



## **Joint Meeting of City Council Committees on City Services and Community Resources and the Northampton City Council**

### City Services Committee Members:

*Chair: Councilor Marianne LaBarge*

*Vice Chair: Councilor Karen Foster*

*Councilor Rachel Maiore*

*Councilor Michael Quinlan, Jr.*

### Community Resources Committee Members:

*Chair: Councilor James B. Nash*

*Vice-Chair: Councilor Alex Jarrett*

*Councilor John Thorpe*

*Councilor Karen Foster*

## **Meeting Agenda**

**Date: January 27, 2021**

**Time: 5 p.m.**

**Virtual Meeting**

The January 27, 2021 Joint Meeting of the City Council Committees on City Services and Community Resources will be held via remote participation. The public can follow the committees' deliberations by joining the virtual meeting by phone or by computer. The meeting will be recorded for later broadcast on Northampton Open Media (channel 15) and uploaded to the Northampton Government Video Archive on YouTube.

Live public comment will be available using telephone call-in or video conferencing technology beginning at 5 p.m.

### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR CALLING IN OR JOINING THE MEETING FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

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PARTICIPANT #: #

PASSCODE: 334378

**"Jurisdiction. Matters affecting the community including economic development, local business, tourism, the environment, the arts, planning, zoning, sustainability, land use, housing and affordability, among others"**

**1. Meeting Called to Order and Roll Call**

**2. Announcement re: Audio/Video Recording**

Announcement that meeting is being conducted via remote participation and audio/video recorded.

**3. General Public Comment**

**4. Minutes of Previous Meeting**

**5. Updates and Announcements from Committee Members**

**6. Program Topic: Housing Security**

Invitees include Western Massachusetts Network to End Homelessness, ServiceNet, Community Action Pioneer Valley and Eliot Homeless Services. The program is an opportunity to learn about the programs and services in Northampton offering assistance to houseless individuals..

**A. Informal Presentations**

**Speaker Line-up:**

Pamela Schwartz, Western Massachusetts Network to End Homelessness

Jay Sacchetti, Vice President of Shelter & Housing, Vocational and Addiction Services, ServiceNet - re: operation of emergency homeless shelter at First Churches

Danna Boughton, Coordinator of Community Resources and Advocacy at Community Action Pioneer Valley (CAPV) - re: assistance available for people facing eviction

Jay Levy, Western and Central MA Regional Manager, Eliot CHS Homeless Services

**B. Public Comment on Topic of Housing Security**

**7. New Business**

**8. Adjourn**

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