TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON
MASSACHUSETTS

OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER

SELECTBOARD’S MEETING AGENDA
MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 2019
6:00 PM - REGULAR SESSION
TOWN HALL, 334 MAIN STREET
ORDER OF AGENDA

6:00 PM - OPEN MEETING

1. CALL TO ORDER:

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:
   July 22, 2019 Regular Meeting.

3. SELECTBOARD’S ANNOUNCEMENTS/STATEMENTS:
   A. General Comments by the Board.

4. TOWN MANAGER’S REPORT:
   A. Department Updates
      - Fire Dept. - Firefighter’s Policy for “On Call”
      - Fire Dept. - Promotions
      - Confirm Neighborhood Meetings/Dates/ Times/ Locations
        - September 10, 2019; 7:00 pm @ Housatonic Community Center
        - September 16, 2019; 7:00 pm @Senior Center re: Cottage & Grove Streets
   B. Project Updates

5. LICENSES OR PERMITS:
   A. Lauren Smith/Fairview Hospital – Request to use the Town Hall Parking Lot for the 2019 Fairview Gala for Saturday, September 21, 2019 from 9:00 am - 9:00 pm. (Discussion/Vote)
   B. Eric Steuernagle/Fairground Real Estate for 2019 Real Estate Sign License. (Discussion/Vote)
   C. Janice Kabel/GB Land Conservancy for permission to hold Run for the Hills event on Sunday, October 6, 2019 from 8:00 am – 11:30 am with event starting and ending at Bard College at Simon’s Rock. (Discussion/Vote)
   D. Patty Spector/Josh Billings RunAground for permission to hold the 43rd Annual Great Josh
Billings RunAground on Sunday, September 15, 2019. (Discussion/Vote)

E. Anne Marie Aigner/Food Truck Festivals of America as follows:

- for One Day Weekday Entertainment License for October 19, 2019 from 10:00 am - 10:00 pm at Butternut Ski Area, 280 State Road. (Discussion/Vote)

- for One Day All Alcoholic Liquor License for October 19, 2019 from 11:00 am - 5:00 pm at Butternut Ski Area, 280 State Road. (Discussion/Vote)

F. Christine Bump (Heaton)/Black Sheep Brewing Co. d/b/a Big Elm Brewing for One Day Beer and Wine Liquor License for September 22, 2019 from 10:00 am – 5:00 pm at Ski Butternut, 380 State Road. (Discussion/Vote)

G. National Grid and Verizon to install (1) JO pole on North Plain Road beginning at a point approximately 1050 feet north of the centerline of the intersection of Brookside Ct. National Grid is requesting to install and/or maintain new utility pole along North Plain Road to raise existing conductor and provide 3 new service to farm stand. (Discussion/Vote)

H. National Grid and Verizon to relocate (1) JO pole on Bentley Rd. National Grid requesting to relocate utility pole along Bentley Rd. due to the construction of new development and provide service to new housing units. (Discussion/Vote)

I. National Grid and Verizon to relocate (2) JO poles on Maple Ave./South Main St. National Grid requesting to relocate pole 1 on Maple Ave. and pole 10 on South Main St. to Accommodate for Mass DOT project. (Discussion/Vote)

6. OLD BUSINESS:
A. Update on MA Senate Bill 101/GB Fairgrounds. (Discussion)

B. SB - Lake Mansfield Road Paving – Recommendation from the Lake Mansfield Improvement Task Force (L.MITF). (Discussion/Vote)

C. SB – Request from Economic Development Committee (EDC) to extend the deadline for Recommendation re: Housatonic School. (Discussion/Vote)

7. NEW BUSINESS:
A. SB – Appointment of member to the Agricultural Commission. (Discussion/Vote)

B. SB – Recommendation to the Building Inspector on the Empire Telecom Building Permit Application to add Three (3) Antennas and Twelve (12) Radios on the Fairview Hospital Building at 29 Lewis Avenue. (Discussion/Vote)

C. Strategic Sustainability and Livability Committee – Presentation re: Recommendation to the SB on the Community Choice Aggregation Program.

D. SB – Request from Berkshire Hills Regional School District School Committee (BHRSDSC) to form a Regional School District Planning Board pursuant to MGL Ch. 71, sec. 14, for the purpose of either forming, or consolidating into, a regional high school district to serve grades 9-12. (Discussion/Vote)


F. SB – To Approve Highminded LLC Host Community Agreement (HCA) for Manufacturing of Marijuana at 126 Main Street. (Discussion/Vote)
G. SB – Purchase and Sale/20 Castle Street LLC – Transferability of Environmental Clean-up Liability. (Discussion/Vote)

8. CITIZEN SPEAK TIME:

9. SELECTBOARD’S TIME:

10. MEDIA TIME:

11. ADJOURNMENT:

NEXT SELECTBOARD’S MEETINGS:  - Monday, August 26, 2019, 7:00 P.M.
                                   - Thursday, August 29, 2019; Time (TBD)
                                   SB and Planning Board Joint Meeting

Mark Prusinski, Town Manager

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