

Councilors-at-Large

Sean A. Navin
Mark A. Oram
Michael H. Ossing
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Ward Councilors

Ward 1 – Mark A. Vital
Ward 2 – David Doucette
Ward 3 – Robert Preciado
Ward 4 – Teona C. Brown
Ward 5 – John J. Irish
Ward 6 – A. Trey Fuccillo
Ward 7 – Donald R. Landers, Sr.

Council President

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CITY OF MARLBOROUGH CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 2024

The regular meeting of the City Council was held on Monday, January 8, 2024, at 8:00 PM in City Council Chambers, City Hall. Councilors Present: Ossing, Vital, Doucette, Preciado, Brown, Irish, Fuccillo, Navin, Oram, & Robey. Councilors Absent: Landers. Meeting adjourned at 8:10 PM.

Motion by Councilor Brown, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Minutes of the City Council meeting, DECEMBER 18, 2023, **FILE**; adopted.

Motion by Councilor Brown, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Minutes of the special City Council meeting, DECEMBER 28, 2023, **FILE**; adopted.

Motion by Councilor Brown, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Minutes of the City Council Organizational meeting, JANUARY 1, 2024, **FILE**; adopted.

Motion by Councilor Robey, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the 2024 City Council Regular Meeting Schedule from President Ossing, **FILE**; adopted.

Motion by Councilor Navin, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Communication from Councilors Ossing & Wagner, re: Municipal Aggregation – December 2023 Update, **FILE**; adopted.

Motion by Councilor Navin, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Communication from the Mayor, re: Reappointment of Jason D. Grossfield as City Solicitor effective January 1, 2024, **FILE**; adopted.

Motion by Councilor Navin, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Communication from the Mayor, re: Appointment of Ryan Egan as Chief of Staff to the Mayor effective January 1, 2024, **FILE**; adopted.

Motion by Councilor Navin, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Communication from the Mayor, re: Appointment of Heather H. Gutierrez as Executive Administrator to the Mayor, effective January 1, 2024, **FILE**, adopted.

Motion by Councilor Navin, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Communication from the Mayor, re: Reappointment of Police Chief David Giorgi as Keeper of the Lock-Up for a term of 1-year pursuant to MGL Chapter 40, §35, **FILE**, adopted.

Motion by Councilor Robey, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Communication from Attorney Brian Falk, on behalf of the Red Spring Road Homeowners Association, Inc., re: Request to Carry Over the Proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendment to Chapter 650 “Zoning” of the Code to add a new section to create the “Red Spring Road Overlay District” (RSR), **FILE**; adopted.

Councilor Oram Recused.

Motion by Councilor Robey, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Communication from Attorney Brian Falk, on behalf of the Red Spring Road Homeowners Association, Inc., re: Request to Withdraw without Prejudice the Proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendment to Chapter 650 “Zoning” of the Code to add a new section to create the “Red Spring Road Overlay District” (RSR) **FILE**; adopted.

Councilor Oram Recused.

Motion by Councilor Brown, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Communication from Department of Public Utilities, re: Petition of MA Electric and Nantucket Electric d/b/a National Grid for Approval of a General Increase in Base Distribution Rates for Electric Service, a Performance-Based Ratemaking Plan, and a Capital Recovery Mechanism, **FILE**; adopted.

Motion by Councilor Navin, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Communication from Diane Plummer, re: Resignation as Chair of the City Scholarship Committee, **FILE**; adopted.

Motion by Councilor Doucette, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the Minutes of following Boards, Commissions and Committees, **FILE**; adopted.

- a) Conservation Commission, February 2, 2023, May 18, 2023, July 6, 2023, October 5, 2023, November 16, 2023 & December 7, 2023.
- b) Historical Commission, October 19, 2023.
- c) Planning Board, November 13, 2023 & November 27, 2023.

Motion by Councilor Doucette, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: That the following CLAIMS, referred to the **LEGAL DEPARTMENT**; adopted.

- a) Horacio Castro, 25 Magnolia Lane, other property damage and/or personal injury.
- b) Anthony Pellegrini III, 69 Westernview Drive, other property damage and/or personal injury.

Motion by Councilor Navin, seconded by the Chair to adopt the following:

ORDERED: There being no further business, the regular meeting of the City Council is herewith adjourned at 8:10 PM; adopted.