



TOWN OF WAKEFIELD

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NOTICE OF MEETING - AMENDED
February 27th, 2023 | 6:00 p.m.

WCAT Studio – 24 Hemlock Road | Via Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81270300573>

Consistent with the Governor's orders extending certain provisions of the Open Meeting Law, every effort will be made to allow the public to view and/or listen to the meeting in real time. If you do not have a camera or microphone on your computer you may use the following dial in number: 1-301-715-8592 Meeting ID 812 7030 0573. Please only use dial in or computer and not both, as audio feedback will distort the meeting. This meeting will be audio and video recorded. In compliance with the Americans with Disability Act, this location is accessible to people with disabilities, Wakefield provides reasonable accommodations and/or language assistance free of charge upon request. If you are a person with a disability and require information or materials in an alternate format, or if you require any other accommodation, please contact the Town's Disability Coordinator, William Renault-Town Engineer at 781-246-6308 as far in advance of the event as possible. Every effort will be made to grant your request. Advance notification will enable the Town to make reasonable arrangements to remove an accessibility barrier for you.

Item 1 | Call to Order

Item 2 | Pledge of Allegiance

Item 3 | Attendance

Item 4 | Executive Session

Possible Executive Session to discuss Contracts because an Open Session may have detrimental effects on the bargaining position of the Town, with the intent of returning to Open Session immediately thereafter.

Item 5 | Public Engagement

Any member of the public who wishes to address the Town Council is asked to submit any comments or concerns to <https://www.wakefield.ma.us/public-participation> at least two hours prior to the start of the meeting. Alternatively, members of the public are invited to participate via the Zoom virtual meeting, using the instructions listed above.

In the event further deliberation or action is warranted, any issues raised may be included as an item on a future Town Council Agenda.

Item 6 | Fiscal Year 2024 Budgets – (Votes anticipated)

- A. Budget 17 – Fire Department
- B. Budget 22 – Animal Inspector
- C. Budget 24 – Parking
- D. Budget 26 – Health & Human Services Department
- E. Budget 39 – General Insurance



F. Budget 43 – Worker’s Comp

G. Budget 45 – Retirement

Item 7 | Bonds – (Vote anticipated)

Approval of the sale of the \$2,000,000.00 Water Bond to Massachusetts Water Resources Authority.

Item 8 | Opioid Settlement – (Vote anticipated)

Item 9 | American Rescue Plan Act Update

Item 10 | Licenses – (Votes anticipated)

A. Request for One Day Liquor License on March 31st, 2023 from 6:30 p.m. until 10:30 p.m. at the Crystal Community Club.

B. 2023 Class I renewal for Liberty Chevrolet, Inc. located at 90 Bay State Road.

C. 2023 Class I renewal for Liberty Isuzu Truck located at 90 Bay State Road.

D. 2023 Class I renewal for Liberty Motorcar, Inc. d/b/a Liberty Mazda, Inc. located at 90 Bay State Road.

E. 2023 Class II renewal for Liberty Chevrolet, Inc. located at 90 Bay State Road.

F. 2023 Class II renewal for Liberty Motorcar Co., Inc. located at 90 Bay State Road.

Item 11 | Appointment – (Vote anticipated)

Appointment to the Zoning Board of Appeals to fill unexpired three-year term through April 30th, 2024.

Item 12 | Donation – (Vote anticipated)

Request from Council on Aging to accept and expend a gift or gifts to the Council on Aging in the amount of \$100.00 from various donors with thanks.

Item 13 | Approval of Minutes – (Votes anticipated)

A. Approval of the February 13th, 2023 Town Council meeting minutes.

B. Approval of the February 13th, 2023 Town Council executive meeting minutes.

Item 14 | Announcements

Item 15 | Matters Not Anticipated for Agenda

Any Voting matters not anticipated prior to the 48-hour public notice requirement but necessitating immediate action by the Council.

Item 16 | Adjournment

Next Regular Town Council Meeting: Monday, March 13th, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.