## CITY OF NEWPORT

## RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL

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- WHEREAS, the City's Budget is used to execute the priorities and policy of the City of Newport and the City Council; AND
- WHEREAS, the City's Fiscal Year runs from July 1 to June 30, and preparation and discussion of the budget begins much earlier; AND
- WHEREAS, it is crucial to the success of our community that all City Councilors have an understanding of the overall budget as well as an understanding of the status of the current fiscal year; AND
- WHEREAS, that understanding can begin with a mid-year budget workshop. A mid-year budget workshop would serve both as a budget introduction for new Councilors and an informative session on the status of the budget for the full Council; AND
- WHEREAS, this workshop should include at least a full review of budget and a discussion of the impact of the Coronavirus pandemic; AND
- RESOLVED, the City Manager shall schedule a workshop on a midyear review of the budget in the month of January for the City Council and the public.

JAMIE BOVA

IN COUNCIL READ AND PASSED

Laura C. Swistak City Clerk