

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

Agenda for the City Council Meeting on Tuesday, April 6, 2021 immediately following the Mayors Briefing in the Auditorium and Zoom is as follows:

Public Input

- MO-1 Mayors appropriation of Eighty six thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$86,000.00) to the following named account: Police Expense Account for Departmental Equipment from available funds in the Undesignated Fund Balance "Free Cash" Account.
- MO-2 Ordered that the City Council accept an In-Kind donation from Lemelin Photography with estimated value of Six hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$600.00) to the Chicopee Police Department. Said donation is for head shots of Police Department employees and it is accepted in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 44 Section 53A and 53A ½.
- MO-3 Mayors appropriation of Four thousand eight hundred eighty one and 68/100 dollars (\$4,881.68) to the following named account: Human Resources Special Account for Indemnifications of Police & Fire from available funds in the Undesignated Fund Balance "Free Cash" Account.
- MO-4 Mayors appropriation of Nine hundred fifty four and 19/100 dollars (\$954.19) to the following named account: Golf Special Account for Golf Course Maintenance from available funds in the Golf Salary Account for Seasonal Golf Assistants.
- MO-5 Chapter 7 Ordinance Revisions: Create three new title positions to be subject to the Chapter 7 Ordinance; Group 4; 00 Human Resources.
- Pandemic Response Clerk \$15.00/hour
 - Pandemic Response Nurse \$40.00/hour
 - Pandemic Response Lead Nurse \$50.00/hour
- MO-6 Mayors appropriation of One million and 00/100 dollars (\$1,000,000.00) to the following named account: Treasurer's Special Account for OPEB from available funds in the Undesignated Fund Balance "Free Cash" Account.
- MO-7 To the City Council:
- You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed, Denise T. Przybylowicz, 11 Caddyshack Drive, Chicopee, Massachusetts as a member of the Board of Registrars of Voters to serve in such office for the term expiring on the 1st of April, 2024. To which appointment I ask the confirmation of your honorable council.
- *New Appointment
- MO-8 To the City Council:
- You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed, Christina Loy, 451 East Main Street, Chicopee, Massachusetts as a full time member of the Zoning Board of Appeals to serve in such office for the term expiring on the 1st of April, 2026. To which appointment I ask the confirmation of your honorable council.
- *Re-Appointment
- 9 A favorable License Committee reports, an application for an Auto Detailing License for A & B Vinyl Designs located at 450 B New Ludlow Road. Applicant: Ocziris Rodriguez, 292 Page Blvd., Springfield, MA 01104.

- 10 A Zoning Committee report, Special Permit application under 275-50 (A) (1) (g) (1) for the purpose of an off-premise, non-accessory sign (also defined as a billboard) for the Leadfoot Brewing located at 30 Buckley Blvd. and any needed waivers under 275-50 (A) (1). Request the following waivers:
1. A waiver from 275-50.A (1) (g) (1) (a) – To waive the requirement for a billboard to not be located within 1,500 feet of a park or the main building entrance of a school or church.
 2. A waiver from 275-50.A (1) (g) (1) (b) – To waive the requirement for a billboard to not be located within 500 feet of a residentially zoned land.
 3. A waiver from 275-62 (D) – To waive the requirement that a freestanding sign may be allowed for each building set back as least 25 feet.

11 A Zoning Committee report, Special Permit application under Chapter 275-52 (B) (11) for the purpose of a home occupation permit to legally produce baked goods such as cakes and cookies in a residential kitchen located at 64 McCarthy Avenue. Applicant: Jessica Carrano, 64 McCarthy Ave., Chicopee, MA 01020.

12 A Zoning Committee report, Special Permit application under 275-40 (G) for the purpose of reduction in required number of parking spaces from 18 to 16 spaces located at 675 Fuller Road. Applicant: Mike Laser Enterprises, LLC, c/o David LaVenture, 428 East Street, Chicopee, MA 01020.

13 A Zoning Committee report, Special Permit application under 275-72 for the purpose of the establishment of an Adult Use of Marijuana – Marijuana retailer – License Group B located at 1269 Memorial Drive. Applicant: JimBuddy's Rec Shop, Inc., James Robinson, 30 Vadnais Street, Chicopee, MA 01020.

14 To the City Clerk:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed Timothy J. Wagner, 103 Oakridge Street, Chicopee, Massachusetts as a member of the Charter Review Commission to serve in such office for the term expiring on the 6th of April 2022.

*New Appointment

McAuliffe

15 To the City Clerk:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed Al Picard of 46 Harvey Street, Chicopee, Massachusetts as a member of the Charter Review Commission.

*New Appointment

Tillotson

16 To the City Clerk:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed David Amo of 72 Fairway Drive, Chicopee, Massachusetts as a member of the Charter Review Commission.

*New Appointment

Dobosz

17 To the City Clerk:

You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed Joshua Clark of 517 McKinstry Avenue, 2nd floor, Chicopee, Massachusetts as a member of the Charter Review Commission.

*New Appointment

Labrie

18 BE IT ORDERED THAT the DPW install pedestrian warning signs for crosswalks in the area of Charbonneau Terrace, Leslie Street, Walter Street and Yvonne Street.

Courchesne

19 BE IT ORDERED THAT the C3 Program meet with the Public Safety Committee to discuss progress, challenges and initiatives.

