



City of Westfield, Massachusetts

NOTICE OF MEETING

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NAME OF COMMITTEE: Natural Resources

DATE: November 4, 2021

TIME: 5:30 PM

LOCATION: Municipal Building, 59 Court Street, Westfield, MA

ROOM NO: 315

AGENDA ITEMS

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. READING OF THE RECORD
April 26, 2021
4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION (if any)
5. COMMUNICATIONS OF DEPARTMENTS OR CITY OFFICERS (if any)
6. OLD BUSINESS
 - A. Update on motion of Councilor Matthews-Kane and Morganelli regarding BAPAC (Origin: 1/7/21)
 - B. Update / Discussion on older Items from Items in Committee list (Items prior to 2021)
 - a. Water Resources Protections District Zoning Ordinance update (Origin: 10/6/16)
 - b. Questions submitted for NRC Review / Investigation (Origin: 2/2/17 & 1/8/18)
 - c. Review / amend ordinances regarding lateral sewer drain ownership and responsibility (Origin: 12/6/18)
 - C. Update on motion of Councilor Mello to review, and potentially amend, the ordinances relevant to the position of "Tree Warden" (Origin: 4/15/21)
7. NEW BUSINESS
 - A. Review letter from Westfield Taxpayers Association relative to water production and increase in billing (Origin: 6/17/21)

B. Review "Local Regulation Regarding Sewer Availability and Septic Systems"
(Origin: 8/19/21)

8. ADJOURNMENT

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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