



# AGENDA OF LEGISLATIVE AND ORDINANCE COMMITTEE

59 COURT STREET MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 201  
WESTFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS  
SEPTEMBER 06, 2023 AT 5:00 PM



## CALL TO ORDER

## ATTENDANCE

## PUBLIC PARTICIPATION (3 minutes max per person, up to 15 minutes total time)

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES of July 6, 2023.

## ITEMS IN COMMITTEE

1. Ordinance amendment as requested by Sergeant Mejias, Chair of the Traffic Commission: Section 17-116. Parking prohibited at certain times on certain streets by adding: Hamlin Place, West side; Monday - Friday 8:00 AM through 4:00 PM when school is in session. (8/17/23)
2. Ordinance amendment as requested by Sergeant Mejias, Chair of the Traffic Commission: Section 17-115. Parking Prohibited at all times on certain streets by adding Orange Street, Southerly side at Conner Avenue, 20 feet from corner; Conner Avenue, Easterly side at Orange Street, 20 feet from corner; Shepard Street, 52 feet from Franklin Street on the West side and 42 feet on the East side; Beckwith Avenue, Easterly side, 20 feet from Franklin Street. (8/17/23)
3. Ordinance amendment as requested by Sergeant Mejias, Chair of the Traffic Commission: Section 17-82. Speed limits (2) by adding to Thickly settled or Business District: Twenty-five miles per hour - No person shall operate a vehicle on any city public way within thickly settled or business districts at a rate of speed greater than 25 miles per hour and such speed limit shall be posted by the Department of Public Works. (8/17/23)
4. Lower the speed limits in the Orange Street, Washington Street, Pearl Street, Brookline Avenue, Moseley Avenue, and Meadow Street neighborhoods to take advantage of the 2016 Municipal Modernization Act, which allows communities to reduce speed limits to 25 miles per hour on thickly settled roads and on roadways in business districts. (12/15/22)
5. Ordinance amendment as requested by Sergeant Mejias, Chair of the Traffic Commission: Section 17-82. Speed Limits (2) Thickly settled or Business District: Twenty-five miles per hour by adding Alice Burke Avenue, Alice Street, Allen Avenue, Arnold Street, Ashley Street, Avery Street, Bartlett Street, Bates Street, Beckwith Avenue, Belmont Street, Belvedere Gardens, Benham Street, Berkshire Drive, Birge Avenue, Bliss Street, Bowdoin Street, Brookline Avenue, Bush Street, Butler Street, Carroll Drive, Casimir Street, Central Street, Chapel Street, Charles

Street, Cherry Street, Chestnut Street, Church Street, Claremont Street, Clark Street, Cleveland Avenue, Clinton Avenue, Coleman Avenue, Congress Street, Conner Avenue, Coolidge Avenue, Cortez Street, Court Street, Cowles Court, Crane Avenue, Cross Street, Cycles Street, Dana Street, Danek Drive, Day Avenue, Dewey Avenue, Duane Street, Dubois Street, Dudley Avenue, Dwight Street, Dzuris Avenue, East Silver Street, East Bartlett Street, Ellis Street, Ellsworth Street, Emery Street, Exchange Street, Fairfield Avenue, Fairview Street, Floral Avenue, Ford Avenue, Fowler Avenue, Fowler Street, Franklin Avenue, Franklin Street, Frederick Street, Free Street, Fremont Street, George Street, Gillett Avenue, Gold Street, Grand Street, Green Avenue, Greylock Street, Hamilton Way, Hamlin Place, Hampden Street, Hancock Street, Hanover Street, Harold Avenue, Harrison Avenue, Hassler Street, Hayre Street, Hedges Avenue, High Street, Highland Avenue, Highland View Street, Holcomb Street, Holland Avenue, Howard Street, Hubbard Street, Jefferson Avenue, Jefferson Street, Kasper Drive, Kellogg Street, Kelsey Terrace, Kenwood Street, King Avenue, King Place King Street, King Street Extension, Laflin Street, Lawton Street, Leonard Avenue, Lewis Street, Lincoln Street, Lindbergh Boulevard, Linden Avenue, Littles Court, Livingstone Avenue, Logan Avenue, Lois Street, Loomis Avenue, Lozier Avenue, Madison Street, Main Street, Malone Avenue, Maple Court, Maple Street, Maple Terrace, Maplewood Avenue, Margerie Street, Mather Street, May Street, Mcklinley Terrace, Meadow Street, Mechanic Street, Mill Street, Miller Street, Monroe Street, Morris Avenue, Morris Street, Morse Avenue, Murphey Circle, Myrtle Avenue, Noble Avenue, Noble Street, North Cherry Street, Oak Avenue, Oak Avenue Extension, Oak Street, Oak Terrace, Old Town Ford Way, Orange Street, Otis Street, Palmar Avenue, Paper Street, Park Street, Parkside Avenue, Pearl Street, Perkins Street, Phelps Avenue, Pleasant Street, Ponders Hollow Road, Provin Terrace, Putnam Drive, Ridgeway Street, Riverside Drive, Sackett Street, School Street, Sheldon Avenue, Shepard Street, Sherman Street, Sherman Street Extension, Sibley Avenue, Smith Avenue, South Ashley Street, South Broad Street, South Maple Street, South Meadow Road, South Street, Spring Street, Squawfield Road, ST. Dennis Street, ST. James Avenue, ST. Paul Street, State Street, Sterling Street, Stratfield Avenue, Summer Street, Sycamore Street, Taylor Avenue, Thomas Street, Toledo Avenue, Union Avenue, (up to south side of bridge), Vadnais Street, Walnut Street, Washington Street, Webster Avenue, West Gate Avenue, West School Street, West Silver Street, West Street, White Avenue, White Street, William Street, Williams Riding Way, Wilson Avenue, Woodbridge Lane, Woodland Avenue, Woronoco Avenue and Yale Street. (7/6/23)

6. Have the Traffic Commission investigate changing the left hand turn in front of 52 Court Street to either a two-way left turn lane or an extended painted traffic island. (2/16/23)
7. Requesting consideration and approval to allow the Friends of the Columbia Greenway Rail Trail to install a sign on a section of the multiuse path along Shaker Road that that starts on Country Club Lane, in honor of Bob Pac. (8/17/23)

8. Resolution to transfer Care, Custody, and Control of the Columbia Rail Trail to the Westfield Department of Public Works. (8/17/23)
9. Resolution for the acceptance of a gift donation in the amount of \$1,787.00 from CrossFit Swarm and Run Westfield, LLC. to the Animal Shelter to be used for improvements. (8/17/23)
10. Resolution authorizing approval of an Intermunicipal Agreement regarding the treatment and disposal of sewage and wastewater with the Town of Southwick. (8/17/23)
11. Resolution authorizing approval for the Airport Commission to enter into a real estate lease agreement with James Labrie for a term of 30 years. (8/17/23)

**ADJOURN**