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TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON MASSACHUSETTS

OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER

Selectboard Special Meeting via Zoom and in person at 334 Main Street Great Barrington MA
Order of Agenda for Wednesday, May 10, 2023 at 6:00 PM

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Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and Governor Healey's March 29, 2023 Revised Order extending remote participation by all members in any meeting of a public body, this meeting of the Selectboard will be conducted both in-person and via remote participation to the greatest extent possible. Specific information and the general guidelines for remote participation by members of the public and/or parties with a right and/or requirement to attend this meeting can be found on town's website, at www.townofgb.org. For this meeting, members of the public and committee members may attend the meeting in person, or, for those who wish to do so remotely may by following the instructions at the top of this agenda. For those who are not in-person every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings in real time, via technological means.

1. CALL TO ORDER SELECTBOARD REGULAR MEETING
2. SELECTBOARD REORGANIZATION
 - a. Selectboard vote Board positions
3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. February 27, 2023
 - b. April 24, 2023
4. SELECTBOARD'S ANNOUNCEMENTS/STATEMENTS
5. TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT
 - a. Housatonic Water Works
 - b. Police Department's Opt-Out Program
6. LICENSES AND PERMITS
 - a. Rebecca Wehry of Bard College at Simon's Rock for 2-One Day All Alcoholic Liquor Licenses for their 2023 Alumni Reunion on Friday June 2 from 5:00 PM to 10:00 PM and Saturday June 3 from 5:00PM to 9:00PM at 84 Alford Road Great Barrington 01230
 - b. Jim Frangione for Great Barrington Public Theater for 1-One Day All Alcoholic Liquor License for their Theater Benefit on June 9, 2023 from 6:30 PM to 9:30 PM at Saint James Place, 352 Main Street.
 - c. Seasonal Real Estate Sign licenses
 - d. Melanie Greenberg for a Driveway Permit application for 267 Long Pond Road

7. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Selectboard vote to appoint 2-members to the Tree Committee
- b. Berkshire Busk–Request to Hang Banner Across Railroad Street
- c. Proposed Historical Commission Policy for Town historical artifacts
- d. Selectboard Liaison Assignments

8. CITIZEN SPEAK TIME

Citizen Speak Time is an opportunity for the Selectboard to listen to residents. Topics of particular concern or importance may be placed on a future agenda for discussion. This time is reserved for town residents only unless otherwise permitted by the chair, and speakers are limited to 3 minutes each.

9. SELECTBOARD’S TIME

10. MEDIA TIME

11. ADJOURNMENT

NEXT SELECTBOARD MEETING

Monday, May 22, 2023

Monday June 12, 2023

Monday, June 26, 2023



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