Courchesne

20 BE IT ORDERED THAT the Acting Chief and Captain of the Traffic Bureau meet with the Public Safety Committee to discuss initiatives to combat speeding, and illegal dirt bikes and mufflers, with the option to adjourn to executive session if necessary.

Courchesne

21 BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council that the Code of the City of Chicopee for the Year 1991, as amended, be and is hereby further amended as follows:

Chapter 260-16 A Establishment; sounding of warning devices.

Delete

300 feet

And insert in place thereof

500 feet

To read:

- A. All territory within 500 feet of the premises of each hospital, each nursing home or any medical health care facility where overnight stays are required by competent medical personnel, in the City of Chicopee, is hereby declared, by the amendment of this ordinance, to be a zone of quiet.

Courchesne

22 BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council that the Code of the City of Chicopee for the Year 1991, as amended, be and is hereby further amended as follows:

Chapter 260-16 C Establishment; sounding of warning devices.

Add or rev excessively after "at very high speeds"

To read:

C: No person operating any type of motor vehicle within any designated zone of quiet shall sound the horn or use other warning devices, cause the motor to run at very high speeds or rev excessively so as to cause loud noises or to cause his or her vehicles to spin the wheels at a high speed (burn rubber). The only exceptions are emergency vehicles.

Courchesne

23 BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council that the Code of the City of Chicopee for the Year 1991, as amended, be and is hereby further amended as follows:

Chapter 200-3 B Enumeration of prohibited noises.

Add

The excessive or otherwise unnecessary revving of motorcycle, automobile or other such motorized vehicle or equipment.

To Read

- B. Noisy vehicles. The use of an automobile, motorcycle or other vehicle so out of repair or so loaded in such a manner so as to create repeated or continuous loud, unnecessary grating, grinding, rattling or other noise. The excessive or otherwise unnecessary revving of motorcycle, automobile or other such motorized vehicle or equipment.

Courchesne

- 24 BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council that the Code of the City of Chicopee for the Year 1991, as amended, be and is hereby further amended as follows:

Chapter 200-3 E Enumeration of prohibited noises.

Add

Nursing home after "hospital"

To Read

E. Noise near schools and other institutions. The creation of any excessive noise on any street adjacent to any school, installation of learning, church or court while the same is in session, or adjacent to any hospital, nursing home which unreasonably interferes with the workings of such institutions, provided that conspicuous signs are displayed in such streets indicating that the same is a school, hospital, church or court house. Excessive noise, for the purposes of this section, shall be repeated and/or continuous noise that can reasonably be construed to impair or hamper the activities involved in any of the above stated entities.

Courchesne

- 25 BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council that the Code of the City of Chicopee for the Year 1991, as amended, be and is hereby further amended as follows:

Delete in its entirety Chapter 169-40 Maintenance; violations and penalties; enforcement
And insert in place thereof

ARTICLE V

Receptacle for Used Clothing

Tillotson

- 26 BE IT ORDERED THAT Daniel's Truck Center, 18 Montcalm Street, be called before the City of Chicopee License Committee and City Council to discuss the license (s) currently held by Daniel's Truck Center including compliance with restrictions imposed upon and licenses held by Daniel's Truck Center. The Council may modify, suspend, fine, or revoke any license held by Daniel's Truck Center. Violation – Too many vehicles on the lot.

Walczak

- 27 BE IT ORDERED THAT the DPW install "Go Slow Children" signs on Empire Street at the beginning of the street and the middle of the street in both directions for a total of 4 signs.

Galecki/Tillotson

- 28 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, State Street, Even side from the corner of Chicopee Street for 25' in the easterly direction – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Galecki

- 29 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, Empire Street, At 55 Empire Street in front of condo #19 from the corner of the shared driveway of 53/55 Empire Street for 21 feet in the western direction – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Galecki

- 30 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, Chicopee Street, In front of 453 Chicopee Street from the corner of State Street for 21 feet in the southern direction on Chicopee Street – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Galecki

- 31 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, Chicopee Street, In front of 460 Chicopee Street from the corner of Bonner Street for 21 feet in the southern direction on Chicopee Street – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Galecki

- 32 A proposed ordinance striking from Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, Armanella Street, West side – 37 feet from East Main Street – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Krampits

- 33 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, Armanella Street, West side – 135 feet from East Main Street – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Krampits

- 34 A proposed ordinance striking from Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, Woodlawn Street, North Side – 35 ft from St. James Avenue – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Krampits

- 35 A proposed ordinance striking from Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, Woodlawn Street, South Side – 25 ft from St. James Avenue – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Krampits

- 36 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, Woodlawn Street, West side – 75 feet from St. James Avenue – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Krampits

- 37 A proposed ordinance adding to Chapter 260, Parking Regulations, Woodlawn Street, East side – 75 feet from St. James Avenue – Parking Prohibited Here to Corner.

Krampits

- 38 Application for a NEW Auto Repair License at: 725 Memorial Drive, Metrolube Enterprises Inc. d/b/a Valvoline Instant Oil Change applied for by Robert Ladas, 1 Nipmur Lane, Southborough, MA.

39-41 Junk Dealer's License Renewals for 2021

AJW Realty, LLC
Furnari Jewelers
Rubidia's Sew & Consignment

766 Memorial Drive
1189 Memorial Drive
131 Church Street

ATTEST:



Keith W. Rattell
City Clerk