

**Glocester Town Council Meeting
Town Hall, 1145 Putnam Pike, Chepachet
February 5, 2026 @ 7:30 p.m.**

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- I. Call to Order
 - II. Roll Call
 - III. Pledge of Allegiance
 - IV. Open Forum - For Agenda Items
 - V. Public Hearings
 - A. Gloucester Code of Ordinance -
 - 1. Proposed Amendment to Code –Discussion and/or Action
**Opened on December 4, 2025 continued to January 15, 2026;
continued to this date.**
 - a. Replace existing Chapter #191 Itinerant or Temporary Vendors
With: 1. **Chapter # 198 Itinerant or Temporary Vendors**
(text includes Hawkers and Peddlers only)
AND
2. **Chapter #206 Mobile Food Establishments**
(text includes MFE's only)
- VI. Resolution – Discussion and/or Action
 - A. Resolution #2026-01- To Request a Study by the State Traffic Commission regarding safety concerns at the crosswalk in the center of Chepachet Village
- VII. Consent Items- Discussion and/or Action
 - A. Approval of Town Council Minutes: Regular meeting of January 15, 2026
- VIII. Unfinished Business- Discussion and/or Action
 - A. Boards and Commissions
 - 1. Appointments- Discussion and/or Action
 - a. Budget Board
 - 1. Position # 3- unexpired term to expire 12/31/2028
 - B. Personnel- Discussion and/or Action
 - 1. Tax Assessor Appointment- 2 year term to expire 12/31/2027

IX .New Business

A. Bds. and Commissions

1. Resignation - Discussion and/or Action
 - a. Home Rule Charter
 1. Position #2, One unexpired term to expire 06/30/2026
 2. Position #4, One unexpired term to expire 06/30/2026
2. Appointments - Discussion and/or Action
 - a. Home Rule Charter
 1. Position # 2, One unexpired term to expire 06/30/2026
 2. Position # 4, One unexpired term to expire 06/30/2026

B. Personnel

1. Retirement compensation package: Chief of Police- Discussion and/or Action
2. Determine the process for hiring a new Chief of Police- Discussion and/or Action
3. Resignation- Discussion and/or Action
 - a. GIS Technician
4. Authorization to seek to fill position – GIS Technician- Discussion and/or Action

C. Discussion and/or Action regarding the removal of the jersey barriers at the Kent Pavilion

X. Legislative Updates - Discussion and/or Action

XI. Town Council Correspondence/ Discussion

XII. Department Head Reports/Discussion

XIII. Bds. and Commissions Reports/ Discussion

XIV. Open Forum

XV. Seek to Convene to Closed Executive Session Pursuant to:

A. Seek to Convene to Closed Executive Session Pursuant to:

DISCUSSION BY COUNCIL, VOTE OR OTHER ACTION RE:

1. RIGL 42-46-5(A)(1) Any discussions of the job performance, character, etc.;
 - a. One Personnel Session (Employee notified)
2. RIGL 42-46-5(A)(2) Sessions pertaining to collective bargaining, litigation or work sessions pertaining to potential litigation:
 - a. Negotiations for successor union contracts (Police & Dispatcher Unions)
 - b. Potential Litigation

XVI. Reconvene Open Session - Disclosure of votes taken in Executive Session & Consideration of the Sealing of Minutes - Discussion and/or Action

XVII. Adjourn

