

The briefing for the City Council Meeting to be held on Tuesday, January 19, 2021 will be held at 6:30 pm in the Council Chambers and Zoom.

Agenda for the City Council Meeting on Tuesday, January 19, 2021 immediately following the Mayors Briefing in the Council Chambers and Zoom is as follows:

Public Input

- MO-1 Ordered that the City Council accept the donation of Five hundred eighty and 00/100 dollars (\$580.00) from the Blue Room Café to the Chicopee Fire Department. Said donation is accepted in accordance with M.G.L Chapter 44 Section 53A.
- MO-2 Ordered that the City Council accept the donation of Fifty and 00/100 dollars (\$50.00) from Robert and Barbara Pajak to the Chicopee Fire Department. Said donation is accepted in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 44 Section 53A.
- MO-3 Ordered that the City Council accept the donation of Five hundred eighty and 00/100 dollars (\$580.00) from the Blue Room Café to the Chicopee Police Department. Said donation is accepted in accordance with M.G.L Chapter 44 Section 53A.
- MO-4 Mayor's appropriation of Twenty one thousand three hundred seven and 19/100 dollars (\$21,307.19) to the following named account: Human Resources Special Account for Indemnifications of Police and Fire from available funds in the Undesignated Fund Balance "Free Cash" Account.
- MO-5 Mayor's appropriation of Twenty nine thousand four hundred forty and 00/100 dollars (\$29,440.00) to the following named account: Planning Special Account for Rivermills Fill Program from available funds in the Undesignated Fund Balance "Free Cash" Account.

MO-6 To the City Council:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed, Daniel Garvey, 64 South Brook Road, East Longmeadow, Massachusetts as Associate City Solicitor and City Council Legal Counsel to serve in such office for the term expiring on the 1<sup>st</sup> of January, 2022.

\*Re-Appointment

MO-7 Chapter 7 Ordinance Revisions

MO-8 Mayor's appropriation of Sixty five thousand one hundred forty three and 91/100 dollars (\$65,143.91) to the following named elected official salary accounts:

Mayor	\$18,287.41
Treasurer	8,402.30
Collector	9,637.98
City Clerk	6,178.21
Assessors (3)	9,637.99
President of the Council	1,000.02
City Councilor	<u>12,000.00</u>
Total:	\$65,143.91

From available funds in the Undesignated Fund Balance "Free Cash" Account.

- MO-9 Ordered that the City Council accept the donations in the amount of Twelve thousand nine hundred ten and 80/100 dollars (\$12,910.80) to the Chicopee Council on Aging. Said donations were received for senior meals during the month of December and are accepted in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 44 Section 53A.
- MO-10 Ordered that the City Council accept the 2020 MASS DOT shared winter streets and spaces grant to the Chicopee Planning Department in the amount of Seventy six thousand six hundred forty two and 50/100 dollars (\$76,642.50). Said grant is for the creation of a protected bicycle and walking loop through Chicopee Center and it is accepted in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 44 Section 53A.
- 11 Be it Ordered that the City Council pursue adopting a home rule petition to include in the current City Charter a recall provision.
- Brooks
- 12 Be it Ordered that nominations for the City of Chicopee Library Board of Trustees be opened.
- Be it Further Ordered that Karen Kamienski be considered for said position and final appointment be voted upon. The term to expire in 2023.
- Brooks
- 13 An Order requesting the City Council refer to the Community Development Subcommittee consideration to approve participation in the Massachusetts Commercial Property Assessed Clean Energy Program, (PACE), in accordance with the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 23M as amended and authorize the Mayor to enter into a PACE Massachusetts Municipal Assessment and Assignment Agreement with Mass Development.
- Laflamme
- 14 Be it Ordered that a commission shall be established to review the Charter of the City of Chicopee. This commission shall be convened at ten-year intervals in years ending in one.
- McAuliffe
- 15 Be it Ordered that the City Engineer meet at Bush Avenue to discuss the unsafe parking issue.
- Courchesne
- 16 Be it Ordered that the City Auditor Sharyn Riley and Human Resources Director Rich Merchant come before the Finance Sub-Committee to discuss issues with unemployment benefits.
- Dobosz/Courchesne
- 17 Be it Ordered that the Fire Chief come before the Finance Subcommittee to discuss the Fire Department Budget.
- Dobosz

18 Be it Ordered that the Utilities Subcommittee meet to discuss potential price gouging by Charter.

Dobosz

19 Be it Ordered that the City Engineer send a letter to the Owner/Property manager of the Home Depot parking lot to correct the violations of the plot plan as it pertains to the entrance from Memorial Drive.

Courchesne/Dobosz

20 Request that the Mayor take action to fill the vacant Compliance Officer position as budgeted in the City Clerk's budget.

Courchesne/Dobosz

21 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260: Parking Regulations, Charbonneau Terrace, for a distance of 25 feet on both sides to the intersection of Chicopee Street, Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Courchesne

22 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260: Parking Regulations, Tenney Street, from driveway of 11 Tenney Street to the corner of Newell Street, Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

McAuliffe

23 An application for a NEW Zone Change from Commercial A to Residential A for 5227 sqft of property located at 3 Hartford Street, Chicopee, 01020 for the purpose of me to move in, closing date was December 30<sup>th</sup>, 20. I need something, paperwork, is too cold to move to a place without utilities. Applicant: Jose Rosa, 181 Elm Street, Holyoke, MA 01040.

24 Class 2 License Renewal for 2021

Gary's Auto Sales

125-131 Broadway

25 Auto Repair License Renewal for 2021

Gary's Auto Sales

125-131 Broadway

ATTEST:



Keith W. Rattell  
City Clerk