



City of Haverhill  
City Council Minutes

Tuesday, February 14, 2017, at 7:00 PM  
City Council Chambers, Room 202  
4 Summer Street

Present – President Michitson, Councillors Barrett, Vargas, McGonagle, Bevilacqua, LePage, Macek and Sullivan.

Absent- Councillor Daly O’Brien

City Clerk – Linda L. Koutoulas

1. Opening Prayer

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Approval of Records of the Previous Meeting

The minutes were approved

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

4. Assignment of the minutes review for the next Meeting

Councillor Sullivan was assigned the minutes

5. Communications from the Mayor

6. Communications and Reports from City Officers and Employees

7. Utility Hearing(s) and Related Order(s)

8. Hearings and Related Orders

Document 115/2016: Petition from James A Allen; Applicant/Owner; Trustee of J and J Realty Trust for Hearing on Application for Major Site Plan Review for Multifamily Dwelling; in the Waterfront District; 0 and 2 South Grove st - for a multifamily housing development containing a total of 40 units- being 26 two bedroom and 14 one bedroom units to be rented as apartments; Assessor’s Map 702, Block 636, Lots 1 and 1A and also to waive the affordability requirement, if applicable. *Comments are included from various City Departments*

CONTINUED TO MARCH 7 AT REQUEST OF ATTORNEY HARB Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1 115/2016

Document 19: Petition from National Grid requesting Hearing for electric conduit location on East Broadway- Plan 23189786; with Hearing scheduled for February 28. *Related communication from Chris Radzik, Engineering Department, National Grid withdrawing petition as project is not going forward at this time*

PLACED ON FILE

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

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9. Public Participation- Requests under Council Rule 28

10. Appointments

Confirming Appointments:

Non-Confirming Appointments:

Thomas Sullivan, Friends of the Bradford Rail Trail Advisory Committee, appointment expires 2/14/18

PLACED ON FILE

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

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Thomas Sullivan, Parks, Playgrounds and Recreation Commission, appointment expires 2/14/18

PLACED ON FILE

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

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11. Petitions

Petitions:

Applications:

Fred Emilio for Garibaldi Club “Baldi 5-Mile River Run” Race; 86 Washington St; Sunday, 10:00AM, May 28, 2017; has Police Dept approval with comments

GRANTED

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

16B

Annual License Renewals:

Drainlayer Renewals 2017:

Leonel Diaz

GRANTED

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

7X

Henry Richard

GRANTED

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

7Y

12. Motions and Orders

ORDERED: That the City appropriate \$6,712 from Free Cash and transfer to Treasurer Office Video Cameras Capital Account

PASSED

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

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ORDERED: That the City appropriate \$77,628 from Free Cash and transfer to Police Vehicles Capital Account

PASSED

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

29D

12A. Ordinances (File 10 days)

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE

CHAPTER 240

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO PARKING

110 BLAISDELL STREET #1 – ESTABLISH HANDICAPPED PARKING

(see document for complete text)

PLACED ON FILE for at least 10 days

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

9-G



February 14, 2017

President Michitson announced the closing of the East Broadway Bridge over Millvale Brook for replacement. Traffic will be detoured effective Feb. 20 to July 6, 2017.

David Van Dam stated there is a Bike Committee and invited Councillor Macek to join them at the Complete Street meeting. Also, carpets in the Council Chambers were replaced and paid for by the Mass. Trial Court which will be using City Hall during the rehab of the Courthouse on Ginty Blvd, effective March 27 for a year.

**17. Documents Referred to Committee Study**

Meeting adjourned at 8:43 o'clock P.M.

Yeas 8, Nays 0, Absent 1

Attest: Linda Koutoulas  
City Clerk

\*Doc.31-E – Handout from Barbara Donegan, Ruth's House, Inc., Description and Statistics 2017