



Town of Burlington

**SPECIAL TOWN BUDGET MEETING
TUESDAY, JUNE 20, 2017
7:00 PM
TOWN HALL AUDITORIUM**

The Special Town Meeting of electors and citizens qualified to vote in Town Meetings in the Town of Burlington, CT was called to order at 7:05 pm by First Selectman Theodore C. Shafer. Selectmen James Chard, Roger Powell, David Bereza and Carl Salsedo were present.

Ninety-One (91) individuals were present.

First Selectman Shafer called for nominations for moderator. A nomination for Ted Shafer as moderator of the meeting was made by Jim Chard, seconded by Roger Powell. Upon no further nominations a motion to close nominations was made and seconded by David Bereza and Carl Salsedo. Ted Shafer was voted moderator by unanimous voice vote.

The moderator informed the attendees present they could vote their ballots anytime now that the meeting was open. They did not need to stay until the end of the meeting to vote.

Jim Chard made a motion to waive the reading of the text of the ordinances numbers one thru ten since handouts with the complete text were available to all attendees. Powell seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

Call of the meeting was read by Mary-Jane Ugalde, Town Clerk.

Ed Jurkiewicz, Chairman of the Ordinance Committee was introduced and briefly described the work done by this committee over the last two years.

ITEM #1: Agriculture Commission Ordinance

Dick Alden, a member of the Ordinance Committee gave an overview of this ordinance.

Questions and Comments

Ted Nedderman	18 Cider Mill Road
Robert LaMothe	89 Stone Road
Jackie Shadford	149 Nepaug Road
Barbara Pavlik Dahle	100 Spielman Highway
John Hebert	168 Stone Road



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Questions and Comments Continued

Mark Smaldone	48 Main Street
Peter Zurles	110 Vineyard Road
John Stiefel	35 Saw Mill Road
Ed Jurkiewicz	48 Miller Road
George Zurles	32 Ford Road
David Goshdigian	15 Deerfield Trace
Kimberly Cyr	42 Claire Hill Road

ITEM #2: Alarm Systems Ordinance

David Goshdigian, member of the Ordinance Committee gave a brief overview of this ordinance.

Questions and Comments

Tim Tharau	453 Jerome Avenue
John Stiefel	35 Saw Mill Road
Kimberly Cyr	42 Claire Hill Road
George Zurles	32 Ford Road

ITEM #3: Alcoholic Beverages Ordinance

David Goshdigian, member of the Ordinance Committee gave a brief overview of this ordinance.

Questions and Comments

John Parente	39 West Chippen Hill Road
John Stiefel	35 Saw Mill Road
Ed Jurkiewicz	48 Miller Road
Tim Tharau	453 Jerome Avenue
George Zurles	32 Ford Road
Jackie Shadford	149 Nepaug Road
Ann Jurkiewicz	48 Miller Road
Richard Miller	11 Cricket Lane
Barbara Pavlik Dahle	100 Spielman Highway
Peter Zurles	110 Vineyard Road

ITEM #4: Dog Roaming Ordinance

David Goshdigian, a member of the Ordinance Committee gave a brief overview of this ordinance.



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Questions and Comments

Mary Peterson	7 Black Walnut Lane
John Stiefel	35 Saw Mill Road
Ed Jurkiewicz	48 Miller Road
Barbara Pavlik Dahle	100 Spielman Highway

ITEM #5: Drone Ordinance

Ed Jurkiewicz, Chairman of the Ordinance Committee gave a brief overview of this ordinance.

Questions and Comments

John Parente	39 West Chippen Hill Road
John Stiefel	35 Saw Mill Road
Barbara Pavlik Dahle	100 Spielman Highway
George Zurles	32 Ford Road
Ralph Larson	106 Wildcat Road
Peter Zurles	110 Vineyard Road

ITEM #6: An Ordinance Regarding Hawkers/Peddlers within the Town of Burlington

Pat Miller, a member of the Ordinance Committee gave a brief overview of this ordinance.

Questions and Comments

Ted Nedderman	18 Cider Mill Road
Ginger Doherty	52 Case Road
John Stiefel	35 Saw Mill Road
George Zurles	32 Ford Road

ITEM #7: Public Place Ordinance

Mike Vollono, a member of the Ordinance Committee gave a brief overview of this ordinance.

Questions and Comments

Ed Jurkiewicz	48 Miller Road
John Stiefel	35 Saw Mill Road
Ralph Larson	106 Wildcat Road
Richard Miller	11 Cricket Lane
Barbara Pavlik Dahle	100 Spielman Highway
Susan Zurles	32 Ford Road
Peter Zurles	110 Vineyard Road



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ITEM #8: Right to Farm Ordinance

Dick Alden, a member of the Ordinance Committee gave a brief overview of this ordinance.

Questions and Comments

Barbara Pavlik Dahle 100 Spielman Highway
Jackie Shadford 149 Nepaug Road
David Goshdigian 15 Deerfield Trace
Kimberly Cyr 42 Claire Hill Road

ITEM #9: Sidewalk & Hydrant Maintenance

Ginger Doherty, a member of the Ordinance Committee gave a brief overview of this ordinance.

Questions and Comments

John Stiefel 35 Saw Mill Road
Peter Zurles 110 Vineyard Road
George Zurles 32 Ford Road

ITEM #10: An Ordinance Establishing the Distribution of Advertising Matter and Newspapers on Private Property

Mike Vollono, a member of the Ordinance Committee gave a brief overview of this ordinance.

Questions and Comments

Barbara Pavlik Dahle 100 Spielman Highway
Mary-Jane Ugalde 15 South Road

A motion was made and seconded by Chard and Powell to take a temporary recess at 9:35 pm to allow the attendees' time to vote on the ten ordinances discussed. Motion passes by voice vote.

At 9:56 pm the special town meeting came back into session; motioned by Salsedo and Bereza. The motion to resume the meeting passed by voice vote.

The results were read by Donna Rusgrove, Republican Registrar of Voters.



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Results on the Ordinance Voting

	YES	NO
1. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept the Ordinance establishing an Agriculture Commission?"	31	57
2. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept the Ordinance regarding Alarm Systems?"	58	30
3. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept the Ordinance regarding the Use of Alcoholic Beverages on Town Property?"	47	42
4. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept the Ordinance Governing Dogs as amended?"	46	39
5. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept the Ordinance Regulating the Use of Drones?"	57	31
6. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept the amendments to the Ordinance regarding Hawkers/Peddlers within the Town of Burlington?"	71	18
7. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept the Public Place Ordinance?"	48	36
8. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept the Right to Farm Ordinance?"	35	51
9. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept the Ordinance regulating Sidewalk and Hydrant Maintenance?"	61	24
10. "Shall the Town of Burlington accept an Ordinance establishing the Distribution of Advertising Matter and Newspapers on Private Property?"	70	16

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Jim Chard, seconded by Roger Powell. The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary-Jane Ugalde
Town Clerk