

**TOWN OF ORONO
COUNCIL WORKSHOP**

**COUNCIL CHAMBER - MUNICIPAL BUILDING
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2019 AT 6:00PM**

MINUTES

1. Roll Call

Present: Council Chair Cindy Mehnert, Tom Perry, Meghan Gardner, Sam Kunz, Laurie Osher, Terry Greenier, Cheryl Robertson and Town Manager Sophie Wilson.

2. CITIZEN REQUEST: A Resolution Urging the United States Congress to Enact a Revenue-Neutral Fee on Carbon Fuels

The Council discussed the resolution and provided edits. Ron Davis agreed to make the changes and provide Council with a corrected version.

Council agreed to forward the resolution to the October 21st Council Meeting for consideration of approval.

3. Continuing Discussion of Local Regulation of Commercial Marijuana Activity with Initial Review of Draft Ordinance

The Council continued the discussion of local regulations of commercial marijuana activity and reviewed the draft ordinance.

4. Request for Expansion Village Commercial Zoning District

5. Request to Revise Previously Approved Contract Zone at 117 Mill Street

6. Ordinance Revisions in Process

- **Post Public Hearings, Consideration for Final Approval 10/21/2019**
 - **Vernal Pool Overlay District (Chapter 18, Section 113)**
 - **Wireless Telecommunications (Chapter 18, Section 145)**
 - **Temporary Markets (Chapter 18, New Section 151)**
- **Post Committee Review, Consideration for Planning Board Referral**
 - **Standards for Mobile Food Vendors (Chapter 18, Section 152)**

7. Council FY20 Work Plan

8. Proposed Future Agenda Items from Councilors

- **Options for Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) Processing & Disposal**

- **Town BLOG to Encourage/Educate the Public to Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle**
- **Reducing Council Packet Background Material**

9. Brief Town Manager's Report

10. Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 8:15pm. Minutes are only summary. A video-recorded version is available on the Town's website at www.orono.org.

Respectfully submitted,

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