the Council Chambers. The cost for engineering and acoustical upgrades to the temporary Council Chamber could be expensive as the work would include several trades; HVAC, electrical, electronics, carpentry, CCTV, and design.

Regards,

Wayne E. Walkden

Wayne E. Walkden
Superintendent of Buildings



TAUNTON PLANNING BOARD

City Hall
15 Summer Street
Taunton, Massachusetts 02780

Denise J. Paiva, Secretary

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May 16, 2014

Honorable Thomas Hoye, Mayor
Members of the Municipal Council
141 Oak St., Maxham School
Taunton, Ma. 02780

C/O Rose Marie Blackwell, City Clerk

RE: Site Plan Review – 200 John Hancock Rd.

Dear Mayor Hoye and Members of the Municipal Council:

Please be advised the Taunton Planning Board received a Site Plan Review for the construction of an enclosed with a partially open walkway shelter approximately 1,200 square feet for property at 200 John Hancock Road submitted by IQE KC, LLC.

The Planning Board will hold their public meeting on Thursday, June 5, 2014 at 5:30 pm. at Maxham School, 141 Oak St., Taunton, Ma.

Respectfully yours,

Daniel P. Dermody, Chairman
Taunton Planning Board

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Serving a Public Power Community

Mrs. Rose Marie Blackwell
City Clerk
City Hall
Taunton, MA 02780

May 15, 2014

Re: Double Poles in the City of Taunton

Dear Mrs. Blackwell,

As requested please find attached the known list of double poles in the City of Taunton. The list includes which company needs to transfer wires and cables to the new pole. The list also has which company needs to pull the butt of the pole after all companies have moved their wires/cables to the new pole. It is the responsibility of the maintaining party to pull the butt when all parties have transferred. The maintenance area in the City of Taunton is as follows:

TMLP - Poles to the East of Route 138 including road poles on Route 138

Verizon – Poles to the West of Route 138.

If you have any questions please contact me at (508) 824-3167

Very truly yours,

MUNICIPAL LIGHT COMMISSION

OF THE CITY OF TAUNTON

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Craig Foley'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Transmission and Distribution Manager

Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant

PO Box 870 Taunton, MA 02780-0870 Ph: 508.824.5844 Fx: 508.823.6931

Cleary-Flood Station Fx: 508.822.3782

www.tmlp.com

Double Poles as of May 13, 2013

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| Street | Pole Number | Needs to Transfer | | | Butt Needs to Be Removed | |
|------------------|-------------|-------------------|---------|------|--------------------------|------|
| | | Verizon | Comcast | TMLP | Verizon | TMLP |
| Arlington Street | 1 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 5 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 6 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 7 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 8 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 9 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 13 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 14 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 15 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 16 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 17 | x | x | | | |
| Arlington Street | 20 | x | x | | | |
| Avon Street | 2 | x | x | | | |
| Avon Street | 3 | x | x | | | |
| Basset Street | 12 | | | | x | |
| Bay Street | 108 | x | x | | | |
| Bay Street | 146 | x | x | | | |
| Cherry Street | 1 | x | x | | | |
| Cherry Street | 2 | x | x | | | |
| Cherry Street | 5 | x | x | | | |
| Cherry Street | 11 | x | x | | | |
| Cherry Street | 12 | x | x | | | |
| Cherry Street | 13 | x | x | | | |
| County Street | 71 | | | | | x |
| County Street | 115 | | | | | x |
| Dismar Road | 3 | x | x | | | |
| Edgehill Road | 3 | x | x | | | |
| Florance Street | 1 | x | x | | | |
| Freemont Street | 66 | | | | x | |
| Freemont Street | 54 | x | x | | | |
| Highland Ave. | 11 | x | | | | |
| Highland Street | 49 | x | x | | | |
| Highland Street | 50 | x | x | | | |
| Highland Street | 53 | x | x | | | |
| Highland Street | 55 | x | x | | | |
| Highland Street | 56 | x | x | | | |
| Highland Street | 65 | x | x | | | |
| Highland Street | 82 | x | x | | | |

