

Newtonville Area Council - Meeting Agenda

September 12, 2019. 7:00 - 9:15 PM

Meeting Location: Rom 211, Newton City Hall

President: Peter Bruce; Vice-President: Tarik Lucas; Secretary: Maura Harrington; Treasurer: Dana D'Agostino; Other members: Marc Kaufman, Colleen Minaker, Susan Reisler, Helene Sroat, Martina Jackson.

7:00-7:05 Review and approval of August minutes

7:05-7:30 **Burning issues:** (Open to the public to raise issues)

- a) Where's Newtonville? Are our boundaries just a state of mind?
- b) A Bank for Washington Place? Newton and the rule of law.
- c) Mark Development's acquisitions behind Whole Foods and its proposed 40B in West Newton.

7:30 - 8:10 **Village Day Planning:** Dana and Maura report on recent progress and develop new ideas.

Discuss and assign future tasks.

8:10 – 8:25 City Council and School Committee debate preparations

- a) Progress report on hosting for all competitive races in Wards1-4 on October 20.
- b) Big Task I: Question generation.
- c) Big Task II: Logistics.

8:25-9:05 Washington Street Visioning: Retrospective on ZAP's September 9 meeting

- a) A vote to endorse the latest Draft Vision?
- b) State of councilors' debate on Draft Vision.
- c) Assessing our presentation.

d) What's next?

9:05-9:15 Remaining business

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