



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: August 24, 2020
Submitted by: Town Moderator Lynn Christensen
Department:
Speakers: Lynn Christensen

Date of Meeting: August 27, 2020
Time Required: 20 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

State Primary Election Discussion

DESCRIPTION OF ITEM

The Town Moderator to discuss the process and rules for the upcoming State Primary Election scheduled for Tuesday, September 8, 2020.

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

Name: Lynn Christensen Address _____
Phone Number _____ Email Address _____

APPROVAL

Town Manager: Yes No: Chair/Vice Chair: Yes No:
Hold for Meeting Date: _____

Becky Thompson

Subject: FW: election update

From: [lynn christensen](#)

Sent: Friday, August 21, 2020 10:36 AM

To: [Town Council](#); [Eileen Cabanel](#); [Paul Micali](#)

Subject: election update

There are a lot of questions and rumors flying around.

Probably a good idea to clarify the process at the polls.

I am requiring anyone entering the polls to wear a mask

This includes elections workers, town councilors, volunteers,
party challengers, observers, and voters.

If an election worker/Town councilor does not want to wear one

then I expect that person to designate someone to replace them

If a voter doesn't want/cant wear one then they will be directed to a location
where they can vote outside.

If a person wants to register and will not/can't wear a mask they will also be directed
to a different location, also outside.

I am asking you all to man the entry to help with this effort. I will have staff there
as well to assist. If there are issues with anyone refusing, the moderators
will handle.

I am having a small tent set up outside to accomplish this. The tent will be by the exit
door at JMUES & MMS. It will be at the back door (not the exit) at SJN.

It will have a table, chairs and voting screen. When a voter comes there, a moderator

will ask for their ID, go in, check them off on the list, and deliver the ballot to them. They will wait while they mark the ballot and when done take the ballot inside and place it in the machine. They will have a privacy envelope to use, and the voter will be able to look in the door and confirm that the ballot is, in fact, placed in the machine.

Similar process will handle people who want to register. They will go to the table, and a Supervisor of the Checklist will come out to them to register them. Once registered a moderator will provide the ballot for them to mark there and take it back inside to place in the machine.

This has all been vetted by the state.

I am not expecting many, but there will always be some who object on principal and they will have the choice.

People can also turn in absentee ballots at the polls. We will collect them at the door and they will be turned over to the Town clerk for processing. IF it the voter, noting needs to be done. if it is a family member, caregiver, etc. we will need then to show an ID and fill out a form.

let me know if you have questions on this or anything else