

**City of Belfast
Council Chambers-Belfast City Hall
Tuesday, February 16, 2021
Regular Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.**

All City Council Meetings will be conducted online using Zoom and can be streamed on the City website at www.cityofbelfast.org. They will air live on BEL TV as well as on Belfast Community Radio WBFY 100.9.

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1) Call to order

2) Roll call: Mayor Eric Sanders; Councilors Mary Mortier, Neal Harkness, Brenda Bonneville, Michael Hurley and Paul Dean, City Manager Erin Herbig, and Admin. Assistant Manda Cushman.

3) Pledge of Allegiance

4) Adoption of the agenda

5) Acceptance of the minutes

Regular Council Meeting of February 2, 2021.

6) A. Open to the public

Members of the public who wish to submit announcements, questions or comment for the City Council can email public@cityofbelfast.org or mail to City of Belfast, 131 Church Street, Belfast, ME 04915. We ask that you include your name and residence as comments will be included as part of the public record, and that all comments be sent prior to the date and time of the meeting, with a deadline of noon the day of the meeting. Please see the City website for how best to observe remotely for all other meetings.

The City Council will also be utilizing the Zoom Webinar feature to allow for public input by allowing for virtual participation. There will be a website address that will serve as the link to the Zoom meeting and will be on the City website in advance of the meeting. There will also be a phone number next to the website address that will enable someone to participate, even if they are experiencing technical difficulties. There is no requirement to register for Webinars. The Chat function will be disabled.

The public will be allowed to speak at the meeting, but only during the public comment period. When it is time for the person to have their opportunity to speak, the host will accept them

into the meeting. The public will only have access to audio. Video uses large amounts of bandwidth, and City Staff feels it is best to be proactive with these technical issues.

If you do not plan to speak at open to the public you can stream the meeting on the City website www.cityofbelfast.org, watch live on BEL TV channel 7 or channel 1303, or listen on Belfast Community Radio WBFY 100.9.

B. Organization and Department Reports

7) Communications

8) Old Business and Council Committee Reports

- Update from the Climate Crisis Committee

9) Permits, Petitions and Licenses - Consent Agenda

- A.** Request to approve an application by Paul Naron d/b/a United Farmers Market of Maine located at 18 Spring Street, Belfast, Maine for a renewal of a Farmer's Market Authorization liquor license.

10) Business

- A)** Discussion and possible action on a City of Belfast Core Value Statement.
- B)** Request from Our Town Belfast to utilize City sidewalks to place ice sculptures as part of their Ice Festival event on February 27th.
- C)** Request from the Economic Development Director to apply for a 2021 CDBG Community Enterprise Grant.
- D)** Request from the City Manager to accept the bids and award the bid for #2 Fuel Oil for Fiscal Year 2021-2022.
- E)** Request to purchase a new shredder for City Hall for \$2,000.
- F)** Consideration of starting City Council Meetings at 6:30 p.m.
- G)** Signing of Council Orders

11) Communications

12) Adjourn