



City of Westfield, Massachusetts

NOTICE OF MEETING

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NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE

MARCH 22, 2021 at 7:00 PM

TELECONFERENCE

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §20, and the Governor's March 15, 2020 Order imposing strict limitation on the number of people that may gather in one place, this meeting of the City of Westfield **Natural Resources Committee** will be conducted via remote participation. Specific information can be found on the City of Westfield website at www.cityofwestfield.org. For this meeting, members of the public who wish to listen to the meeting may do so by tuning into Channel 15 or Channel 12 or online at westfieldtv.org or online at Youtube.com - Westfield Community Programming Channel. No in-person attendance of members of the public will be permitted, but every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings in real time, via technological means. In the event that we are unable to do so, despite best efforts, we will post on the City's website an audio recording, transcript, or other comprehensive record of proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting.

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AGENDA ITEMS

1. CALL TO ORDER at _____ PM.

2. ROLL CALL

- Councilor Allie
- Councilor Morganelli
- Councilor Mello, Chair

3. READING OF THE RECORD

January 25, 2021 NRC meeting minutes

4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION (if any)
5. COMMUNICATIONS OF DEPARTMENTS OR CITY OFFICERS (if any)

March 15, 2021 Memorandum from First Asst. City Solicitor Reed Re: Items in Committee

6. OLD BUSINESS

Update/Discussion: Motion of Councilor Matthews-Kane and Morganelli to investigate restarting the Barnes Aquifer Protection Advisory Committee (BAPAC) so it can provide Westfield recommendations for planned land use and development projects over the Barnes Aquifer in Westfield.

(Origin: 1/7/21)

7. ADJOURNMENT at _____ PM.

Natural Resources Committee

Consisting of three councilors whose duties and responsibilities shall include the investigation and report on all matters coming before the city council concerning the preservation and enhancement of all natural resources including, but not limited to, issues such as water, sewers and sewage treatment facilities, aquifer protection, and solid waste disposal. This committee shall work in conjunction with such member as appointed by the president to serve as liaison to the conservation commission. This committee shall have initial jurisdiction over the setting of sewer rates.

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