

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

AGENDA

**September 26, 2023 7:00 pm
City Council Chambers, City Hall
60 Pleasant Street, Newburyport**

Zoom details for City Council Meeting:
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- 1. MOMENT OF SILENCE**
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- 3. CALL TO ORDER**
- 4. LATE FILE**
 - APPL00161_09_26_2023
 - APPL00162_09_26_2023
- 5. PUBLIC COMMENT**
- 6. MAYOR'S COMMENT**

Newburyport Chamber of Commerce Beer Garden
Multiple Weekends Fri. 2-7pm, Sat. & Sun. 11am-7pm
10/20-10/22, 10/27-10/29, 11/3-11/5, 11/10-11/12, 11/17-11/19, 11/24-11/26
Indigenous People's Day 10/7 10am-5pm Metzy's Food Truck on Merrimac St.

CONSENT AGENDA

NOTE: ALL ITEMS LISTED UNDER CONSENT AGENDA WILL BE ENACTED BY ONE MOTION. THERE WILL BE NO SEPARATE DISCUSSION OF THESE ITEMS. IF DISCUSSION IS DESIRED, THAT ITEM WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA AND CONSIDERED SEPARATELY.

- 7. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
 - September 11, 2023 (Approve)
- 8. COMMUNICATIONS**
 - COMM00506_09_26_2023 Memo Brown School EOIs (G&G/COTW)
 - APPL00159_09_26_2023 Movable sign application Grand Trunk at Center St. & Water St. (L&P)
 - APPL00160_09_26_2023 Movable sign application Grand Trunk at Liberty St. & State St. (L&P)
- 9. TRANSFERS**
 - TRAN00169_09_26_2023 Mayor's Office: Parklet Maintenance Fund \$10,000 to HWY Downtown Parklets \$10,000 (B&F)
- 10. APPOINTMENTS**
 - APPT00435_09_26_2023 Janet N. Collett 16 Woodland St. Cultural Council 10/01/2026

ALL ITEMS NOTED BELOW ARE REMOVED FROM THEIR RESPECTIVE COMMITTEES WITH THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE CONSENT AGENDA

BUDGET & FINANCE

- TRAN00168_09_11_2023 North Jetty Side Dredge Proj \$11,319.00 to Boat Waste Pump Replace \$11,319.00
- ORDR00486_09_11_2023 Digital Signage Gift Acceptance \$967
- ORDR00487_09_11_2023 Lead Service Line Grant Acceptance \$207,800

COMMUNITY SERVICES

- COMM00503_09_11_2023 Extension of Acting Head Librarian Appointment

LICENSES & PERMITS

- APPL00158_09_11_2023 Block Party - Hancock Street 9/30 2pm

END OF CONSENT AGENDA

REGULAR AGENDA

9. MAYOR'S UPDATE

10. FIRST READING APPOINTMENTS

11. COMMUNICATIONS

12. TRANSFERS

13. SECOND READING APPOINTMENTS

14. ORDERS

- ORDR00489_09_11_2023 Temporary Parking Plan
Moved to a date certain 9/26/2023
- ORDR00490_09_26_2023 State Planning Assistance Grant for Storey Ave. & Low St.
- ORDR00491_09_26_2023 Port Parks Alliance Gift Acceptance \$2425.00
- ORDR00492_09_26_2023 FY2024 Supplemental Budget
- ORDR00493_09_26_2023 Local Acceptance of Prudent Investor Rule for Trust Funds
- ORDR00494_09_26_2023 'Spring Awakening' Sculpture Gift Acceptance
- ORDR00495_09_26_2023 'Rabbit Man' Sculpture Gift Acceptance
- ORDR00496_09_26_2023 Constellation NewEnergy Contract
- ORDR00497_09_26_2023 Sponsorship of an Administrative Order to create Recreation & Youth Services Department

15. ORDINANCES

- ODNC00159_08_28_2023 *2nd Reading* Handicapped Space - 42 Market St

16. COMMITTEE ITEMS

Budget & Finance

In Committee:

- TRAN00168 09 11 2023 North Jetty Side Dredge Proj \$11,319.00 to Boat Waste Pump Replace \$11,319.00
- ORDR00486 09 11 2023 Digital Signage Gift Acceptance \$967
- ORDR00487 09 11 2023 Lead Service Line Grant Acceptance \$207,800
- ODNC00129_11_01_2022 Defining Conflict Rule for Dept. Heads (COTW)
- ORDR00336_03_28_2022 ARPA Amesbury 250K (COTW)
- ORDR00472_06_26_2023 Streets Sidewalks Loan Order \$6,000,000 (COTW)
- TRAN00153_05_08_2023 Mayor: Multiple \$3,483,773 to Multiple \$3,483,773 revised 6/15/2023
(Atkinson Common Request only all other matters adjudicated)

Community Services

In Committee:

- **COMM00503_09_11_2023** **Extension of Acting Head Librarian Appointment**
- COMM00474_04_10_2023 Newburyport Public Art Policy
- COMM00495_08_14_2023 Ltr from Katherine Moore, Betty LaBaugh, and Brendan & Katy Banovic
re: Landscaping noise and air pollution
- ODNC00157_06_12_2023 Public Art Policy (COTW)
- ORDR00474_07_10_2023 Plan Approval Bartlett Mall Improvement Project (COTW)

General Government

In Committee:

- COMM00461_02_27_2023 Brown School Gymnasium Considerations (COTW)
- COMM00468_03_13_2023 Brown School Proposal (COTW)
- ODNC00146_03_13_2023 Amend Ch 2-34 Responsibilities of Committee on Community Services
- ORDR239_02_8_2021 Council Rule 7 and 10B

Licenses & Permits

In Committee:

- **APPL00158_09_11_2023 Block Party - Hancock Street 9/30 2pm**

Planning & Development

In Committee:

- COMM00494_07_10_2023 Planning Board Advisory Report STRU (COTW)
- COMM00500_08_28_2023 STRU Planning Board Final Report (COTW)
- ODNC047_01_27_2020 General Ordinance - Short Term Rental Units Rules (COTW)
- ODNC00141_02_27_2023 Zoning Amendment STRU (COTW)
- ODNC00160_08_28_2023 Zoning Amendment Business Park Indoor Outdoor Rec (COTW)

Public Works & Safety

In Committee:

- COMM00412_05_31_2022 Ltr Ann Jaronyk re: Traffic Safety
- COMM00459_01_30_2023 Ltr. Residents concerned with speeding on Arlington St.
- COMM00462_02_27_2023 Ltr. From Kathleen O'Connor Ives re: drinking water concerns
- COMM00479_04_24_2023 Ward 4 Street Sidewalk Traffic Safety Priorities
- COMM00482_04_24_2023 Constructions projects at the Central Waterfront
- COMM00505_09_11_2023 Ltr from Kristen Hunter re Merrimac St. traffic safety progress
- ODNC00103_01_10_2022 Streets, Sidewalks, and Other Public Places Alterations & Maintenance
- ODNC00152_05_08_2023 Amend Ch 13-181 Municipal Parking Facilities (COTW)
- ORDR00449_04_24_2023 Approving Shared Streets Grant, High Street Traffic Calming

17. GOOD OF THE ORDER

18. ADJOURNMENT