



Watertown Town Council

Administration Building
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ELECTED OFFICIALS:

Mark S. Sideris,
Council President

Stephen P. Corbett,
Vice President

John A. Donohue,
Councilor At Large

Susan G. Falkoff,
Councilor At Large

Anthony Palomba,
Councilor At Large

Angeline B. Kounelis,
District A Councilor

Cecilia Lenk,
District B Councilor

Vincent J. Piccirilli, Jr.,
District C Councilor

Kenneth M. Woodland,
District D Councilor

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 2012 AT 6:15PM
RICHARD E. MASTRANGELO COUNCIL CHAMBER
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
AGENDA

1. ROLL CALL
2. EXECUTIVE SESSION:
 - a) To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining
 - b) To consider the purchase, exchange, taking lease, or value of real property – Wells Avenue parking lot.
3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
4. EXAMINATION OF MINUTES: [March 13th](#).
5. PUBLIC FORUM
6. COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS BY TOWN OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES:
 - a) Legislative Update - Representatives Jonathan Hecht and John Lawn.
7. PRESIDENT'S REPORT
 - a) Submission date of the Fiscal Year 2013 Budget.
8. PRESENTATIONS OF PROCLAMATION: Honoring [Thomas Wade](#) for his many years of service as Executive Director of the Watertown Housing Authority.
9. PUBLIC HEARING AND VOTE:
 - a) Public hearing and vote on a proposed [loan order](#) authorizing the Town Treasurer with the Approval of the Town Manager to borrow and/or expend monies in the amount of \$1,237,000 under Chapter 44 of the General Laws or any other enabling authority, for the purpose of purchasing departmental equipment for the Fire Department, Department of Public Works, Information Technology, Senior Center and Police Department; and further ordered that in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 20 of the General Laws, amounts borrowed and unexpended to purchase a fire pumper truck pursuant to Loan Order No. 0-2009-70, in the amount of \$70,153.90, are transferred to pay for a portion of the total cost of a new fire pumper truck.

10. MOTIONS, ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS:

- a) [First Reading](#) on a proposed Ordinance to Temporarily Modify the Operation of the Administration Building.
- b) [Resolution](#) authorizing a transfer of funds in the amount of \$25,000 from the Fiscal Year 2012 Town Council Reserve Account to the Fiscal Year 2012 Skating Rink Improvements Account in order to move forward with the rebuilding of the compressors at the John A. Ryan Skating Arena.
- c) Resolution authorizing transfers in order to fund an Agreement with the Town Hall Associates, SEIU, Local 888 covering the period of July 1, 2010 – June 30, 2013.

11. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- a) State, Federal and Regional Government subcommittee report and action on the [re-appointment](#) to the Board of Election Commissioners – Angeline B. Kounelis, Chair.
- b) Committee on Human Services report on a social worker position – Anthony Palomba, Chair.
- c) Committee on Rules and Ordinances report and action on [proposed changes to the Council Rules](#) – John A. Donohue, Chair.
- d) Committee on Public Works report and action on appointments and re-appointments to committees and a report on Digging of Streets by Utility Companies – Cecilia Lenk, Chair.

12. NEW BUSINESS:

13. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER:

14. REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

15. ANNOUNCEMENTS

16. PUBLIC FORUM

17. ADJOURNMENT