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Waban Area Council

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Agenda

March 8, 2018, 7:30pm-9:30pm

Waban Library Center

1. **Ann Berwick**, Co-Director of Sustainability for the City of Newton will give a presentation on **Newton Power Choice**, a municipal aggregation program that will allow Newton residents to buy more renewable power through their utility provider (60 minutes).
2. Approval of February Minutes (5 minutes).
3. Approval of Treasurer's Report (5 minutes).
4. Burning Issues from the Community (10 minutes).
5. Update on proposed medical marijuana dispensary at 1152 Beacon (site of former South Pacific restaurant) – RG (10 minutes).
 - a. Should WAC plan a community forum on the proposal similar to NHAC meeting?
6. Zoning Refrom Update. **Thursday, March 15**, Planning Dept. event - "Building Shape, Size, and Form in Neighborhoods and Village Centers" at 6:30 p.m. at the Newton Free Library – Druker Auditorium, 330 Homer Street. Check out the entire nine-part Zoning Redesign series online and **RSVP** at www.courbanize.com/newtonzoning. (10 minutes).
7. WAC blast email content. Discuss policy regarding content of blast emails. *Note – given we are beginning the evening with a 6:30p.m. special meeting on Beethoven/Allen traffic calming, if our meeting is running long we will hold this issue for future discussion.* (15 minutes).
8. Next Meeting – April 12. CP to present Waban vision survey results.

The location of this meeting is handicap accessible, and reasonable accommodations will be provided to persons requiring assistance. If you need a special accommodation, please contact the city of Newton's ADA Coordinator, Jini Fairley, at least two business days in advance of the meeting: jfairley@newtonma.gov or (617) 796-1253. For Telecommunications Relay Service, please dial 711.