

Cape Elizabeth Town Council

2020 Organizational Caucus Agenda

Thursday, November 14, 2019 7:00 p.m.

Town Hall - Jordan Conference Room

James M. "Jamie" Garvin, Chairman Valerie A. Adams Valerie J. Deveraux Jeremy A. Gabrielson Caitlin R. Jordan Penelope A. Jordan Christopher M. Straw

Participation at Meetings and Conduct of Meetings

Workshop Meetings

The purpose of a workshop meeting is primarily for council dialogue involving reports and proposals from council members, committees and staff that may be considered at later Town Council meetings. The Town Council may give guidance to the chairman and to staff at workshop meetings but no decisions may be made that require formal votes. Not withstanding the prior sentence, the Town Council may vote on procedural motions at a workshop meeting to determine a conflict of interest, to enter into executive session and to adjourn. Prior to Town Council discussion on any item, members of the public may speak on each agenda item for not more than three minutes each and up to a total of 15 minutes. If there are more speakers than the time available, the chairman may allocate the speaking time in order to balance the debate. The public participation portion shall conclude when the Town Council begins its discussions.

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.

Opportunity for Public Comment (Limited to 15 minutes; 3 minutes per person. Time may be extended by a majority of the town council.)

1. The 2020 Town Council will convene for the following:

- Organizational <u>Caucus</u>
- Schedule Orientation of New Council Members
- Review of 2020 Meeting Calendar
- Review of FY 2021 <u>Budget</u> Review Schedule

Adjournment