

BOARD OF SELECTMEN COP



Executive Session - 4:32 pm

Present: Carole Julius, Chairman; David Sheedy, Vice Chairman; Peter Spagone Jr., Clerk

Absent:

Others Present: Rebecca Johnson, Assistant to the Town Administrator and Board of Selectmen and Jaime

Kenny, Town Counsel

Chairman Julius announced the Selectmen were entering into Executive Session under MGL Chapter 30A, § 21 (a)(2) To conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel and to conduct contract negotiations with nonunion personnel, Interim Town Administrator.

Mr. Spagone Jr. made a motion to move into Executive Session, Mr. Sheedy seconded. Roll Call Vote: Ms. Julius: Aye, Mr. Sheedy: Aye, Mr. Spagone Jr: Aye. All were in favor, 3-0

Ms. Kenny stated the purpose of the meeting was to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel and to conduct contract negotiations with nonunion personnel, Interim Town Administrator.

Ms. Kenny reviewed the agreement by section with the Board of Selectmen. She stated this agreement mentions what the Interim Town Administrators rights and duties are.

Ms. Kenny stated the Interim Town Administrator will start his term Monday 4/5/2021 and end his term September 3, 2021, unless someone is hired before. Mr. Purcell plans to work 20-25 hours a week at a rate of \$85.00 per hour, if he plans to work beyond 25 hours, he will notify the Chair of the Board of Selectmen. She stated a line-item transfer will need to be done due to the Town still paying Town Administrator, Brian Noble. The vote to appoint Jim Purcell, Interim will be made subject to funding. Mr. Purcell will also be given a Town issued cell phone., reimbursed for mileage and two weeks' vacation without pay.

Ms. Kenny stated that Mr. Purcell is on a screening Committee for Norfolk County that takes up about 6 hours a week of his time. She stated it should not interfere with this Interim position.

Either party has the right to end his term with a 48-hour notice in writing or by email.

Mr. Spagone Jr. made a motion to adjourn from Executive Session and return to open session at 5:20 pm, seconded Mr. Sheedy. All were in favor, 3-0

Roll Call Vote: Ms. Julius: Aye, Mr. Sheedy: Aye, Mr. Spagone Jr.: Aye. All were in favor, 3-0

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