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City of Beverly

CITY COUNCIL Agenda

Special City Council Meeting
Monday, May 23, 2022, 6:00 PM
191 Cabot Street, Council Chambers

WARD COUNCILORS
WARD 1 TODD C. ROTONDO
VICE PRESIDENT
WARD 2 ESTELLE M. RAND
WARD 3 STEVEN M. CROWLEY
WARD 4 SCOTT D. HOUSEMAN
WARD 5 KATHLEEN M. FELDMAN
WARD 6 MATTHEW J. ST. HILAIRE

Roll Call of Members:

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag: Councilor Rotondo

Moment of Silence:

Resolutions: None

Presentations, Awards and Memorials: None

Comments by Citizens (subject to the conditions contained in Appendix A to the "Rules and Orders"): **Anyone who would like to speak at the Meeting has until 9:30AM on the day of the Meeting to register with the City Clerk. (Limit of 3 @ 5 minutes each):**

Public Hearings:

1. 6:00 PM-Order #065-National Grid/New England Power Company Petition for Transmission Line Franchise. (Continued from 3-1-22, 4-4-22, 4-19-22, and 5-16 meetings.)

Acceptance of Minutes of Previous Meeting: None

Communications from His Honor the Mayor: None

Communications, from other City Officers and Boards: None

Communications, Application and Petitions:

1. Order #155-Addy Shreffler-Beverly's Farmers Market

Unfinished Business from a previous meeting: None

Motions and Orders: None

Reports of Committee:

Reports of Committees: See attached Committee Reports with Actions taken noted. Note that the Council is likely to act on matters listed on the Committee Reports, unless they are held in Committee. Committees also may meet during a Recess of the full Council, and consider any Agenda Item identified herein, or on the attached Committee Reports, and report back to the full Council on such matters when it reconvenes. The foregoing matters are those reasonably anticipated by the President up to 48 business hours prior to the scheduled Meeting time. It is possible that not all matters will be addressed. To the extent permitted by law, matters may be discussed that are submitted or arise within 48 business hours of the scheduled Meeting, if they were not reasonably anticipated by the President

Meeting Adjourned:

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No 155 17

Honorable City Council
Beverly City Hall
191 Cabot Street
Beverly, MA 01915
RE: Beverly Farmers' Market 2022 Season

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April 28, 2022

Dear Honorable Council,

On behalf of the Beverly Farmers' Market I am requesting permission to hold the Beverly Farmers' Market on lower Railroad Avenue and Park Street, abutting Veterans Memorial Park. The market, if permitted for a fourteenth season, will take place every Monday, excluding holidays, from 3:00 to 7:00 PM, June 6th through October 3rd, 2022.

The Beverly Farmers' Market is a critical space for community connection, food access, and small entrepreneurial business. We watch interest and support in the market grow year by year and, with the support of city council, are excited to continue to facilitate this experience as an important and vibrant feature of our growing city.

We are committed to our goal of being a part of the larger food network in our region; to increase equity and access to locally grown food, to support our small farms, and stand behind sustainable practices.

As the world around us learns to live with the impacts of Covid-19 we at the market continue to be conscientious of how we facilitate community connection. We feel that we are able to adjust to ever changing guidelines made by the state and city, and will prioritize the safety of our most vulnerable customers.

If we are permitted to open for this season, we will work in tandem with the Police Department, Board of Health, Massachusetts Dept. of Agricultural Resources, the Federation of Massachusetts Farmers' Markets, and the Beverly DPW to bring Beverly a safe, insured and accessible market.

I am grateful for the years of support from the council, and am very much looking forward to the start of our fourteenth consecutive season!

Thank you for consideration, please contact me with any questions or concerns you may have.

Sincerely,
Adelynn Shreffler
President, Board of Directors, Beverly Local Food Collaborative
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