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#### **AGENDA**

Annual Meeting of the Electors of the Third Taxing District of the City of Norwalk, Wednesday, March 6, 2019, at 7:00 p.m., at The Marvin Community Room, 60 Gregory Boulevard, East Norwalk, Connecticut.

- 1. Welcome and call to order
- 2. Introductions
- 3. Reading and acceptance of the Notice of the Annual Meeting
- 4. Election of Annual Meeting Chairman
- 5. Election of Annual Meeting Secretary
- Reading & Acceptance of Annual Meeting Minutes of March 28, 2018
- 7. Industry/Legislative Update, followed by Q&A from the public.
- 8. Report of the operation of the Electric Department for the fiscal year July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018, followed by Q&A from the public.
- 9. Presentation of District Budget, followed by Q&A from the public.
- 10. Authorization to approve the District Budget and transfer funds from the Electric Department to the District account to cover the budget requirements for the fiscal year July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020.
- 11. Public Comment on Topics of Interest on East Norwalk or Third Taxing District
- 12. Adjourn

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#### General Meeting Presentation Outline – Third Taxing District Annual Meeting – March 6, 2019

Item	Presenter	Begin By	Approx. Time (minutes)
Welcome and Call to Order	Johnnie Mae Weldon	7:00 PM	5
2. Introductions	Johnnie Mae Weldon	7:05 PM	5
Reading and Acceptance of the Meeting Notice	Johnnie Mae Weldon	7:10 PM	5
4. Election of a Meeting Chairperson	Johnnie Mae Weldon	7:15 PM	5
(Pause) – Review Procedures with Elected Chairperson		7:20 PM	5
5. Election of a Meeting Secretary	Meeting Chairperson	7:25 PM	5
6. Reading & Acceptance of Annual Meeting Minutes of 3/28/18	Meeting Chairperson	7:30 PM	5
7. Industry/Legislative Update, followed by Q&A	Debora Goldstein	7:35 PM	5
8. Report of the Operation of the Electric Dept. for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018, followed by Q&A	Kevin Barber	7:40 PM	15
Presentation of District Budget, followed by Q&A from Public	Kevin Barber	7:55 PM	15
10. Vote to Approve District Budget & Transfer Funds	Meeting Chairperson	8:10 PM	5
11. Public Comment on topics of Interest on East Norwalk or Third Taxing District	Public	8:15 PM	30
12. Adjourn		8:45 PM	



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#### **NOTICE**

The legal voters of the Third Taxing District of the City of Norwalk are hereby notified and warned that a meeting of said District will be held at The Marvin Community Room, 60 Gregory Boulevard, East Norwalk, Connecticut, on Wednesday March 6, 2019 at 7:00 P.M. for the following purposes:

To receive the financial report of the District for the fiscal year July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018, and the report of the operation of the Electric Department for the fiscal year July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.

To act on the District budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020, including the appropriation of funds to cover the budget requirements of the District for care and use of parks owned by the District, care of the East Norwalk Firehouse, care of the East Norwalk Historical Cemetery, support of the East Norwalk Improvement Association Public Library, and stipends of District Officials for the fiscal year July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020.

To approve the District budget and the transfer of funds from the Electric Department to the Third Taxing District account to cover the budget requirements for the fiscal year July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020.

Ronald Scofield District Clerk February 14, 2019

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# MINUTES OF SPECIAL ANNUAL MEETING OF THE THIRD TAXING DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF NORWALK WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 2018 AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE MARVIN, 60 GREGORY BOULEVARD, E. NORWALK, CT

Attendance: See attached sheet

The meeting was called to order at 7:12 p.m. by Chairman Brown.

Chairman Brown introduced the Commission and staff to the attendees.

Motion was made by Linda Mineo, seconded by Gary Jacobson, to waive the reading and acceptance of the Notice of the Special Annual Meeting. Yes -20, No -0, Abstain -0

Motion was made by Peter Johnson, seconded by Beth Siegelbaum, to nominate David Brown as Annual Meeting Chairperson.

Yes -22; No -0; Abstain -0

Motion was made by Sarah Mann, seconded by Sarah Amato-Mills, to elect Susan Lane as Secretary.

Motion was made by Pamela Parkington, seconded by Johnnie Mae Weldon, to elect Beth Siegelbaum as Secretary.

Susan Lane was named Secretary, with a vote of 15 to 7.

Motion was made by Diane Cece, seconded by Gary Jacobson, to waive the reading and acceptance of the Special Annual Meeting Minutes of 3/8/17. Yes- 24, No - 0, Abstain - 0

Johnnie Mae Weldon, Treasurer, presented the Community Events of the Third Taxing District and Your Community, highlighting the past year's activities.

Commissioner Parkington presented the Community Funding and Assets of the Third Taxing District and Your Community, highlighting and giving their history.

District Commissioners

Johnnie Mae Weldon Debora Goldstein Pamela Parkington 203-216-2652 203-252-7214 203-858-4261 Chairperson Commissioner Commissioner Kevin Barber Ron Scofield 203-866-9271 203-866-9271 General Manager Assistant General Manager Treasurer Commissioner Goldstein presented the Industry/Legislative Update, followed by Q&A from the public.

