

# MASHPEE WAMPANOAG TRIBE REGULAR TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING

Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe Community/Government Center
Tribal Council Chambers – 483 Great Neck Rd S – Mashpee, MA 02649
Wednesday, September 27, 2023-5:30p.m.-8:30p.m.
Also available via Zoom
(Approved 10/11/2023)

### Call to Order

Vice Chairman Carlton Hendricks called to order the Regular Mashpee Wampanoag Tribal Council Meeting on Wednesday, September 27, 2023 at 5:37p.m.

Regular session began at 5:37p.m.

Entered into executive session at 6:39p.m.

Exited executive session at 8:05p.m.

Regular session adjourned at 8:16p.m.

### **Members in Attendance**

Vice Chairman Carlton Hendricks, Jr., Secretary Cassie Jackson, Treasurer Charles Foster-via zoom, Chief Earl Mills, Jr., Councilman Domingo Tiexeira, Councilman David Weeden, Councilwoman Nitana

Greendeer(5:45p.m.), Councilwoman Roxanne Brown, Councilwoman Winona Pocknett, Councilwoman Rita Gonsalves-via zoom, Councilman Nelson Andrews, Jr.-via zoom

Excused Absence: Chairman Brian Weeden, Medicine Man Earl Cash, Jr.

Guests: Attorney Salguero, Jeff Loeb, Heather Sibisson, Matt Ladwig-SNEP, Jack Spespanski-SNEP, Daryl Frye, Rachel Pachter-Vineyard Offshore, Jacob Miller-Vineyard Offshore, Jim Erenzo-Collective Strategies, Justin Tarbell-St. Regis Mohak Tribe

### **Opening Prayer**

Chief Mills

#### Commencement

Motion made by Chief Mills 2<sup>nd</sup> by Councilman Weeden to commence the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribal Council Regular meeting at 483 Great Neck Road South, Mashpee, MA 02649 also via zoom on Wednesday, September 27, 2023 at 5:37p.m.

All those in favor: Unanimous by all present All those not voting: Councilwoman Pocknett

All those not present: Councilwoman Greendeer, Councilman Andrews

Motion passed

### **Approval of Agenda**

Motion made by Councilman Weeden 2<sup>nd</sup> by Secretary Jackson to accept and approve the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribal Council Regular Meeting agenda of September 27, 2023 with edits.

All those in favor: Unanimous by all present

All those not present: Councilwoman Greendeer, Councilman Andrews

Motion passed.

## **Approval of Meeting Minutes**

Motion made by Councilwoman Pocknett 2<sup>nd</sup> by Councilman Weeden to accept and approve the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribal Council Regular meeting minutes of Wednesday, September 20, 2023 with edits.

All those in favor: Councilwoman Pocknett, Secretary Jackson, Chief Mills, Councilman Tiexeira, Councilman

Weeden, Councilwoman Brown

All those abstained: Councilwoman Gonsalves, Treasurer Foster

All those not present: Councilwoman Greendeer, Councilman Andrews

Motion passed.

# **Appointments and Resignations**

None

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Councilwoman Roxanne Brown

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

Emergency Votes/Ratifications

None

Meeting Dates

None

### **NEW BUSINESS**

SNEP Status Update

Discussed.

Offshore Wind Update

Discussed.

### **EXCUTIVE SESSION**

Motion made by Chief Mills 2<sup>nd</sup> by Councilman Tiexeira to enter into executive session at 6:39p.m.

All those in favor: Unanimous by all present All those not present: Councilman Weeden

Motion passed.

# Legal Update

Discussed.

### Litigation Update

Discussed.

### **Economic Development**

Discussed.

Exit Executive session at 8:05p.m.

### Adjournment

Motion made by Councilwoman Greendeer 2<sup>nd</sup> by Secretary Jackson to adjourn the meeting at 8:16p.m. All those in favor: Unanimous by all present.

Motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted,

# Cassie D. Jackson

**MWTC Secretary**