

TOWN OF BRIDGTON
ORDINANCE REVIEW COMMITTEE ~ SEPTEMBER 23, 2020 MEETING MINUTES:

- Meeting called to order at 6:20pm.
- Pledge of Allegiance
- **Attendance:** Len Rudin (Chair); Deb Brusini (Vice Chair); Samantha Zawistowski (Secretary); Mary Tworog; Kevin Raday
- **Absent:** Lee Eastman (Board of Selectman Liaison); Glen Garland
- **Elect Officers:** Len Rudin (Chair), Kevin Raday (Vice Chair), Samantha Zawistowski (Secretary)
- Upcoming Ordinances not in our purview
 - Military Exemption: Finance Committee
 - Cost Recovery Ordinance: Recycling Committee
- Workshop with Board of Selectmen
 - Statement of purpose
 - i. We are an advisory committee presenting suggestions. We will proceed to answer questions about our suggestions and welcome the feedback from the Select Board to embrace/adjust/reject these suggestions.
 - Fireworks
 - i. Change of hours: everybody deserves privacy and peace and quiet, respect school and work hours
 - ii. Within 150ft of a structure (change to 100, exempt docks)
 - iii. Article V. issued to the property owner or perpetrator? Shall or may?
 - Nudity
 - i. Concerns about right to expression, civil liberties, reference MMA advice on nudity ordinances – covered in the ordinance
 - ii. Primary changes clarified Authority, Administration, Enforcement, and definitions particularly Explicit Body Parts
 - Disorderly House/
 - i. Select Board – Board of Selectmen – BoS?
 - ii. Definitions used to clarify and simplify throughout the Ordinance: Residential Property, Disorderly House, Disorderly Event
 - iii. 60 to 90 days, more stringent but still allows for 8 or more Disorderly Events within a year without being dec
- Deb passed out list of statutes that reference statutes important to the Dog Control Ordinance

ACTION ITEMS:

- **LEN:** Talk to Lee about best approach and recommendations, Disorderly House Ordinance fwd-ed to Police Chief,
- **DEB:** Talk to the Naples Chair of ORC, Review and edit Ordinance Summaries, check status of proposed state laws pertaining to Consumer Fireworks, review old Fireworks Ordinance Summaries to update for Oct 13th workshop
- **SAMANTHA:** Send updated redlined Ordinances to Committee and Ordinance Summaries, CC Lee Eastman, Linda LaCroix, Nikki Hamlin
- **KEVIN:** FWD email about MMA from Georgianne

NEXT MEETING: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21ST @ 6:15PM
MEETING ADJOURNED @ 7:45pm

Sincerely, Samantha Zawistowski

Love always,
BRIDGTON
MAINE