



TOWN COUNCIL – AGENDA REQUEST FORM

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Please submit Agenda Request Form, **including back up information**, 8 days prior to the requested meeting date. **Public Hearing requests must be submitted 20 days prior to requested meeting date to meet publication deadlines** (exceptions may be authorized by the Town Manager, Chairman/Vice Chair).

MEETING INFORMATION

Date Submitted: July 14, 2016

Date of Meeting: August 18, 2016

Submitted by: Sean Sylvester

Department:

Time Required: 10 minutes

Speakers: Sean Sylvester

Background Info. Supplied: Yes: No:

CATEGORY OF BUSINESS (PLEASE PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX)

Appointment:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Recognition/Resignation/Retirement:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Public Hearing:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Old Business:	<input type="checkbox"/>
New Business:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Consent Agenda:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nonpublic:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:	<input type="checkbox"/>

TITLE OF ITEM

Town Flag Discussion

DESCRIPTION OF ITEM

The Town Council to be presented with a proposal for a Town flag and its design and meaning.

REFERENCE (IF KNOWN)

RSA:	Warrant Article:	_____
Charter Article:	Town Meeting:	_____
Other:	N/A	

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED (PLEASE PLACE AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX)

Projector:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Grant Requirements:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Easel:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Joint Meeting:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Special Seating:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Laptop:	<input type="checkbox"/>	None:	<input type="checkbox"/>

CONTACT INFORMATION

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APPROVAL

Town Manager: Yes No: Chair/Vice Chair: Yes No:

Hold for Meeting Date: _____

From: Sean Sylvester [<mailto:sean.sylvester1@gmail.com>]
Sent: Thursday, July 14, 2016 7:01 PM
To: Matthew Casparius
Subject: Town Flag

It has recently occurred to me that Merrimack does not have a town flag. We as citizens have an identity, but there is no way for us to show this to visitors. When people come here, they ought to have a means of remembering us, a means of knowing when they are in Merrimack. If you want people to know we're a close-knit community, then show it by standing behind a symbol of our pride. Attached is my submission for a town flag. The design follows the [North American Vexillological Association's criterion for flag design](#). A simple palette of only three colors; gold, blue, and green. The golden border signifies our early beginnings, blue is the Merrimack and Souhegan, and green is for the groves of trees that cover our town.

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-Sean Sylvester