Double Poles as of May 13, 2013

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| Street | Pole Number | Needs to Transfer | | | Butt Needs to Be Removed | |
|---------------------|-------------|-------------------|---------|------|--------------------------|------|
| | | Verizon | Comcast | TMLP | Verizon | TMLP |
| Longmeadow road | 4 | x | x | x | | |
| Longmeadow road | 10 | x | x | x | | |
| Longmeadow road | 11 | x | x | x | | |
| Longmeadow road | 16 | x | x | x | | |
| Longmeadow road | 17 | x | x | x | | |
| Longmeadow road | 18 | x | x | x | | |
| Longmeadow road | 19 | x | x | x | | |
| Oak Street | 30 | x | x | | | |
| Oak Street | 31 | x | x | | | |
| Oak Street | 34 | x | x | | | |
| Oak Street | 37 | x | x | | | |
| Oak Street | 42 | x | x | | | |
| Oak Street | 46 | x | x | | | |
| Oak Street | 48 | x | x | | | |
| Oak Street | 49 | x | x | | | |
| Oak Street | 50 | x | x | | | |
| Oak Street | 50 | x | x | | | |
| School Street | 27 | x | x | | | |
| School Street | 26 | x | x | | | |
| School Street | 35 | x | x | | | |
| School Street | 37 | x | x | | | |
| School Street | 38 | x | x | | | |
| School Street | 40 | x | x | | | |
| School Street | 41 | x | x | | | |
| School Street | 42 | x | x | | | |
| School Street | 43 | x | x | | | |
| Smith Ave | 0.50 | x | | | | |
| Smith Ave | 1 | x | x | | | |
| Smith Ave | 3 | x | x | | | |
| Smith Ave | 4 | x | x | | | |
| Smith Ave | 5 | x | x | | | |
| Smith Ave | 7 | x | x | | | |
| South Walker Street | 5 | x | | | | |
| Thraser Street | 15 | x | | | | |
| Tremont Street | 84 | x | x | | | |
| Tremont Street | 85 | x | x | | | |
| Tremont Street | 167 | x | x | | | |
| Washington Street | 80 | x | | | | |
| Washington Street | 61 | x | x | x | | |

Double Poles as of May 13, 2013

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| Street | Pole Number | Needs to Transfer | | | Butt Needs to Be Removed | |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------|-----------|--------------------------|----------|
| | | Verizon | Comcast | TMLP | Verizon | TMLP |
| Wilber Street | 10 | x | | | | |
| Wilber Street | 11 | x | | | | |
| Winter Street | 3 | x | x | x | | |
| Winter Street | 20 | x | x | x | | |
| Winter Street | 21 | x | x | x | | |
| Winter Street | 31 | x | x | x | | |
| Winthrop Street | 123 | x | x | | | |
| Winthrop Street | 128 | x | x | | | |
| Winthrop Street | 149 | x | x | | | |
| Winthrop Street | 157 | x | | | | |
| Total | 87 | 83 | 75 | 12 | 2 | 2 |



CITY OF TAUNTON
BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS

141 Oak Street
Taunton, Massachusetts 02780
Phone (508) 821-1037 Fax (508) 821-1397

Peter C. Lamb, Chairman
Brendan P. Mullen, Commissioner
Bruce M. Thomas, Commissioner

Susan K. Barber
Recording Secretary

May 22, 2013

Mayor Thomas C. Hoye, Jr.
Members of the Municipal Council
City of Taunton
141 Oak Street
Taunton, MA 02780

Re: Additional Liquor Licenses

Dear Mayor Hoye and Members of the Municipal Council:

This office is in receipt of your letter dated May 8, 2014 requesting a copy of a purported letter that this Board received regarding a rejection by the State to the City's request for additional Section 15 package store licenses. Please be advised that no one on the License Commission has received any correspondence from the State, either rejecting or allowing the request for additional licenses.

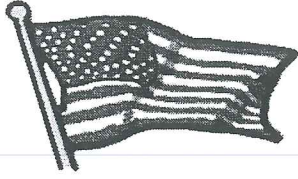
If I can be of any further assistance, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Susan K. Barber
Recording Secretary
Board of License Commissioners

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cc: Peter C. Lamb, Chairman



MAY 27, 2014

HONORABLE THOMAS C. HOYE, JR., MAYOR
COUNCIL PRESIDENT ANDREW J. MARSHALL
AND MEMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

PLEASE NOTE: THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEE MEETINGS HAVE BEEN SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, MAY 27, 2014 AT 6:30 P.M. AT THE TEMPORARY CITY HALL AT MAXHAM SCHOOL, 141 OAK STREET, TAUNTON, MA. 02780, IN THE CHESTER R. MARTIN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

6:30 P.M. **THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE & SALARIES**
1. MEET TO REVIEW THE WEEKLY VOUCHERS & PAYROLLS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS
2. MEET TO REVIEW REQUESTS FOR FUNDING
3. MEET TO REVIEW MATTERS IN FILE

PLEASE NOTE: A "MEETING" OF THE ENTIRE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, AS SAID TERM IS DEFINED IN MASS. GEN. L. C. 30A, §18 MAY OCCUR CONCURRENTLY WITH THIS COMMITTEE MEETING

RESPECTFULLY,

COLLEEN M. ELLIS
CLERK OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES

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