

# BARRE TOWN PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

The Town of Barre Planning Commission will hold a meeting on Wednesday, February 15, 2023, beginning at **7:00** p.m. at the **Municipal Building**, 149 Websterville Road, Lower Websterville, to consider the following:

**A. CALL TO ORDER – 7:00 P.M.**

**B. CHANGES TO THE PUBLISHED AGENDA?**

**C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- 1) January 18, 2023

**D. NON-AGENDA ITEMS (PUBLIC COMMENT)**

**E. NEW BUSINESS**

Receive guests: Senators Ann Cummings, Anne Watson and Andrew Perchlik to discuss H.68 Bill introduced in legislation that significantly alters enabling zoning laws which will limit municipalities existing authority to regulate (via zoning) residential uses.

**F. LEGISLATIVE UPDATE AND BILL REVIEW**

- 1) Review H.68 – A bill proposes to alter zoning bylaws
  - a) VLCT's Response to H.68
- 2) Review H.74 – A bill proposes to change State's greenhouse gas reduction requirements to goals and repeal the Vermont Climate Council.
- 3) Review H.95 - A bill that proposes to amend the Municipal Energy Resilience Grant Program.
- 4) Review H.96 - A bill proposes to establish Clean Heat Standards to reduce Vermont's greenhouse gas emissions.

**G. OLD BUSINESS**

- 1) Continue discussion about the possible formation of an Energy Committee
- 2) Continue discussion about whether to pursue village center designation.

**H. FOLLOW-UP**

- 1) Central Vermont Regional Planning Commission report

**I. ROUND TABLE**

- 1) VLCT's weekly legislative update

**J. ADJOURN**

**This meeting will offer a tele and video conference option. To attend by teleconference, call 802-505-6632 and use meeting code 861996227#. To join by video conference, [Click here](#) or go to [barretown.org](http://barretown.org) and find the link on the Planning Commission page.**

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