## Cape Elizabeth Town Council Workshop October 1, 2012 7:00 p.m. William H. Jordan Conference Room Town Hall

- 1. Annual Meeting with Auditors to Review June 30, 2012 <u>Financial Statements</u> and <u>A-133 Report</u>
- 2. Review of First Quarter of FY 2013

Each <u>month</u>, the town council <u>receives</u> copies of the expenditures to date report and the revenues to date report, more formally known as the appropriation control report and the revenue control report. Each <u>quarter</u>, either in a town council workshop or in a finance committee meeting, the town council <u>reviews and discusses</u> the results of the most recent quarter. Link to <u>Report as of September 25, 2012</u>

- 3. <u>Update</u> on Capital Improvement Planning Process
- 4. Confirm Date of Annual Town Council Caucus

The town council should confirm the date after the election at which the council will caucus to organize for 2013.

## **Public Participation at Town Council Meetings**

After an item has been introduced, any person wishing to address the council shall signify a desire to speak by raising their hand or by approaching the lectern. When recognized by the chairman, the speaker shall give his or her name and address or name and local affiliation, if the affiliation is relevant, prior to making other comments. All remarks should be addressed to the Town Council. Comments shall be limited to three minutes per person; however, the time may be extended by majority vote of councilors present. For agenda items that are not formally advertised public hearings, the time for public comments is limited to 15 minutes per agenda item. This time may be extended by a majority of the Town Council. The chairman may decline to recognize any person who has already spoken on the same agenda item and may call on speakers in a manner so as to balance debate. Once the Council has begun its deliberations on an item, no person shall be permitted to address the Council on such item.

Speaking at the meeting on topics not on the agenda at regular Council meetings
Persons wishing to address the Council on an issue or concern local in nature not
appearing on the agenda may do so at a regular Town Council meeting before the town
manager's report and/or after the disposition of all items appearing on the agenda. Any
person wishing to address the Council shall signify a desire to speak by raising their hand
or by approaching the lectern. When recognized by the chairman, the speaker shall give

his or her name and address or name and local affiliation if the local affiliation Council. Comments in each comment period shall be limited to three minutes per person and 15 minutes total; however, the time may be extended by majority vote of councilors present.

## Decorum

Persons present at Council meetings shall not applaud or otherwise express approval or disapproval of any statements made or actions taken at such meeting. Persons at Council meetings may only address the Town Council after being recognized by the chairman.