## CITY OF MARLBOROUGH MEETING POSTING

Meeting Name: City Council Veterans' Affairs Committee
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Time: 6:00 PM
Location: City Council Chamber, $2^{\text {nd }}$ Floor, City Hall, 140 Main Street

08-27-2018 - Order No. 18-1007364: Communication from the Mayor regarding Marlborough Public Library Naming Rights.
-Refer to Veterans' Affairs Committee

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The public should take due notice that the Marlborough City Council may have a quorum in attendance due to Standing Committees of the City Council consisting of both voting and non-voting members. However, members attending this duly posted meeting are participating and deliberating only in conjunction with the business of the Standing Committee.

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## IN CITY COUNCIL

Marlborough, Mass.,_AUGUST 27, 2018
ORDERED:
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARLBOROUGH THAT THE CITY CODE OF THE CITY OF MARLBOROUGH, AS AMENDED, BE FURTHER AMENDED BY AMENDING § 551-1, ENTITLED "STREET NAMES," OF CHAPTER 551 AS FOLLOWS:
I. Chapter 551 is hereby amended by deleting the title of § 551-1 in its entirety and inserting in place thereof the following title:

Names of public streets, highways, places, buildings, spaces and other public assets
II. Chapter 551 is hereby amended by inserting into § 551-1 the following new paragraph:
C. The Board of Library Trustees, having care, custody, management and supervision of the Marlborough Public Library pursuant to § 11 of chapter 78 of the Massachusetts General Laws and $\S 28$ of Division 3 of the Charter of the City of Marlborough may name public assets located in and at the Marlborough Public Library, including internal and external spaces, furnishings, collections, equipment or fixtures, under such terms and conditions as may be specified in a naming policy adopted by the Board of Library Trustees for said public assets which are not otherwise governed by paragraphs A. and B. herein. Said authority of the Board of Library Trustees is in addition to, and not in lieu of, such powers and authorities of the Board of Library Trustees as may be provided by statute, regulation, ordinance or law.

Be and is herewith refer to VETERANS AFFAIRS COMMITTEE.

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August 23, 2018
City Council President Edward J. Clancy Marlborough City Council 140 Main Street
Marlborough, MA 01752

## Re: Marlborough Public Library Naming Rights

Dear Council President Clancy:
Please find enclosed a proposed revision of the City Code to allow the Board of Library Trustees to name public assets located in and at the Marlborough Public Library.

The City Council established a naming rights ordinance for all new public facilities and streets in 1986. The proposed ordinance would keep this in place while allowing the Library Trustees some flexibility to name places or collections within the Library.

Supporters of the Library have organized a capital campaign to raise private funds to defray the cost of the library renovation and addition project. Allowing potential donors to name collections or spaces at the Library will likely assist their efforts to raise funds. Upon City Council approval of this ordinance, the Library Trustees would develop a naming rights policy to apply to all potential naming rights proposals.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.


Enclosures

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ADOPTED<br>In City Council<br>Order No. 18-<br>Adopted<br>Approved by Mayor<br>Arthur G. Vigeant<br>Date:

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ATTEST:

## Chapter 551. Streets and Sidewalks

## Article I. Miscellaneous Provisions

## § 551-1. Street names.

A. The several streets in the City shall continue to be called and known by the names by which they are now called and known, until the same shall be altered by the City Council. The City Council may change or alter the name of any street, highway or public place. The Council shall establish the names of all streets, highways and public places hereafter laid out and accepted by the City, or by any other authority within the City, and shall cause signposts to be erected, designating the names.
B. Effective March 1, 1986, and thereafter, all newly accepted streets, all newly built and/or heretofore unnamed schools, parks and other publicly owned buildings shall be named after deceased Marlborough residents who were veterans of declared wars and/or armed conflicts.
[Added 2-10-1986 by Ord. No. 86-784]

