

**SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
PURSUANT TO CHARTER SECTION 2-6(c)(ii)
REMOTE – MEETING RECORDING**

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APRIL 06, 2020

7:30PM

Council President Eigerman called the meeting to order at 7:30pm and instructed the Clerk to call the roll. The following councilors answered present: Wallace, Zeid, Connell, Devlin, Khan, Lane, McCauley, Shand, Tontar, Vogel, Eigerman. 11 present, 0 absent.

1. Call to Order
2. Public Comment
 - o Ahmer Ibrahim, 85 Prospect Street
 - o Lukas Phipps, 2 Allen Street
 - o Brian Callahan, 29 Warren Street
 - o Linda & Mike Lambert, 58 Merrimac Street
 - o Steve Hines, 54 Ferry Road
3. ODNC056_04_06_2020_EP – Emergency preamble pursuant to Charter Section 2-9(b) to an Ordinance to Prevent Contagion of the Covid 19 Virus.
4. ODNC056_04_06_2020 – An Ordinance to Prevent Contagion of the Covid 19 Virus in Public Places under the Jurisdiction of the City of Newburyport.

Motion to amend, reduce the First Violation from \$125 to \$25 in Section (c) (1), by Councillor Khan, seconded by Councillor Vogel. Roll call vote, 10 yes, 1 no (Devlin). Motion passed.

Motion to amend Section (a) (2) as follows: insert the word 'or' between “field” and “court”, strike “or other area”, and add after the word “field” the following: "however, notwithstanding the foregoing, jogging and running do not constitute a violation of this section." by Councillor Eigerman, seconded by Councillor Khan. Roll call vote, 10 yes, 1 no (Devlin). Motion passed.

Motion to strike Section A(2), A(3) and modify (c) Violations and Penalties as follows: strike “the Parking Clerk”, and “animal control officers and parking control officers” and the remaining section (c) beginning with the words “by penalizing violators” to the end of section (c) by Councillor Devlin, seconded by Councillor Zeid.

5. Reports by Standing Committees

6. Good of the Order

7. Adjournment

Motion to postpone to Wednesday, April 8, 2020 by Councillor Eigerman, seconded by Councillor Vogel. So voted. 10:56pm. There is an existing motion to approve ODNC056_04_06_2020 as amended by Councillor Eigerman, seconded by Councillor Khan.