Mr. Barber, General Manager, presented the financial report of the operation of the Electric Department for the fiscal year July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017, followed by Q&A from the public.

Commissioner Brown presented the District Budget followed by Q&A from the public.

Motion was made by Debora Goldstein, seconded by Linda Mineo, to authorize and approve the District Budget and transfer funds in the amount of \$313,070 from the Electric Department to the District account to cover the budget requirements for the fiscal year July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

Yes -24; No -0; Abstain -0

Motion was made by Commissioner Goldstein, seconded by Peter Johnson, to adjourn. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 8:46 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Cynthia Tenney Recording Secretary

#### **ATTENDANCE SHEET**

#### TTD Ratepayers:

Albertson, Mark W. Amato-Mills, Sarah Marie Anderson, James C. Bauchner, Roberta N. Brown, David L. Cece, Diane M. Chelminski, Julie North Cray, Katherine A. Deacy, John P. Garvey, Michael Gerety, William Joseph Goldstein, Debora Holowinko, Edward M. Jacobson, Gary S. Johnson, Peter M. Lane, Susan E. Langston, Linda P. Mann, Sarah M. Mele, Dawn L. Mineo, Linda M. Mulford, Charles W. Parkington, Pamela Mills Roberts, Robert W. Siegelbaum, Beth M. Toussaint, Kendall R. Weldon, Johnnie Mae

#### Others:

Kevin Barber, General Manager, TTD Ron Scofield, Asst. General Mgr., TTD Cynthia Tenney – TTD Staff Tricia Dennison – TTD Staff Rachel Garcia – TTD Staff Mike Adams – TTD Staff Scott Tracy – TTD Staff Joe Charriot – TTD Staff Matt Allred, TTD Accountant



### Proposed Budget Fiscal Year 2019-2020

## Third Taxing District Proposed Budget – Fiscal Year 2019-2020



	Proposed Budget <u>FY 2019-2020</u>	FY 2018-2019	% Change
DISTRICT REVENUES			
Rental Income – Firehouse Interest	\$44,052 \$325	\$42.769 \$325	3.00% 0.00%
Total District Revenues	\$44,377	\$43,094	2.98%

### Third Taxing District Proposed Budget - Continued



DISTRICT EXPENSES	Proposed Budget		面
District Operations	FY 2019-2020	FY 2018-2019	% Change
Commission Stipend	\$10,500	\$10,500	0.00%
Treasurer Stipend	\$1,800	\$1,800	0.00%
Clerk Stipend	\$1,800	\$1,800	0.00%
Ratepayer Representative Stipend	\$1,800	\$1,800	0.00%
Payroll Tax Expenses	\$1,300	\$1,300	0.00%
District Events			
Holiday Events (Tree Lighting)	\$6,800	\$6,500	4.62%
Summer Concert Series	\$33,000	\$33,000	0.00%
Annual Electors Meeting	\$6,000	\$5,000	20.00%
Maintenance of District Assets			
Parks – Maintenance	\$26,000	\$32,000	(18.75%)
Firehouse Building	\$2,000	\$2,000	0.00%
East Norwalk Library Building	\$8,000	\$8,000	0.00%
East Norwalk Historical Cemetery	\$23,650	\$20,000	18.25%
Other Expenses			
Other District Services	\$10,000	\$8,000	25.00%
Contingencies	\$30,000	\$30,000	0.00%
East Norwalk Improvement Association			
Library – Operations	\$170,000	\$162,900	4.36%
Library - Contingent Matching Funds	\$10,000	\$11,500	(13.04%)
TOTAL DISTRICT EXPENSES	\$342,650	\$336,100	1.95%

### Third Taxing District Proposed Budget - Continued



	Proposed Budget <u>FY 2019-2020</u>	FY 2018-2019	% Change
CAPITAL EXPENDITURES			
Firehouse Building	\$20,000	\$0	%
East Norwalk Library Building	\$6,000	\$5,000	20.00%
East Norwalk Historical Cemetery	\$6,500	\$3,200	103.13%
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	\$32,500	\$8,200	296.34%

### Third Taxing District Proposed Budget - Continued





**District Revenues** 

District Expenses

Net Operating Income (Revenues - Expenses)

Capital Expenditures

#### TOTAL FUNDING REQUIRED

(Expenses + Capital Expenditures - Revenues)

Proposed Budget FY 2019-2020	FY 2018-2019	<u>% Change</u>
\$44,377	\$43,094	2.98%
\$342,650	\$336,100	1.95%
(\$298,273)	(\$295,006)	1.80%
\$32,500	\$8,200	296.34%
\$330,773	\$301,206	9.82%

**Opening District Fund Balance** 

\$58,254 \$3,136

TRANSFER FROM ELECTRIC

\$305,773 \$313,070

**Ending District Fund Balance** 

**\$33,254** \$15,000

Budget Recommended by the Third Taxing District Commission to the Electors on February 11, 2019

(2.33%)

## Questions?