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**BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

**Regular Meeting**

Wednesday, March 16, 2022 6:00 p.m.

**Hybrid Meeting**

**Old Town Hall, 1111 Somerset Avenue, Dighton, MA**

**And via Zoom**

The meeting was called to order at 6:02 p.m., by Chairman Pacheco.

Chairman Pacheco let the public know that the board would be entering into Executive Session for approximately fifteen minutes and would reconvene in open session at that time.

**Roll Call:**

Chairman Pacheco, present.

Selectman Zografos, present.

Selectman Hull, present.

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**Executive Session:**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to enter into Executive Session under Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(2).

2. To conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with non-union personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions or contract negotiations with non-union personnel.

- a. Executive Assistant Employment Contract and Job Description
- b. Administrative Assistant Employment Contract

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

The regular meeting was called back to order at 6:15 p.m. by Chairman Pacheco.

**Present:** Chairman Pacheco, Selectman Zografos, Selectman Hull, Town Administrator Michael Mullen, Executive Assistant Karin Brady, Police Chief Robert MacDonald, Building Commissioner James, Aguiar, Veteran's Agent Raymond Hague

**Also Present:** Dighton School Committee Members-Eliza Couture, Rachel Dingus and Janice Terry, Dighton School Committee candidates Mr. Christopher Andrade and Ms. Alys Vincent.

**Present via Zoom:** Town Treasurer/Collector Mary Hathaway, Town Accountant Janelle Vining, Parks and Recreation Commission Chairman Kevin Smith.

Chairman Pacheco gave the Zoom login information and provided information for submitting comments. He said the meeting would be live on channel 9 and would eventually be uploaded to YouTube.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

**Moment of Silence**

A moment of silence was requested by Selectman Hull for Derek Michalewich.

**Proclamation: Women’s History Month**

Chairman Pacheco read the Proclamation for Women’s History Month.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to approve the Women’s History Month Proclamation.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

**Scheduled Appointments**

**6:15 p.m. Building Commissioner James Aguiar - Foyer Renovations at Town Hall**

Mr. Aguiar said in order to proceed with the renovations at Town Hall he needed a little bit more room in the foyer. He proposed moving the POW chair from the foyer in Town Hall to Old Town Hall in order to make a seating area in Town Hall for people waiting for appointments.

Veteran’s Agent, Raymond Hague said he and Mr. Aguiar wanted to get the opinion of the board. He said a re-dedication ceremony would be arranged and the group that originally gifted the chair to the town would be invited to attend the ceremony.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to approve the moving of the POW chair from Town Hall to Old Town Hall.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

**6:15 p.m. - School Committee Interviews**

**Alys Vincent**

Chairman Pacheco asked each of the candidates to speak about themselves and the experience they would bring to the School Committee.

Alys Vincent said she has lived in Dighton for 20 years. She said she began attending School Committee meetings and found that not many people attend. Ms. Vincent said her parents were teachers. She said her husband was also a teacher and she had a soft spot for the school system.

## **Chris Andrade**

Mr. Andrade said the resignation of a School Committee member is an unplanned event. He said he previously served on the School Committee and would be able to jump right in and help. Mr. Andrade said he could start immediately and he would be happy to answer any questions from the board.

Chairman Pacheco thanked both candidates for applying.

Question #1: Tell us about yourself and why you would like to serve on the committee.

Ms. Vincent said she felt compelled to help out. She said her father taught in middle schools. Ms. Vincent said she felt the schools needed some help right now.

Mr. Andrade said he had served on the School Committee in the past. He said he felt he was qualified to step in and bring some experience to the group. Mr. Andrade said both of his children graduated from Dighton schools.

Question #2: Define our community as it relates to the Town of Dighton and the D-R School District.

Mr. Andrade said the Dighton-Rehoboth District is represented by the School Committee and the district involves two towns.

Ms. Vincent said Dighton is progressive and Rehoboth is conservative. She said we have our differences but also have some things in common. Ms. Vincent said both have no industry. She said there is a definite need for us to work together.

Question #3: What do you feel are two main things affecting our school system?

Ms. Vincent said overcrowding in the schools was an issue and there was a need to work together to make a superior school system.

Mr. Andrade said educational achievements. He said, previously, we were competing with top schools. Mr. Andrade also felt that budgeting had been an issue.

Question #4: What is your experience in public finance and budgeting?

Mr. Andrade said he was previously on the Finance Committee as well. He said he was involved in creating the budget and attending town meetings to speak to the budget. