

New - Council Meeting Attendance Requirements

*City Council meetings are currently open to the public. Public entry to the building is through the Main Street entrance at top of stairs. *Face coverings are required to be worn at all times while in the building.*

If handicap access is needed, please report to the rear door at the end of ramp and use phone for security to admit you. Please arrive by 5:30 to allow seating prior to meeting start time of 6pm sharp.

If you plan to be a speaker, it is suggested you arrive and sign in no later than 5:45pm. Speaker sign in sheets are collected promptly at 5:50pm.

Please be mindful of distancing requirements and use markings on benches as guides for this. Families may group together in a bench.

NIAGARA FALLS CITY COUNCIL AGENDA FOR JANUARY 5, 2022

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

6:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

BAX _____ MYLES _____ SPANBAUER _____ TOMPKINS _____ ZAJAC _____

PRAYER - COUNCIL MEMBER BAX

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

**Approval of Minutes from the Council Meeting of December 15, 2021
and Special Meeting of December 20, 2021**

VOTE

PUBLIC HEARING

**RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO Amending the Niagara Falls City Charter,
as amended, by Amending Article XVII, entitled "Department of Planning
and Economic Development" by amending Sections 17.1, 17.2, 17.3 and 17.3(A)**

PUBLIC SPEAKERS (SEE NOTE ON LAST PAGE)

1. AGENDA ITEMS

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE:

CONTROLLERS REPORT

**REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS
LEGISLATIVE MEETING**

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE CITY CLERK

1. Mayor's Approval of Resolutions 2021-55, 2021-65, 2021-66

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ITEMS FOR COUNCIL ACTION

FROM THE MAYOR

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

RESOLUTIONS

2. Relative to appointments to Zoning Board of Appeals

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

3. Relative to Appointments /Re-Appointments to the Tourism Advisory Board

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

4. Relative to Re-Appointments/Appointments to Planning Board

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

5. Relative to Re-Appointments/Appointments to Assessment Review Board

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

FOR THE GOOD OF THE COMMUNITY

ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING

NOTE:

If you would like to speak to the Council, please note the following rules:

- You must sign the appropriate sign-in sheet at least ten (10) minutes before the meeting begins.
- You may sign-in to speak regarding a specific agenda item and/or "for the good of the community."
- Each speaker is given up to five (5) minutes maximum, although you may use less than that if you make your point in less time.
- If speaking about an agenda item, please refer to that agenda item at the very beginning of your five minutes.
- You may not transfer the balance of your time to another speaker.
- The Chairman may limit the number of speakers on a topic or agenda item or the overall speaking time if the same will unduly delay the commencement of the agenda.
- Speakers are addressing the City Council as a body. If you would like to address an individual Council Member or anyone else, please do that separately, not during these meetings.
- Please remain focused on the agenda item you signed up for, or for "the good of the community."
- The Council will not respond to questions or statements during the meeting. This is an opportunity to share your ideas, not to engage in conversation.
- This portion of the meeting is not for personal grievances
- Please use the decorum expected speaking before a deliberative assembly in the United States of America.
- The Chairman will enforce these rules.

Excerpt from Resolution 2020-10, which was adopted by the Niagara Falls City Council on January 15, 2020.