



AGENDA OF CITY COUNCIL

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MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
WESTFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS
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WESTFIELD CITY CLERK

ROLL CALL

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

READING OF RECORD OF MEETING OF November 7, 2019

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

1. Requesting immediate consideration of appointing a Mayor Pro Tempore for the following dates of November 26, 2019 through December 1, 2019 to take care of City business while Acting Mayor Ralph Figy is out of town.
2. Requesting immediate consideration of the acceptance of an unsolicited gift donation of frozen strawberries, frozen blueberries and whipped cream from Elm Electric to the Veterans' Department for the Vet-to-Vet Cafe' at the Senior Center.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS

3. Director of Veterans' Services Julie Barnes inviting Councilors to the Pearl Harbor Day Ceremony on December 7, 2019 at 10:30 AM at the Kane-Wojtkiewicz Park (just south of the Great River Bridge).

PETITIONS, REMONSTRANCES, AND OTHER PAPERS

4. CONTINUED PUBLIC HEARING on an application submitted by Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) for the storage of 10,000 gallons gasoline and 10,800 gallons diesel to be located at Massachusetts Turnpike Westbound MM 41/Sgt. T.M. Dione Way to be used at the Maintenance Depot/State Police Barracks.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Legislative and Ordinance Committee

5. Submitting a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Westfield supporting the City of Westfield's grant application for the Cross Street Playground Renovation and All-Abled Playground Project.
6. Submitting a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Westfield approving the spending of monies in the amount of \$20,000.00 from the Handicap General Expense account #24554400-578000
7. Submitting an Ordinance amendment at Article 1 of Chapter 14, Section 14-1 by adding Special Municipal Employee Status for the Police Commission.

8. Petition for the discontinuance of so-called Wilcox Street, pursuant to MGL Chapter 82 Section 32A and the grant of associated Sidewalk and Sewer Easements to the City. Petition submitted by Attorney Robert P. Cunningham for his client Bent Tree Development, owner of the property located at 111 Union Street.

Personnel Action Committee

9. Submitting the appointment of Clifford Laraway, 1166 East Mountain Road as a member of the Conservation Commission for a term to expire the first Monday of February, 2022, replacing Henry Bannish, resigned.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS - Second Reading and Final Passage of the following:

10. Transfer of \$389.00 from Reserve for Future Salary Increase account #19500000-519999 to Traffic Control, Part Time Hourly account #12930000-511110 pursuant to the signed and ratified agreement between Westfield Crossing Guards, IBPO Local 359 and the City of Westfield from the period of July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2022.
11. Transfer of \$1,200.00 from Reserve for Future Salary Increase account #19500000-519999 to the Fire Department Uniforms and Other Clothing account #12200000-558007, pursuant to the signed and ratified contract agreement between The International Association of Firefighters (IAFF) Local 1111 and the City of Westfield for the period from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022.
12. Transfer of \$2,000.00 from the Reserve for Future Salary Increase account #19500000-519999 to the Assessor, Full Time Salary account #11410000-511000 pursuant to the signed and ratified agreement between the Westfield Professional Municipal Employees Association and the City of Westfield for the period from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022.
13. Transfer of \$712.00 from Reserve for Future Salary Increase account #19500000-519999 to Building & Public Property, Full Time Salary account #11920000-511000 pursuant to the signed and ratified agreement between AFSCME, Council 93, Local 1676 (Foreman Unit) and the City of Westfield for the period of July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022.
14. Transfer of \$1,312.15 from Reserve for Future Salary Increase account #19500000-519999 to Auditor, Full Time Hourly account #11350000-511100 pursuant to the signed and ratified agreement between AFSCME, Council 93, Local 346 (35 Hour Union) and the City of Westfield for the period from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022.
15. Transfer of \$63,814.34 from Reserve for Future Salary Increase account #19500000-519999 to the following: \$1,046.85, Police, Holiday account #1210000-514100; \$7,950.00, Police, Education account #1210000-514300; \$54,817.49, Police, Full Time Hourly account #1210000-511100 pursuant to the signed and ratified agreement between the Westfield Police Officer Coalition and the City of Westfield for the period of July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022.

16. Transfer of \$3,801.60 from the Reserve for Future Salary Increase account #19500000-519999 to the Police-Out-of-Grade account # 12100000-514200 pursuant to the signed and ratified collective bargaining agreement between the City of Westfield and the International Brotherhood Police Officers Local S574-Superior Officers through the period of July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2019.
17. Transfer of \$14,449.32 from the Reserve for Future Salary Increase account #19500000-519999 to the following accounts: Public Safety Communications accounts: \$10,449.32 to Full Time Salary account #12250000-511000, \$1,000.00 to Out-of-Grade account #12250000-514200, Lead Dispatcher account #12250000-514700 pursuant to signed and ratified collective bargaining agreement between the City of Westfield and the United Public Service Employee Union Local 424 Unit MADIV for period from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022.

MOTIONS, ORDERS OR RESOLUTIONS