GLASTONBURY TOWN COUNCIL POLICY & ORDINANCE REVIEW SUBCOMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2024

The Glastonbury Town Council Policy & Ordinance Review Subcommittee held a Meeting which convened at 9:45 a.m. on Wednesday, September 4, 2024, in the Town Manager's Conference Room of Town Hall, 2155 Main Street, Glastonbury.

Policy & Ordinance Review Subcommittee Members Present

Thomas Gullotta Deborah Carroll Kurt Cavanaugh

Others present

Jonathan Luiz, Town Manager
Mike Manfre, Superintendent of Sanitation
Robyn Nichols, Principal Program Manager-Municipal Services, CRCOG (participated by Microsoft Teams)
Lisa Zerio, Director of Parks and Recreation
Michael Thurz, Fire Chief
Michael Collins, Town Attorney (participated by Microsoft Teams)

Councilor Carrol moved to approve the minutes from the Subcommittee's July 16, 2024 meeting. Councilor Cavanaugh seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

The Policy & Ordinance Review Subcommittee met to discuss and review the following:

- (a) Proposed amendment to Town Code, Chapter 8 Solid Waste.
- (b) Proposed amendment to Town Code, Chapter 14, Article III Recreation Areas Use Regulations.

Following a discussion regarding (a) proposed amendment to Town Code, Chapter 8 – Solid Waste, Councilors unanimously agreed that the proposed amendment should be forwarded to the Town Council for its consideration.

Following a discussion regarding (b) proposed amendment to Town Code, Chapter 14, Article III – Recreation Areas Use Regulations, Councilors voted unanimously to recommend that Attorney Collin's version be forwarded to the full Council for its consideration with a few exceptions: 1) The current language concerning swimming in the Cotton Hollow go unchanged; 2) No language be added prohibiting food and beverages other than water; 3) Playing music that is **audible to other individuals** is not allowed in a preserve; and 4) A more restrictive hours of operation for Cotton Hollow will not apply to parks and the Great Pond Preserve.

With no further business to discuss, Councilor Cavanaugh moved to adjourn the Subcommittee meeting at 10:45 a.m. Councilor Carroll seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Jonathan Luiz Town Manager