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CITY COUNCIL STANDING COMMITTEE

Ordinances & Administration

Monday, December 17, 2012 – 6:00 p.m.
1st Fl. Council Conference Rm. – City Hall

AGENDA

(Items May be taken out of order at the discretion of the Committee)

1. *CC2012-068 (LeBlanc) Amend GCO Sec. 22-287 “Disabled veteran, handicapped parking” & Sec. 22-274 “Two-hour Parking” re: Washington Street #133(TBC 01/14/13)*
2. *CC2012-069 (Whynott) Amend GCO by Adding new Sec. 2-28 in Chapter 2 “Administration” Article II “City Council” entitled “City Schedule of Fees Approved by City Council”*
3. *CC2012-070 (Whynott) Amend GCO Chapter 8, Article I, “In General” Sec. 8-1 re: License for storing inflammables: fees” subsection (c)*
4. *CC2012-012-071 (Whynott/Hardy) Amend GCO Chapter 4, Article II “Dogs” Sec. 4-22 “Fees and penalties” subsection (a) re: Dog License Fees*

COMMITTEE

Councilor Sefatia Theken, Chair
Councilor Robert Whynott, Vice Chair
Councilor Steve LeBlanc, Jr.

Committee members – Please bring relevant documentation

Back-up and Supporting Documentation all on file at the City Clerk’s Office, City Hall

CC: Mayor Carolyn Kirk
Jim Duggan
Linda T. Lowe

The listing of matters is those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.



**CITY OF GLOUCESTER 2012
CITY COUNCIL ORDER**

ORDER: CC#2012-062
COUNCILLOR: Greg Verga

DATE RECEIVED BY COUNCIL: 11/13/12
REFERRED TO: O&A
FOR COUNCIL VOTE:

ORDERED that the City Council review Gloucester Code of Ordinances, Chapter 6, Section 6-21 to 6-24 concerning the "City-Owned Cemeteries Advisory Committee" in order to strengthen and update said ordinance and further to work to reactivate this Committee so it may execute or assist in accomplishing important tasks concerning City owned cemeteries; and further

ORDERED that this matter be referred to the Ordinances and Administration Committee.

Greg Verga
Ward 5 Councillor

Gloucester, Massachusetts, Code of Ordinances >> PART II - CODE OF ORDINANCES >> Chapter 6 -
CEMETERIES >> ARTICLE II. - CITY-OWNED CEMETERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE >>

ARTICLE II. - CITY-OWNED CEMETERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE 137

Sec. 6-21. - Established.

Sec. 6-22. - Composition; appointment, terms of members.

Sec. 6-23. - Powers and duties.

Sec. 6-24. - Regulations.

Sec. 6-21. - Established.

There is hereby established a city-owned cemeteries advisory committee.

(Ord. No. 34-1992, 11-17-1992)

Sec. 6-22. - Composition; appointment, terms of members.

The city-owned cemeteries advisory committee shall consist of five members, all of whom shall be residents of the city, and two nonvoting advisory members, who are engaged in either the funeral, florist, or monument business, all of whom shall be appointed by the mayor, subject to the approval of the city council to staggered terms of three years. The committee shall choose a chairperson and a clerk who may be a member of the committee.

(Ord. No. 34-1992, 11-17-1992)

Sec. 6-23. - Powers and duties.

The city-owned cemeteries committee shall have the oversight of the budget relative to the management and maintenance of all city-owned cemeteries in the city, with the approval of the mayor and city council. The city-owned cemeteries committee shall advocate for the well-being of all city-owned cemeteries. The committee shall set the rates for sale of perpetual care of city-owned cemetery lots subject to the approval of the mayor and city council.

(Ord. No. 34-1992, 11-17-1992)

Sec. 6-24. - Regulations.

The city-owned cemeteries advisory committee may propose regulations relevant to the management of city-owned cemeteries subject to the approval of the mayor and adoption by the city council.

(Ord. No. 34-1992, 11-17-1992)

Editor's note—

Ord. No. 11-1994, adopted August 9, 1994, revised the cemetery rules and regulations as follows:

- (1) The height of memorials and monuments at all cemeteries, including West Gloucester

(Lincoln Street) as it is presently known, is restricted to three feet; and (2) all memorials and monuments shall have poured foundations.

