



TOWN OF DIGHTON

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

REGULAR MEETING

WEDNESDAY, 23 September, 2015, 7:30 P.M.

DIGHTON TOWN HALL, 979 SOMERSET AVENUE, DIGHTON, MA

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AGENDA:

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of allegiance
3. **Fran Linden**, Chairperson of the Dighton Cultural Council is present to make a brief announcement.
4. **Approval of minutes**
 - a. Minutes of Regular Meeting of September 16, 2015.
5. **Approval of Warrants**
 - a. Warrant #13A-16 in the amount of \$74,936.65 dated September 23, 2015
 - b. Warrant #13B-16 in the amount of \$17,437.62 dated September 23, 2015
 - c. Warrant #13C-16 in the amount of \$316,193.79 dated September 23, 2015
 - d. Warrant #13D-16 in the amount of \$2,030.03 dated September 23, 2015.
6. **Correspondence**
7. **Announcements**
8. **Old Business**
9. **New Business**
 - a. **Review/Discuss/Act:** The appointment of Alison Roache to the Dighton Cultural Council.
 - b. **Review/Discuss/Act:** Sign Purchase and Sale Agreement for land adjacent to schools.
10. **Reports**
11. **Acknowledgements**
 - a. Acknowledgement of an anonymous donation to the Council on Aging, in the amount of \$606.22.

12. Public Input

13. Adjournment

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Board of Health has sharps disposal containers for sale for Dighton residents only at the office (\$3.00qt/\$6.00gal. \$7.50/2gal). Once full, they can be brought back to the Board of Health for proper disposal at no additional cost.
- Recycling Stickers are available for \$1.00 for recycling containers of your choice.
- There will be a Special Town Election on Saturday, September 26, 2015, to fill a vacancy on the Board of Selectmen. It will be held at the Dighton Elementary School from 8:00am to 6:00pm.
- The deadline for Absentee ballots for the Special Town Election is Friday, September 25, 2015, 8:00am to 12:00pm at the Town Clerk's Office. These are for people who will be out of town or for medical reasons cannot attend the election on September 26, 2015. For more information, please contact the Clerk's office at 508 669 5411.
- The First Baptist Church will hold "Rock in the Park" on Saturday, September 26th from 4pm-7pm at the Lion's Pavilion. Free Hotdogs, water. Praise and worship sing-a-long. Bring a donation for the Dighton Food Bank.
- Saturday, September 26, 2015, The Dighton Police Department will be hosting a drug take-back day from 10am -2pm at the Dighton Police Station. You may turn in any unused or expired medication for safe disposal. No questions asked. \$5.00 Stop & Shop gift cards will be provided while supplies last. Sponsored by Drug Enforcement Agency, Dighton Police Department, Town of Dighton and MA Opioid Abuse Prevention Coalition.

There is a prescription drug drop box now located at the Dighton Police Station. Please limit your disposal items to pill form prescriptions only. The following should NOT be disposed of in the drop box: creams, ointments, liquid, thermometers, syringes, IV bags, bio-waste, aerosols, inhalers and epi-pens. You may also contact the Dighton Police station at 508 669 6711 for more information.

- The dedication ceremony for the 911 Memorial which was to have taken place on September 11th at 5:00pm, has been postponed until Saturday, October 3, 2015, at 10:00 am.
- The Cabbies will hold a walk to support cancer patients and their families on October 10, 2015 at 10:00 am, beginning on the track behind town hall and continuing onto the street for a total of five miles.
- First Annual Sweet Swap will be held Monday, November 2, 2015, 5:00pm – 7:00pm. At Sullivan Family Dental, 1209 Somerset Avenue #3, Dighton, MA. Exchange your unopened Halloween candy for games, prizes and snacks. All candy will be sent to US Troops in holiday care packages. Held in conjunction with: Saving Our Troops, Stoneham, MA and Cub Scout Pack 28, Taunton, MA.
- On November 11th, 2015, at 11:00am at Town Hall there will be an unveiling of a 48 star U.S. Flag given by the family of Byron E. Haskins, WWII Bronze Star Recipient. All are invited. For more information, contact Donald Hirschy at 508-669-5027.

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