



City Council Meeting
Tuesday, April 9, 2024 at 6:30 PM
Richard E. Mastrangelo Council Chamber

Agenda

ACCESS INFORMATION:

- A. This meeting will be held on April 9, 2024 at 6:30 P.M. Location: Richard E. Mastrangelo Council Chamber
 - B. The meeting will be televised through WCATV (Watertown Cable Access Television): <http://vodwcatv.org/CablecastPublicSite/watch-now?site=3>
 - C. The Public may join the virtual meeting online: <https://watertown-ma.zoom.us/j/92991331344>
 - D. Public may join the virtual meeting audio only by phone: (877) 853-5257 or (888) 475-4499 (Toll Free) and enter Webinar ID: 929 9133 1344
 - E. Public may comment through email: vpiccirilli@watertown-ma.gov
 - F. Please Visit the City Council Website here: <https://www.watertown-ma.gov/350/City-Council>
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1. ROLL CALL
2. EXECUTIVE SESSION - 6:30 P.M.
 - A. Executive Session pursuant to G.L. c. 30A, sec 21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the Chair so declares - Robert Degeis v. City of Watertown, Department of Industrial Accidents Case No. 4162195
3. RETURN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION 7:00 P.M.
4. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
5. PUBLIC FORUM
6. EXAMINATION OF RECORDS OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS
 - A. Minutes from City Council Meeting March 26, 2024
7. PRESIDENT'S REPORT
8. PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, PROCLAMATIONS, AND SIMILAR PAPERS AND MATTERS
 - A. Arbor Day Proclamation
9. PUBLIC HEARINGS
 - A. Public Hearing and Vote on a Zoning Code Amendment Regarding Short Term Rentals

- B. Public Hearing and Vote on an Amendment to the FY2024 Budget to Fund WMEG Agreement
10. MOTIONS, ORDINANCES, ORDER, AND RESOLUTIONS
- A. Resolution Authorizing a Transfer of Funds in the Amount of \$20,000 from the FY24 Procurement Full Time Salaries Account to the FY24 Procurement Contracted Services Account
 - B. Resolution Authorizing a Transfer of Funds in the Amount of \$35,000 from the FY24 City Council Reserve to the FY24 BB&N Field Lights Account
 - C. First Reading on a Proposed Loan Order that the sum of \$2,625,000.00 is appropriated to pay costs of the reconstruction of various streets and sidewalks as part of the Fiscal Year 2024 - 2028 Capital Improvement Program, including George Street, Bromfield Street, Mangano Court, Grandview Avenue, and Dwight Street, and including costs of the design, engineering, construction, construction administration services, installation of curbing, bicycle lanes, tree plantings and other appurtenant work, and further including the payment of all costs incidental and related thereto; and that to meet this appropriation, the Treasurer, with the approval of the City Manager, is authorized to borrow said amount under and pursuant to M.G.L. c.44, §7(1), or pursuant to any other enabling authority, and to issue bonds or notes of the City therefor.
11. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
12. NEW BUSINESS
13. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CITY MANAGER
- A. Request for Confirmation of Appointment to the Stormwater Advisory Committee
 - B. Request for Confirmation of Reappointment to the Board of Assessors
 - C. Request for Confirmation of Reappointment to the Traffic Commission
 - D. Community Development & Planning Organizational Update
14. REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION/REVIEW OF LIST OF PENDING MATTERS
15. ANNOUNCEMENTS
16. PUBLIC FORUM
17. RECESS OR ADJOURNMENT

ELECTED OFFICIALS

Mark S. Sideris,
Council President

Vincent J. Piccirilli, Jr.,
Vice President &
District C Councilor

John M. Airasian,
Councilor At Large

Caroline Bays,
Councilor At Large

John G. Gannon,
Councilor At Large

Anthony Palomba,
Councilor At Large

Nicole Gardner,
District A Councilor

Lisa J. Feltner,
District B Councilor

Emily Izzo,
District D Councilor