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Notice of Public Informational Hearing
Beverly Community Preservation Committee

Pursuant to Article VII Section 7.49 of the Beverly City Ordinances, notice is hereby given that the Beverly Community Preservation Committee (CPC) will hold a public informational hearing on Thursday February 4, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at Beverly City Hall, 3rd Floor Council Chamber, 191 Cabot Street, Beverly, MA 01915. In case of inclement weather, the meeting will be held on Thursday February 11, 2016, same time and location. Meeting cancellation will be posted with the City Clerk and on the CPC's website at <http://www.beverlyma.gov/boards-commissions/community-preservation-committee> by 1:00 p.m. on the meeting day.

The hearing will give residents and members of the Beverly community an opportunity to provide input as to the needs, possibilities and resources of the City regarding community preservation, including consideration of regional projects. This is an opportunity to share ideas as to possible projects involving open space, historic preservation, community housing and recreation.

The CPC has been working on drafting a Community Preservation Plan for Beverly and would like to take some time at the hearing to present the Plan as drafted thus far. The Plan is being created through broad outreach and work by the CPC members and other City staff. It will incorporate guiding principles from City planning documents such as the Master Plan and Open Space & Recreation Plan, as well as input and recommendations from the Historic District Commission, Conservation Commission and community housing stakeholders. In addition, the CPC will continue to make an ongoing effort to engage with and gather input from other interest groups, including City officials, non-governmental organizations and general citizenry. The Plan is meant to capture Beverly's current community preservation needs and goals in the CPA target categories. The Plan will provide a central source for those interested in the process by which the CPC solicits, receives and reviews project applications against project eligibility and selection criteria, and how the CPC makes project funding recommendations to the City Council. This Plan will be revisited annually to ensure it reflects changes in community preservation needs, possibilities, resources and goals.

For more information on Community Preservation in Beverly, please visit the CPC's website at <http://www.beverlyma.gov/boards-commissions/community-preservation-committee>

Your participation is welcome, encouraged and appreciated!

Wendy Pearl, Chairperson
Community Preservation Committee

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