

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Charter Review Committee

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Bridgewater Charter Review Committee

Agenda for the Charter Review Meeting - Wednesday, December 10, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

Senior Center - 10 Wally Krueger Way - Bridgewater, MA 02324

Member Attendance

Dennis Gallagher (Chair) ____; Carlton Hunt ____; Stephanie Ryan ____; Erick Lynch ____; Aisha Losche ____; Eric Desrochers ____

Call to Order

Public Comments
Announcements from the Chair of the Committee

Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

Committee will review/approve minutes from the meeting of December 3, 2014.

New Business

Potential topics for this and future meetings:

- Consider make-up of Town Council (9 members vs. 7); compensation for Town Council and what that might look like
- What other Town Councils include in their recall provisions
- Does town government need a Finance Committee or not; what other towns have for Finance Committees
- Should the TGSC Q&A be sent to all members of Town Council
- Should the Town Clerk be elected or appointed
- Explore possibility of merging certain districts
- Review Town Charter Issue Tracking Table; discuss provisional votes and areas of suggested changes; create a list of outstanding items; vote to make recommendations to Town Council
- Create a track change document of the Charter clearly indicating Committee's recommendations
- Discuss what the Charter Review Recommendations Report should look like

Other Items

Public Comments
Committee Member Comments

Adjourn

Next Meeting: Wednesday, December 17, 2014 7:00 p.m.
Memorial Building – 25 South Street - Bridgewater, MA 02324