



CITY COUNCIL

City Clerk's Office 9/11/2020 12:00:00 PM

Special Meeting Agenda~

I hereby notify you that the following items of business have been filed with this office and can be acted upon at the meeting of the City Council **Wednesday September 16, 2020** at 06:30 PM.

City Clerk

COVID-19 Advisory:

In order to enable municipal government to continue its important work during the COVID-19 pandemic, and to ensure that elected officials can satisfy CDC social distancing guidelines to avoid exposure to contagions, the City of Springfield is providing public notice that it will conduct this meeting utilizing remote collaboration technology in accord with Governor Baker's Order concerning the Open Meeting Law. FOCUS Springfield Community TV will continue to broadcast meetings utilizing the technology listed below.

There are three (3) methods for City residents to be present during the meeting or, in the alternative, watch the meeting at a later date:

1. Viewers used to watching "live" or "on-demand" recordings via Livestream will continue to watch meetings using the same link: <https://livestream.com/focusspringfield/citycouncil>
2. Viewers used to watching "live" or recordings played back on Springfield's Comcast Channel 17 will continue to watch meetings on the same channel, and it is repeatedly aired several times a week until the next meeting
3. At any point, City Council meetings can be viewed at the FOCUS Springfield website <http://focusspringfield.com/>

Call to Order

6:30 PM Meeting called to order on September 16, 2020 at Utilizing Remote Collaboration Technology, (Online), Springfield, MA.

Open Session

The Council will begin the meeting in Open Session and will not return to Open Session.

Executive Session

The Council will enter executive session to discuss strategy with respect to litigating position. It has been declared that conducting the discussion in an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of the public body. The Council will not reconvene in open session.