

Town of Rochester

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Town Administrator

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING THURSDAY, AUGUST 12TH, 2021

Chairman Bradford Morse, Vice-Chairman Greenwood Hartley III, and Clerk Paul Ciaburri are all present.

The Board of Selectmen's Open Meeting is opened by Chairman Bradford Morse.

Selectmen's Signature:

Appointment of Cultural Council Member- A letter of interest is received from Michael Kovacevich to be appointed to the Cultural Council.

Motion: Selectman Hartley makes a motion to appoint Michael Kovacevich to the Cultural Council. This motion is seconded by Selectman Ciaburri. All members of the Board are in favor, the motion passes unanimously.

Town Administrator's Report:

- Town Administrator Szyndlar begins her report by informing the Board that the SEMASS Covanta Flammable Fluid License modification hearing has been set for September 20th.
- Town Administrator Szyndlar next tells the Board that she has received a request for a one-day liquor license however, the event is scheduled for August 28th and asks the Board if they would like to meet before their next regularly scheduled meeting to vote on this request. Selectman Hartley mentions that he will be away but the rest of the Board agree to meet to vote on this business.

Meeting Notices:

Selectman Morse mentions that he recently met with the Town of Wareham over the water increase request and notes that the meeting was positive.

Old Business:

Town Treasurer Search Committee Recommendation- At the recommendation of the Town Treasurer Search Committee, Town Administrator Szyndlar requests the Board vote to enter into contract negotiations with Patricia Rodrigues for the Town Treasurer position.

Motion: Selectman Hartley makes a motion to enter into contract negotiations with Patricia Rodrigues for the Town Treasurer position. This motion is seconded by Selectman Ciaburri. All members of the Board are in favor, the motion passes with a unanimous vote.

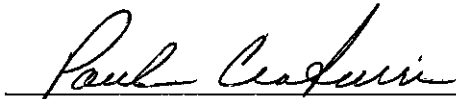
Selectman Hartley then provides and update on the potential solar project at the Rochester Memorial School.

New Business:

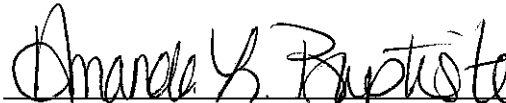
Mr. Paul Meunier, of 37 Boxberry Lane, is in attendance to discuss with the Board some improvements he would like to see within the Town's Beach Sticker Policy. He suggests the idea of having a limited amount sign out day passes, possibly available at the library, for people who do not have vehicles registered in the Town to be able to access Silver Shell Beach, as the Town of Marion is no longer allowing people to pay at the gate for the day. Conservation ensues and Selectman Hartley questions Administrative Assistant Amanda Baptiste and Town Counsel Bailey on current policy specifics.

Adjournment

Motion: Selectman Hartley then makes a motion to adjourn the Open Board of Selectmen meeting and enter into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing non-union personnel negotiation strategy, not to return back into Open Session. This motion is seconded by Selectman Ciaburri. All members of the Board are in favor and the meeting is adjourned. Roll Call Vote Hartley- Aye, Morse - Aye, Ciaburri- Aye 3:0 motion passes.



Paul Ciaburri, Clerk



Amanda L. Baptiste, Administrative Assistant