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Lowell City Council *Regular Meeting Agenda*

Date: October 5, 2021

Time: 6:30 PM

Location: City Council Chamber, 375 Merrimack Street, 2nd Floor, Lowell, MA

1. ROLL CALL

2. MAYOR'S BUSINESS

2.1. Communication Remote / Zoom Participation:

Meetings Will Be Held In Council Chamber With Public Welcome And By Using Remote Participation As Follows: Members Of The Public May View The Meeting Via LTC.Org (On-Line; Live Streaming; Or Local Cable Channel 99). Those Wishing To Speak Regarding A Specific Agenda Item Shall Register To Speak In Advance Of The Meeting By Sending Email To City Clerk Indicating The Agenda Item And A Phone Number To Call So That You May Be Issued Zoom Link To The Meeting. Email Address Is MGEARY@LOWELLMA.GOV. If No Access To Email You May Contact City Clerk At 978-674-4161. All Request Must Be Done Before 4:00 PM On The Day Of Meeting. For Zoom - [HTTPS://SUPPORT.ZOOM.US/HC/EN-US/ARTICLES/201362193-JOINING-A-MEETING](https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362193-joining-a-meeting)

3. CITY CLERK

3.1. Minutes Of Finance SC September 28th; City Council Regular Meeting September 28th, For Acceptance.

Documents:

[2021 SEPTEMBER 28 FIN SC MINUTES.PDF](#)
[2021 SEPTEMBER 28 CC MINUTES.PDF](#)

4. UTILITY PUBLIC HEARING

4.1. Cellco Partnership D/B/A Verizon Wireless - Request Installation Of Small Cell Facility On Existing Utility Pole At 7 Whitman Street. (Cont. From 9/28/21)

Documents:

[2021 OCTOBER 5 VERIZON WIRELESS PH CONTINUED SMALL CELL WHITMAN.PDF](#)

5. **COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY MANAGER**

5.1. Motion Responses

- A) Motion Response - VFW Street Sweeping and Debris Cleanup
- B) Motion Response - Tree Maintenance
- C) Motion Response - East Pawtucketville Trash Issues
- D) Motion Response - Underground Railroad Signage
- E) Motion Response - Musgray Square

Documents:

- [A\) MOTION RESPONSE - VFW STREET SWEEPING AND DEBRIS CLEANUP.PDF](#)
- [B\) MOTION RESPONSE - TREE MAINTENANCE.PDF](#)
- [C\) MOTION RESPONSE - EAST PAWTUCKETVILLE TRASH ISSUES.PDF](#)
- [D\) MOTION RESPONSE - UNDERGROUND RAILROAD SIGNAGE.PDF](#)
- [E\) MOTION RESPONSE - MUSGRAY SQUARE.PDF](#)

5.2. Informational Reports

- F) Informational - Mosaic Lowell Cultural Economy Plan

Documents:

[F\) INFORMATIONAL - MOSAIC LOWELL CULTURAL ECONOMY PLAN.PDF](#)

5.3. Communication - Appoint Tha Chhan To License Commission

Documents:

[COMMUNICATION - APPOINT THA CHHAN TO LICENSE COMMISSION.PDF](#)

5.4. Communication - Collective Bargaining Agreements

Documents:

COMMUNICATION - COLLECTIVE BARGAINING
AGREEMENTS.PDF

6. VOTES FROM THE CITY MANAGER

- 6.1. Vote -Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of Amended MOU With MVEA Unit IIP

Documents:

VOTE -RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF AMENDED MOU WITH MVEA UNIT IIP.PDF

- 6.2. Vote-Accept.Expend \$308,000 Grant To LPD -3 Yr Period

Documents:

VOTE-ACCEPT.EXPEND 308,000 GRANT TO LPD -3 YR
PERIOD.PDF

- 6.3. Vote-Designate Members Of The Board Of Health As Special Municipal Employees

Documents:

VOTE-DESIGNATE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH AS
SPECIAL MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES.PDF

- 6.4. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of Amended MOU With Lowell Organization Of City Engineers

Documents:

VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF AMENDED MOU WITH LOWELL ORGANIZATION OF
CITY ENGINEERS.PDF

- 6.5. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of Amended MOU With Traffic Supervisors Association

Documents:

VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF AMENDED MOU WITH TRAFFIC SUPERVISORS
ASSOCIATION.PDF

- 6.6. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of MOU With AFSCME Local 1705A

Documents:

VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF MOU WITH AFSCME LOCAL 1705A.PDF

6.7. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of MOU With Lowell Police Association Inc.

