

Town of Upper Marlboro

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MEMORANDUM

To: Board of Town Commissioners

From: Kyle Snyder, Town Administrator & John Hoatson, Town Clerk

Date: Tuesday, May 8, 2023

Re: Town Codification Review & Approval Timeline

Commissioners,

As you are aware, Town Clerk Hoatson has been working with the firm Municode/CivicPlus to take all the individual Town Ordinances and merge them together into one comprehensive Town Code of Ordinances. Commissioners were emailed the proofs on 5/2, and hard copies were placed in your Town Hall mailboxes for the new Code. The firm has agreed to extend the initial approval deadline of the proofs until July 28, 2023, for the final approval to allow for maximum public comment and input for the new commissioner. Clerk Hoatson is also providing them with the more recent Ordinances passed to be included.

Below is a proposed timeline for approval of the new Code of Ordinances. The final Town of Upper Marlboro Code will need to be formally adopted and passed by Ordinance at a Regular Town Meeting.

Proposed Timeline:

May Work Session- Board Discussion May Town Meeting- Introduction/Public Comment May Work Session- Board Discussion June Special Town Meeting- Public Comment July Work Session- Board Discussion July Town Meeting- Vote/Passage

Due to the size of the code (184 pages) staff was unwilling to place it the packet but were discussing creating a portal on the Town website for residents to read/download the draft code book and provide comments.