



MEETING NOTICE

TOWN OF FREETOWN

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PUBLIC BODY: Board of Selectmen

MEETING PLACE: Police Station Community Room 15 Memorial Drive, East Freetown

Street Address

*Pursuant to Gov. Baker's March 12, 2020

Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, sec. 18

DAY: Monday DATE: August 2, 2021 TIME: 3:30 PM
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SIGNED: *Lu Ann Souza* Lu Ann Souza, Executive Assistant DATE: July 29, 2021
Chairman / Clerk [or other authorized representative] & Title

If canceled or postponed to:

DATE: _____ TIME: _____ RECEIVED: _____
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Notice of every meeting of a local public body must be filed and time-stamped with the Town Clerk's Office at least 48 hours prior to such meeting (excluding Saturdays Sundays and legal holidays) and posted thereafter in accordance with the provisions of the Open Meeting Law, MGL 30A §§18-25 (Ch.28-2009). Such notice shall contain a listing of topics the Chair reasonably anticipates will be discussed at the meeting.

Call to Order

Executive Session

1. M.G.L. c. 30A, sec. 21(a)(3) – to discuss strategy with respect to litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares – Copart of Connecticut, Inc. v. Board of Selectmen of the Town of Freetown
2. M.G.L. c. 30A, sec. 21(a)(3) – to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with non-union personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions or contract negotiations with non-union personnel. Town Accountant.

Board of Selectmen

Discussion/possible action on the following topics:

3. Discussion and vote to authorize a sub-grant to the Town of Lakeville for the \$83K and Lakeville to certify it will use the funds in accordance with the terms of the original IT Community Compact Agreement.
4. Discussion, and vote on Parade & Fireworks Committee's supplies in storage unit at highway department moving to a storage container at the old police station effective 8/9/2021
5. Discussion on LakeCam purchase and installation of camera and associated equipment at the Police Station Community Room and what they can do for Freetown in regard to our PEG Channels, coverage of meetings etc. in the future.
6. Discussion and vote on spending plan from Fire Department for the \$25,000 donation from Bristol County Savings Bank for Public Safety.
7. Discussion, and vote on Phone System upgrades needed at the Council on Aging.
8. Discussion, and vote on spending plans form Council on Aging and Board of Selectmen for the Living Trust of Rene Charbonneau.

9. Discussion, and vote on applying for the Air Sensor Grant program.
10. Discussion, and vote on language proposed in WasteZero contract.
11. Discussion, and vote on Chapter 90 Project Requests for:
 - a. Mill and pave Chace Rd from the railroad to Gurney Rd.
 - b. Mill and pave Memorial Drive, between Bullock Rd and Chace Rd.
12. Discussion, and vote on designated signer for future Chapter 90 requests.
13. Discussion, and vote on Eversource Notice of Filing, Public Hearing, Procedural Conference and Request for Comments for Deferral of Major Storm Threshold Amounts for 2020 Storms.
14. Discussion, and vote on approval and posting interim Town Administrator job posting.
15. Discussion, and vote on draft Special Town Meeting Articles to be sent to Finance Committee
16. Discussion, and vote on Land in Lakeville Freetown is receiving a property tax bill on
17. Discussion, and vote on Measurer of Wood & Bark (Lumber) position.

Board of Health

Discussion/possible action on the following topics:

18. Discussion, and vote on activating the COVID Contact Tracers to assist the Public Health Nurse with the rise in COVID cases.
19. Discussion, and vote to approve the MOA between Town of Freetown and Public Employees Union, Local, 1144, LIUNA for a successor collective bargaining agreement July 1, 2021-June 30, 2024 for Public Safety Dispatchers.

Personnel Board

Discussion/possible action on the following topics:

20. Acknowledge the resignation of Joshua Simmons effective 7/27/21.
21. Acknowledge that it was incorrectly noted that Thomas Ashley resigned at the 6/21/21 Board of Selectmen's Meeting. Mr. Ashley transferred to the Transfer Station effective 7/1/21.
22. Appoint Ronnie Frates as Laborer effective 8/3/21-6/30/22.
23. Appoint Donald P. Souza, Jr. as Laborer effective 8/9/21-6/30/22.
24. Re-appoint Sandra M. DiLillo Board of Registrar effective 4/1/21-3/31/24.
25. Approve the Agreement between Town of Freetown and Kim Fales, Town Accountant effective 7/1/21-6/30/24.
26. Approve the Agreement between Town of Freetown and Chief Carlton Abbott effective 7/21-6/30/23.
27. Appoint Michael R. MacDonald as Patrolman 4/2 Probationary Full-Time effective 8/2/21-6/30/22.
28. Discussion on effective strategy for Board of Selectmen to conduct the required reviews in the agreements with Town Accountant, Treasurer/Tax Collector, Administrative Assistant, Executive Assistant, Chief of Police and Town Administrator.

Board of Park Commissioners

Discussion/possible action on the following topics:

29. Discussion, and vote of addition of a fence at the Town Beach

Please note: The Board may take up any other business to properly come before the Board that was not reasonably anticipated 48 hours before this meeting.

Old Business:

Potential discussion on pending items – action will not be taken at this meeting:

- Town Beach
- Boat Ramp
- Town Administrator Search/Coverage