

Townsend Town Council Meeting Agenda April 2nd, 2025 @ 7:00 pm VIA CONFERENCE CALL & Town Hall 141 Main St, Townsend, DE 19734

7:00 pm Town Council Meeting

- **I.** Call to Order:
- II. Opening Ceremonies
 - A. Roll Call:
 - B. Pledge of Allegiance
 - C. Moment of Silence
 - D. Recognition of Visitors:
 - E. Announcements:
- III. General Citizen Comments
- IV. Review/Adoption of Agenda
- V. Approval / Rejection of Minutes:
 - A. **ACTION ITEM:** Approval/Rejection of Town Council Minutes from March 5th, 2025, Town Council Meeting.
 - B. **ACTION ITEM:** Approval/Rejection of Town Council Minutes from March 17th, 2025, Town Council Special Meeting.

VI. Departmental Reports:

- A. Mayor S. Lobdell
 - 1. **ACTION ITEM:** Discussion and possible vote on appointment of two Board of Elections Member.
 - i. Swearing in of Board of Elections Members T. Geiger & J. Reyes.
- B. New Castle County Councilman David Carter
- C. Town of Townsend Police Chief's Report
- D. Town Solicitor Lisa Hatfield
- E. Town Engineer Erik Gruenes
- F. Town Manager Julie Goodyear
 - 1. **ACTION ITEM**: Discussion and potential vote on lease extension request from 646 Wiggins Mill Road.
- G. Public Works Supervisor Rick Boyer

VII. Committee Reports:

- A. Finance Committee: Chair: Mayor S. Lobdell, Co-Chair: Councilman J. Bangura
 - 1. **ACTION ITEM**: Review and possible discussion on the February 2025 Budget vs. Actual Reports.
- B. Human Resources Committee: Chair: Councilman Suhr, Co-Chair: Mayor S. Lobdell
- C. **Public Works and Land Use Development Committee:** Chair: Councilman J. Bangura, Co-Chair: Councilman M. Chapman
 - 1. **ACTION ITEM:** Open a bid for the "2025 Road Program Brook Ramble Repaving".

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- D. Public Safety Committee: Chair: Councilman M. Suhr, Co-Chair: Councilman D. Wiggins
- E. Community Engagement Committee: Chair: Councilman D. Wiggins
- F. Code Review Committee: Chair: Mayor S. Lobdell, Co-Chair: Councilman M. Chapman
- G. **Veterans & Social Services Committee:** Chair: Councilman M. Chapman, Co-Chair: Councilman M. Suhr
- VIII. Discussion of future agenda items.
- **IX.** Recess Council Meeting to Convene Executive Session.
- X. Convene Executive Session: Pursuant to 29 Del. C. §§10004(b)(9), the Town Council will consider a motion to meet in an executive session for the discussion personnel matters.
- XI. Close Executive Session & Re-convene Council Meeting.
- **XII. ACTION ITEM:** Possible vote of Council.
- XIII. Adjournment.

Revised by KG on 3-26-2025 VII.A.1 ACTION ITEM

Revised by JG on 3/31/2025 to include VI.F.1 ACTION ITEM