



CITY OF DOVER

CITY COUNCIL - MINUTES

Meeting Type: **Workshop Session**
Meeting Location: **McConnell Center, Room 306**
Meeting Date: **Wednesday, September 6, 2017**
Meeting Time: **7:00 pm**

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. MOMENT OF SILENCE

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Deputy Mayor Carrier led the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. ROLL CALL ATTENDANCE

Present: Mayor Weston, Deputy Mayor Carrier, Councilor Ciotti, Councilor Gagnon, Councilor Gasses, Councilor Greenshields, Councilor O'Connor, Councilor Shanahan, and Councilor Thibodeaux.

Also Present: Assistant City Manager Parker, General Legal Counsel Blenkinsop, and City Clerk Lavertu.

5. CITIZEN'S FORUM

Citizens are invited to speak on the subject matter of the Workshop. Statements shall be limited to five minutes.

Mayor Weston, seeing no one wishing to speak, closed the Citizen's Forum.

6. DISCUSSIONS

A. NPDES AND MS4 PERMIT UPDATE

Mr. Dean Peschel, Consultant for the City of Dover on environmental matters, gave an overview on the following:

- The NPDES process for the Waste Water Treatment Plant
- The performance of the Waste Water Treatment Plant after upgrades
- UNH monitoring of nitrogen levels in the water
- EPA's concern regarding macro algae
- The "State of the Estuary Report" that will be available soon. He has learned that they may be requesting even lower nitrogen levels. The coalition sent in a 91-A request in July to learn where they came up with their information, and they are still waiting for a response.
- MS4 Permit process.
- Senator Watter's bill, SB-121, which resulted in the creation of a commission to have New Hampshire become a delegated State, which means New Hampshire will issue the permits instead of the EPA.

Community Services Director Storer gave an overview of the passage of SB-121, the makeup of the committee, and his hopes for New Hampshire to become a delegated State.



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B. GRIFFIN/IRELAND WELL REPLACEMENT UPDATE

Mr. Peschel gave an overview of the Griffin well contamination, the creation of a new well from the Bellamy River, and the plans to protect the Ireland Well and possibly clean up the contamination with the Griffin Well.

C. RIGHT OF WAY ORDINANCE

General Legal Counsel Blenkinsop gave an overview of the proposed changes to Chapter 152 to the Council. He answered questions from the Council.

7. ADJOURNMENT

Councilor Greenshields moved to adjourn; seconded by Councilor Thibodeaux.

Vote: 9/0.