FOOTNOTE(S):

Editor's note-- Ord. No. 34-1992, adopted November 17, 1992, provided for the addition of article II, §§ 6-5--6-4. In keeping with the format of this Code, these sections have been redesignated as §§ 6-21--6-24, as herein set out at the discretion of the editor. [Back](#)



**CITY OF GLOUCESTER 2012
CITY COUNCIL ORDER**

ORDER: CC#2012-068
COUNCILLOR: Steve LeBlanc

DATE RECEIVED BY COUNCIL: 12/11/12
REFERRED TO: O&A & TC
FOR COUNCIL VOTE:

ORDERED that the GCO Sec. 22-287 “Disabled veteran, handicapped parking” be amended by **DELETING** 133 Washington Street (in front of the Azorean Restaurant) one space on the easterly side, beginning at a point 65 feet in a southerly direction from pole #27-1, for a distance of 20 feet (one space), and by **ADDING** a space on Washington Street, easterly side, from a point 173 feet from Railroad Avenue for a distance of 22’ in a northerly direction; and further

ORDERED that the GCO Sec. 22-274 “Two-hour parking” be amended by **DELETING** Azorean lot, after the current entrance, and beginning ten feet from pole #27-1, in a southerly direction, on the easterly side, for a distance of 65 feet (approximately three spaces), and by **ADDING** Washington Street from its intersection with Railroad Avenue, easterly side, in a northerly direction for a distance of 173 feet and from a point 195 feet, easterly side, in a northerly direction, a distance of 105 feet to the MBTA train tracks; and further

ORDERED that this matter be referred to the Ordinances and Administration Committee and the Traffic Commission for review and recommendation.

Steve LeBlanc
Ward 3 Councillor



**CITY OF GLOUCESTER 2012
CITY COUNCIL ORDER**

ORDER: CC#2012-069
COUNCILLOR: Bob Whynott

DATE RECEIVED BY COUNCIL: 12/11/12
REFERRED TO: O&A
FOR COUNCIL VOTE:

ORDERED that the Gloucester Code of Ordinances be amended by **ADDING** a new section 2-28 in Chapter 2 "Administration", Article II "City Council", to be entitled "City Schedule of Fees Approved by City Council" and to read as follows:

"All fees contained in the City Schedule of Fees are hereby established and authorized said fees may be modified from time to time by vote of the City Council unless the fees are governed or controlled by M.G.L. The Schedule shall be posted on the City website and published in a local newspaper whenever fee changes or new fees are approved by the City Council"; and further

ORDERED that this matter be referred to the Ordinances and Administration Committee for review and recommendation.

Bob Whynott
Councillor at Large



**CITY OF GLOUCESTER 2012
CITY COUNCIL ORDER**

ORDER: CC#2012-070
COUNCILLOR: Bob Whynott

DATE RECEIVED BY COUNCIL: 12/11/12
REFERRED TO: O&A & B&F
FOR COUNCIL VOTE:

ORDERED that the Gloucester Code of Ordinances Chapter 8, Article I "In General", Sec. 8-1 "License for storing inflammables; fees" subsection (c) be amended by **DELETING** "The annual fee for renewal of certificate of registration shall be \$25.00" and by **ADDING** "The annual fee for renewal of certificate of registration shall be \$100.00"; and further

ORDERED that this matter be referred to the Ordinance and Administration Committee and the Budget and Finance Committee for review and recommendation.

Bob Whynott
Councillor at Large



**CITY OF GLOUCESTER 2012
CITY COUNCIL ORDER**

ORDER: CC#2012-071
COUNCILLOR: Bob Whynott/Jackie Hardy

DATE RECEIVED BY COUNCIL: 12/11/12
REFERRED TO: O&A & B&F
FOR COUNCIL VOTE:

ORDERED that the Gloucester Code of Ordinances Chapter 4, Article II "Dogs" Sec. 4-22 "Fees and penalties" subsection (a) be amended by **DELETING** "Revised fees for dog licenses, effective July 1, 2002. Male/female/neutered/spayed, each dog: \$22.50"; and by **ADDING** "Revised fees for dog licenses, effective beginning 2013 Licenses. Male/female/neutered/spayed, each dog: \$15.00"; and further

ORDERED that this matter be referred to the Ordinance and Administration Committee and the Budget and Finance Committee for review and recommendation.

Bob Whynott
Councillor at Large

Jackie Hardy
Ward 4 Councillor