



Town of Sturbridge

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Board of Selectmen Agenda
Monday, February 6, 2023 at 6:30 p.m.
Veteran's Memorial Hall, Town Hall
308 Main Street, Sturbridge, MA 01566

6:30p.m.

I. Open Session

- A. Call to Order
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Moment of Silence
- D. Public Service Announcements
 - Return your 2023 Census to the Town Clerk

II. Town Administrator Update

Possible vote of acceptance on pending Southbridge approval.

III. Action Items

- A. Consideration and acceptance of a donation of a photograph from the New England Patriots Foundation in support of the Home of the Brave Race and subsequent silent auction.
- B. Consideration and possible action on the appointment of Karsten Stueber to the Conservation Commission for a term to expire on June 29, 2024.
- C. Consideration and possible action on the rental agreement between the Town of Sturbridge and the Sturbridge Federated Church during the Senior Center Renovations.
- D. Consideration and possible action on a one-day liquor license for Alice Rainka / Alice's Fitness and Dance located at 179 Main Street, Sturbridge for Friday, March 24, 2023 and Friday, May 19, 2023 from 7:00p.m. to 11:00p.m. for wine and beer.
- E. Consideration and possible action on an application for taxicab/Livery License for Charles River Service Inc., driver Joseph Cruz, proposed hours of operation 5:00a.m. to 5:00p.m.
- F. Consideration and acceptance of a letter of resignation from Officer Thomas Hine from his full-time Patrolman position with the Sturbridge Police Department effective January 11, 2023.
- G. Consideration and possible action on Officer Thomas Hine's status from a full-time Officer to a part-time Officer with the Sturbridge Police Department with an effective date of February 7, 2023 with the hourly rate of \$35.39.
- H. Consideration and possible action on the appointment of Marc Widing as a full-time Police Officer effective February 7, 2023, with the hourly rate of \$29.25 and allow him to carry his current benefits. The appointment will be contingent on Mr. Widing successfully completing the MPTC Recruit Officer Course.
- I. Consideration and possible action on appointing Crystal Comtois as a full-time dispatcher effective February 7, 2023 with the hourly rate of \$23.82.
- J. Consideration and possible action on appointing Meghan Cassavant as a part-time dispatcher effective February 7, 2023 with the hourly rate of \$25.32.

- K. Consideration and possible action on accepting the resignation letter from Andrew McDermott from his position as Heavy Equipment Operator with the Town of Sturbridge effective February 10, 2023.
- L. Consideration and possible action on a one-day liquor license for Brimfield Winery for the Bonfire at the Town Common on April 29, 2023 from 5:00p.m. to 9:00p.m. for beer and wine.
- M. Consideration and possible action on one-day liquor license for Greater Good Imperial Brewing for the Bonfire at the Town Common on April 29, 2023 from 5:00p.m. to 9:00p.m.
- N. Consideration and possible action for a live entertainment license for Altruist Brewing Company located at 559 Main Street, Sturbridge for live music to be played on their stage, solo artists to 4 pieces (limited). The hours are Wednesdays from 4:00p.m. to 9:00p.m., Thursday and Fridays from 4:00p.m. to 10:00p.m., Saturdays 12:00p.m. to 10:00p.m., and Sundays from 12:00p.m. to 6:00p.m.

IV. Old Business

V. New Business

VI. Correspondence

E-mail from Mary Ellen Parker

Letter from Earl J. Dessert, Chief of Police

VII. Approval of Minutes- January 17, 2023

VIII. Citizen's Forum

IX. Executive Session – Pursuant to the provisions of G.L.c.30A, §21(a)(3) to discuss strategy with respect to litigation, as an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares: Federal Multidistrict Litigation vs. CVS, Walgreens, Walmart, Teva, and Allergan.

X. Adjourn

The list matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair to be discussed at the meeting. Not all items may in fact be discussed, and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.