Documents:

VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF MOU WITH LOWELL POLICE ASSOCIATION
INC..PDF

6.8. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of MOU With Lowell Police Superior Officers Association

Documents:

VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF MOU WITH LOWELL POLICE SUPERIOR OFFIERS
ASSOCIATION.PDF

6.9. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of MOU With MVEA Inspectors

Documents:

VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF MOU WITH MVEA INSPECTORS.PDF

6.10. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of MOU With MVEA Unit C

Documents:

VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF MOU WITH MVEA UNIT C.PDF

6.11. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of MOU With MVEA Unit D

Documents:

VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF MOU WITH MVEA UNIT D.PDF

6.12. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution By City Manager Of MOU With MVEA Unit I

Documents:

VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION BY CITY
MANAGER OF MOU WITH MVEA UNIT I.PDF

6.13. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution Of City Manager Of MOU With MVEA

Unit II

Documents:

[VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION OF CITY MANAGER OF MOU WITH MVEA UNIT II.PDF](#)

- 6.14. Vote-Ratify And Approve The Execution Of City Manager Of MOU With SEIU Local 888

Documents:

[VOTE-RATIFY AND APPROVE THE EXECUTION OF CITY MANAGER OF MOU WITH SEIU LOCAL 888.PDF](#)

7. REPORTS (SUB/COMMITTEE, IF ANY)

- 7.1. Economic/Downtown Development SC October 5, 2021.

8. PETITIONS

- 8.1. Misc. - Norma Von Fricken Request Permission To Discuss Concerns Regarding Vagrants, Homeless And Panhandlers In The City.

Documents:

[2021 OCTOBER 5 NORMA VON FRICKEN REQ TO ADDRESS CC REHARDING VAGRANTS, THE HOMELESS AND PAN HANDLERS IN AND AROUND THE CITY..PDF](#)

- 8.2. Misc. - Panela Restaurant (Juan Acevedo) Request Permission To Install Two (2) Overhanging At 7 Hanover Street.

Documents:

[2021 OCTOBER 5 PANELA RESTAURANT REQ TO INSTALL 2 OVERHANGING SIGNS 7 HANOVER ST.PDF](#)

9. CITY COUNCIL - MOTIONS

- 9.1. C. Elliott - Req. City Mgr. Have DPD Evaluate Intersections That Have "No Turn On Red" For Effectiveness.
- 9.2. C. Elliott - Req. Environment & Flood Issues SC Meet Regarding Combined Sewer Overflow Report To Address Wastewater Treatment Discharge And Develop Plan To Remediate In Cost Effective Manner.
- 9.3. C. Elliott - Req. City Mgr. Provide A Report Regarding The Number Of School Resource Officers (SRO) In The Schools As Well As The Status Of The Current Number Of Sworn Officers And Vacancies.
- 9.4. C. Elliott - Req. Transportation SC Discuss Parking Issues On Tolman Avenue.
- 9.5. C. Mercier - Req. City Mgr. Have Proper Department Explore Placing A Curb

Cut And Crosswalk At 60 Lawrence Street, In Front Of The Arca De Refugio Church.

- 9.6. C, Drinkwater - Req. City Mgr. And Proper Department Explore Partnerships With Schools And/Or Non-Profit Entities That Teach Woodworking Skills To Young Adults To Construct New Picnic Tables And Benches For City Parks, As Needed.
- 9.7. C. Rourke - Req. City Mgr. Have DPD Review A "Statutory Nuisance" Noise Level Ordinance.
- 9.8. C. Rourke - Req. City Mgr. Have DPW Remove Dead Trees At Campbell Field.
- 9.9. C. Rourke - Req. City Mgr. Have Land And Buildings Department Replace Signage At Leblanc Field.

10. **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

11. **ADJOURNMENT**

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