

**TOWN OF WEST GREENWICH
TOWN COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
280 VICTORY HIGHWAY
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
WEST GREENWICH, RI 02817
DECEMBER 13, 2023
(POSTED: DECEMBER 8, 2023)**

- A. CALL TO ORDER - 7:00 P.M.**
- B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- C. ANNOUNCEMENTS**
- D. CONSENT AGENDA - All items on the Consent Agenda are considered routine by the Town Council and may be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a member of the Council so requests, in which event the item will be removed from Consent Agenda consideration and considered in sequential order. The List of Consent Agenda Items is appended below.**
- E. UNFINISHED BUSINESS - NONE**
- F. NEW BUSINESS**
 - 1. REPORT FROM THE TOWN AUDITOR OF DRAFT FINANCIAL AUDIT FY ENDING JUNE 30, 2022**
 - 2. PUBLIC HEARING - DISCUSSION & ACTION ON AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE - MISCELLANEOUS REVISIONS REFLECTING STATE LAW CHANGES Article I (Administration and Procedures); Article II (Zoning District Use Regulations); Article X (Development Plan Review); Article XII (Special Uses and Standards); Article XVI (Low- and Moderate-Income Housing)**
 - 3. DISCUSSION & VOTE ON 2024 TOWN COUNCIL MEETING DATES**
 - 4. DISCUSSION & VOTE ON FORMAL INVITATION TO MARILYN ALBRO IN RECOGNITION AS OLDEST WEST GREENWICH CITIZEN**
 - 5. DISCUSSION & VOTE ON FUNDS RECEIVED FROM PLAIN MEETING HOUSE CHURCH**
 - 6. DISCUSSION & VOTE ON APPOINTMENT OF MICHAEL LANGFORD AS AN ALTERNATE MEMBER OF THE PLANNING BOARD**

**7. DISCUSSION AND VOTE ON APPOINTMENTS TO THE NEGOTIATIONS
COMMITTEE FOR THE INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF POLICE OFFICERS
LOCAL 517 CONTRACT**

8. DISCUSSION & VOTE ON RESIGNATION OF COUNCILMAN COUTCHER

G. PUBLIC FORUM

Pursuant to RI General Laws §42-46-6(b), public comment regarding subject matter not on the agenda but received during the public participation portion of a meeting shall be for information purposes only and may not be voted on except where necessary to address an unexpected occurrence that requires immediate action to protect the public or to refer the matter to an appropriate committee or to another body or official.

H. EXECUTIVE SESSION - NONE

KELLY M. LAIHO

TOWN CLERK

The town of West Greenwich will provide interpreters for the hearing impaired at any meeting provided a request is received three (3) business days prior to said meeting. An audiotape copy of the minutes will be provided if requested by a vision-impaired person at least forty-eight (48) hours in advance of the meeting.

CONSENT AGENDA
DECEMBER 13, 2023

I. MINUTES

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF MEETING OF NOVEMBER 8, 2023

II. REPORTS

(THE FOLLOWING REPORTS ARE RECEIVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL.)

1. TOWN CLERK REPORT – NOVEMBER, 2023
2. POLICE DEPT. MONTHLY REPORT – NOVEMBER, 2023
3. EMS MONTHLY REPORT – NOVEMBER , 2023
4. BUILDING OFFICIAL REPORT – NOVEMBER, 2023
5. PLANNING DEPT. MONTHLY REPORT – NOVEMBER, 2023
6. ZONING AGENDA & MINUTES – NOVEMBER, 2023
7. TAX OFFICE MONTHLY REPORT – NOVEMBER, 2023
8. TREASURER’S REPORT – NOVEMBER, 2023

III. CORRESPONDENCE

(THE FOLLOWING CORRESPONDENCE IS RECEIVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL.)

1. COPY OF MINUTES FROM THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NOVEMBER 2, 2023
2. COPY OF LETTER TO: KEVIN BREENE, TOWN ADMINISTRATOR
 FROM: IAN RIDLON, TRUST UNDERWRITING DIRECTOR
 RE: CONGRATULATIONS ON POLICE ACCREDITATION
3. COPY OF LETTER TO: RICHARD RAMSAY, CHIEF OF POLICE
 FROM: AIMEE REINER, TRUST SAFETY & RISK MANAGEMENT
 RE: SAFETY ENHANCEMENT GRANT PROGRAM AWARD
4. COPY OF LETTER TO: KEVIN BREENE, TOWN ADMINISTRATOR
 FROM: MARC R. PAPPAS, RIEMA DIRECTOR
 RE: HIANLOLAND GRANT DENIAL
5. COPY OF LETTER TO: JAMES ERINAKES, EWG SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT
 FROM: LYNN HAWKINS, EXETER TOWN CLERK
 RE: DECLINE OF JOINT MEETING REQUEST