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Town of Swampscott

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> SELECT BOARD REGULAR SESSION AGENDA

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MEETING DATE: DECEMBER 6, 2023, 6:30 PM

MEETING LOCATION (IN PERSON WITH VIRTUAL OPTION):

- In Person: Swampscott High School, 200 Essex Street, Room B129
- VIRTUAL OPTION (SEE MICROSOFT TEAMS DETAILS BELOW)

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A. TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

- **B. PUBLIC COMMENTS**
- **C. NEW AND OLD BUSINESS** (Possible action/votes of the board)
 - 1. ANNUAL PERMIT RENEWALS (LIQUOR LICENSES, COMMON VICTUALLER, ENTERTAINMENT AND CLASS II)
 - 2. DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE VOTE OF NEW ONE-DAY LIQUOR LICENSE POLICY
 - 3. DISCUSSION & VOTE ON FY2024 TAX RATE CLASSIFICATION
 - 4. UPDATED TOWN FINANCIAL FORECAST
 - 5. REVIEW & DISCUSSION OF THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING OF DECEMBER 11, 2023

D. VOTES OF THE BOARD

1. APPROVAL OF THE CONSENT AGENDA

CONSENT AGENDA

THE CONSENT AGENDA IS DESIGNED TO EXPEDITE THE HANDLING OF ROUTINE AND THE MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS OF THE BOARD. THE SELECT BOARD MAY ADOPT THE ENTIRE CONSENT AGENDA WITH ONE MOTION. AT THE REQUEST OF ANY BOARD MEMBER, ANY ITEM(S) MAY BE REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA AND PLACED ON THE REGULAR AGENDA FOR DISCUSSION.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:

- 1. DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE VOTE TO APPROVE RE-APPOINTMENTS FOR CLIMATE ACTION PLAN COMMITTEE AND STAGGER TERMS:
 - a. Martha Schmitt, Renewable Energy Committee representative
 - b. DIANA EDDOWES, RENEWABLE ENERGY COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE
 - c. Douglas Thompson, Select Board representative
 - d. LILLIAN WORTHLEY, SELECT BOARD APPOINTEE
 - e. NEAL DUFFY, SELECT BOARD APPOINTEE
 - f. GERALYN FALCO, SELECT BOARD APPOINTEE
 - g. SAM SNITKOVSKY, HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT
 - h. Suzanne Hale, Swampscott Conservancy representative
 - i. SIERRA POPE MUNOZ, OPEN SPACE & RECREATION REPRESENTATIVE

- 2. Vote to approve a one-day liquor license for Andrew Ingemni for the annual Holiday Festival on Town Hall Lawn, Saturday, December 16^{TH} , 4:00 PM 8:00 PM.
- 3. Vote to approve minutes of the regular meetings of 11/15/23 and 11/20/23

E. SELECT BOARD TIME

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^{*}correction of committee representative for items 1A & 1B