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A JOINT EDUCATION and HUMAN SERVICES
SUBCOMMITTEE /TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
VETERANS CONFERENCE ROOM
WEDNESDAY May 31, 2023 at 6:00 PM

AGENDA

Note: It is possible a quorum of the Town Council may be present and discuss the agenda items, but voting rights shall be limited to Subcommittee members in attendance.

- 1 Call to Order
- 2 Roll Call
- 3 Discuss/review the Town Manager's recommendation to reappoint Theodore Bartlett to the Council of Aging for a three-year term effective July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2026, state ethics in good standing. Entertain a motion to Town Council to recommend approval.
- 4 Discuss/review a Library transfer request for \$68.00 from #001610-573000 Dues, Subscriptions to #001610-571000 Mileage to cover a training opportunity with an in-person component. Entertain a motion to Town Council to recommend approval of this transfer.
- 5 Discuss/review a Community Center transfer request for \$37.00 from #001549-543000 M & I Building to #001549-523000 Water & Sewer to cover a water/sewer bill. Entertain a motion to Town Council to recommend approval of this transfer.
- 6 Discuss/review a proposed Senior Exercise Program to take place three times per week at the Casaubon Senior Center to be paid from the State Formula Grant. Entertain a motion to Town Council to recommend approval and authorize the Town Manager to sign related documentation.
- 7 Discuss/review service contract with Solitude Lake Management for the remainder of FY23 and entertain a motion to Town Council to recommend acceptance and authorize the Town Manager to sign related documentation.
- 8 Discuss/review service contract with Solitude Lake Management for FY24 and entertain a motion to Town Council to recommend acceptance and authorize the Town Manager to sign related documentation.
- 9 Discuss/review the letter of support for the Thrive Act and distribute such letter to our State and Federal representatives, the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, the Massachusetts Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, Massachusetts Teachers Association, Parents Union of Massachusetts, and any other entities identified by the Town Council requesting their support. Entertain a motion to recommend to Town Council for approval.

10 Adjourn

Subcommittee Committee Members: Councilor/EHS Chairman Michael Montigny - Councilors Michael Marketti and Jacquelyn Ryan - Citizen Member: Ariel Ortiz, Gil Provost

c: Interim Town Manager Charlie Blanchard

Note: The items listed, which may be discussed at the meeting, are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair. Not all items listed may, in fact, be discussed, and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.