

Notice of Meeting

To be filed in duplicate

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Chapter 30A, Section 18-25 of the General Laws of a meeting of the:

Rules Committee

Meeting will be held **6:15 PM** on **Monday, June 12, 2023**

The location of the meeting will be **Council Chambers, 4th floor, City Hall Annex & via Zoom**

Full description of location **274 Front Street, Chicopee, MA 01013 & via Zoom**

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83444630871?pwd=QXpNK3RjNmhm2YVA0YlRhbmh3WEluQT09>

Meeting ID: 834 4463 0871 Passcode: 493231

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The purpose of the meeting **See attached agenda**



June 7, 2023 - Administrative Assistant

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Rules Committee Meeting
Monday, June 12, 2023 @ 6:15 PM
Chambers/Zoom
274 Front Street, City Hall Annex, Chicopee MA 01013

Item #1

BE IT ORDERED THAT THE RULES AND ORDERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS SHALL BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

DELETE

Regular meetings of the City Council shall be held on the first and third Tuesday evening of each month, except for the months of July and August, when a single regular meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday of such months. All meetings shall convene at 7:15 P.M., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. If any such regular meeting shall fall on a legal holiday, or elections such meeting shall be held on the succeeding Thursday evening.

AND INSERT IN PLACE THEREOF

Regular meetings of the City Council shall be held on the first and third Tuesday evening of each month, except for the months of July and August, when a single regular meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday of such months. All meetings shall convene at 6:30 P.M., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. If any such regular meeting shall fall on a legal holiday, or elections such meeting shall be held on the succeeding Thursday evening.

Item #2

BE IT ORDERED THAT the Rules Committee meet to discuss training for new and current Councilors every two years.

Item #3

BE IT ORDERED THAT the Chicopee City council accept the final report completed by the Charter Review Committee and forward the same to the Rules Committee for review and formulation of recommendations to the full City Council for discussion and formal adoption.

Item #4

BE IT ORDERED THAT Jean Fitzgerald be recognized and given an official citation from the City Council for her work regarding the National Night Out and other community work she has been involved in.

Item #5

BE IT ORDERED THAT the Rules Committee meet to discuss adding a rule to the Rules and Orders of the City Council Meetings regarding appointments to Boards and Commissions. For new appointments the candidate will be referred to the Human Resources Committee and reappointments will be voted upon by the Council without having to appear before the Human Resources Committee.

Item #6

BE IT ORDERED THAT the Rules and Orders of the City Council Meetings be amended as follows:

Delete Rule 12 D

- D The President shall open the meeting to public input. Public input shall be limited to three (3) minutes and shall not include collective bargaining issues, personalities, or any personal attacks. The individual shall give their name and address prior to speaking. At any time a person not present at the close of public input makes a request to address the City Council, he or she will require a two-thirds majority roll call vote of the Council before being allowed to proceed.

And insert in place there of

- D The President shall open the meeting to public input. Public input shall be limited to three (3) minutes. No person(s) shall be allowed to yield time to another during public input. The individual shall give their name and address prior to speaking. At any time a person not present at the close of public input makes a request to address the City Council, he or she will require a two-thirds majority roll call vote of the Council before being allowed to proceed.

Item #7

Minutes – June 4, 2014

Item #8

Adjournment