

**A JOINT GENERAL GOVERNMENT SUBCOMMITTEE /  
TOWN COUNCIL MEETING  
MONDAY, AUGUST 30, 2021 – 6:00 PM  
VETERANS ROOM**

**AGENDA**

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**1. Roll Call.** General Government Subcommittee Members: General Government Chair, J. Ryan, Councilor G. Steeves, Citizen Member Martena Shea.

**2. Review the application and resume of Sharon Ashleigh, CMMT (Certified Massachusetts Municipal Treasurer) for the position of Treasurer/Collector for the Town of Southbridge for a 3-year term effective September 20, 2021 through September 20, 2024. Entertain a motion to vote to recommend to Council for confirmation.** A motion was made by Ms. Shea, seconded by Councilor Steeves to vote on this item. Town Manager McCall spoke highly of Ms. Ashleigh who he is recommending to fill the Treasurer position since Ms. Zawadzki is leaving to pursue a position closer to her home. Ms. Ashleigh has eight years of relevant experience and was an Assistant Treasurer for the last five years, which means she would transition into this role with ease. Ms. Ashleigh introduced herself and looks forward to this opportunity. There were questions regarding her lack of college degree, but she explained that she has taken all required courses to be certified as a Town Treasurer, which is what she has been successfully working towards. She is on the path to also become a certified collector, which is very important for this position. Vote by show of hands, by 3-0 the motion carries.

**3. Adjourn.** A motion was made by Councilor Steeves, seconded by Ms. Shea to vote on this item. Vote by show of hands, by 3-0 the motion carries.

**The meeting adjourned at 6:08 PM**

Respectfully submitted,  
Mary Darling  
Recording Clerk