



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 17, 2020
Submitted by: Robert Bergin
Department:
Speakers:

Date of Meeting: July 23, 2020
Time Required: 5 minutes
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

"The Longest Day" 2020 Proclamation / 5th Annual NH Hot Dogz

DESCRIPTION OF ITEM

The Town Council to issue a proclamation designating August 6, 2020, as "The Longest Day" to promote the efforts of raising funds and awareness for the care and support of those facing Alzheimer's disease.

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"/>
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Special Seating:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Laptop:	<input type="checkbox"/>	None:	<input type="checkbox"/>

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Phone Number	_____	Email Address	<u>oldbergin@gmail.com</u>

APPROVAL

Town Manager:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>	Chair/Vice Chair:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
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**Town of Merrimack
Town Council**

Proclamation

**National Alzheimer's Longest Day
The Longest Day - August 6, 2020**

WHEREAS, Alzheimer's disease, a progressive degenerative brain disease and the most common form of dementia, that tragically robs individuals of their memories and leads to progressive mental and physical impairments; and

WHEREAS, There are no known treatments to prevent, cure, or even delay the onset or slow the progression of Alzheimer's disease; and

WHEREAS, Every 65 seconds someone in the United States develops Alzheimer's disease with the disease being the 6th leading cause of death in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Between 2000 and 2018 deaths from heart disease have decreased 7.8% while deaths from Alzheimer's disease have increased 146%; and

WHEREAS, More than 5 million Americans are living with Alzheimer's and by 2050, this number is projected to rise to nearly 14 million; and

WHEREAS, With early detection and diagnosis, individuals and their families can gain access to medications and management strategies that may temporarily improve symptoms; and

WHEREAS, There is a need to raise awareness about Alzheimer's disease and to honor all of the caregivers who support and care for loved ones with the disease.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Town Council of the Town of Merrimack, hereby proclaim August 6, 2020, as "**THE LONGEST DAY**" in Merrimack and stand in support of the 5th Annual NH Hot Dogz stand fundraising event taking place on August 6th in the Our Lady of Mercy Church parking lot.

Dated this 23rd day of July 2020.

Thomas P. Koenig, Chairman

William W. Boyd, III, Vice Chair

Lon Woods, Councilor

Nancy M. Harrington, III, Councilor

Barbara Healey, Councilor

Peter Albert, Councilor

Finlay C. Rothhaus, Councilor