

## TOWN OF DERRY

Town Council  
First Parish Church

July 19, 2018  
Thursday - 6:30 PM

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**6:30 PM      Call to order**

Pledge of Allegiance, warning of fire exits, handicap access, & turn off all cell phones

**Roll Call:** Councilors Foote, Tripp, Katsakiores, Chirichiello, Wetherbee, Bourdon and Chairman Morgan,  
Present: TA David Caron, Town Clerk Daniel Healey

### GOALS WORKSHOP

Chairman Morgan informed the Council that the Elected Election Officials have held meetings to discuss changing polling locations. The requested change would have District 2 vote at West Running Brook Middle School instead of Calvary Bible Church. Districts 1 and 4 would remain at Gilbert H. Hood Middle School and District 3 would remain at West Running Brook. The change would take effect immediately.

**Councilor Tripp moves to change the Polling location for District 2 from Calvary Bible Church to West Running Brook Middle School, seconded by Councilor Katsakiores**

**Roll Call Vote: 7-0-0**

The Town Council met to discuss the following goals for FY19:

### ECONOMIC/COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

1. Develop strategy/plan to attract/retain younger residents
2. Additional Town support for the Arts
3. Seasonal banners for all street lights
4. Tiny house ordinance
5. Graffiti art studied; plants, trees, dedicated to outdoor seating
6. Abbott Court development
7. Create downtown improvement vision and fund it
8. Parking area in downtown
9. Study downtown possibilities for re-development opportunities
10. Traffic study – Broadway/High/Broad
11. Create one new public private development project prior to March 2019
12. Widening Franklin Street to permit access to industrial park from Exit 4A
13. Council briefing on date provided by Buxton

**Councilor Wetherbee moves to change the August Town Council meeting to Friday August 24, 2018, seconded by Councilor Tripp**  
**Roll Call Vote: 6-1-0 (Councilor Bourdon)**

14. Reduction of number of parking spaces required for businesses

ENHANCE EFFICIENCIES/REVIEW TOWN SERVICE LEVELS

1. Continue to identify operating efficiencies
2. Solar – 1MW at Transfer Station
3. Hood Pond irrigation fountain to eliminate bacteria levels
4. Look into possibilities of using Hood Park land for frisbee golf course so it gets more usage as active recreational for all ages
5. Expansion of Public Transportation
6. Construct Hockey rink
7. Evaluate SNH Water Project and proceed accordingly

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

1. Create a letter for non-profit building owners who do not pay real estate taxes to educate them on what in-lieu of taxes are and how they can help offset costs of services to the general taxpayers
2. Disposition of town-owned property
3. Assessment of all town buildings and prioritization of comprehensive EMT plan
4. Identify project to be included in and prepare bond issue
5. Continue to upgrade and implement 5-year financial plan and enhance budget transparency
6. Lamp posts with sponsorship
7. Sponsored EVC stations

COUNCIL OPERATIONS/MAXIMIZE EFFECTIVENESS

1. Staff and Council review of charter for suggested amendments
2. Take action on non-binding referendum questions

**Adjournment 9:15 p.m.**

  
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Town Clerk

8-30-18  
Date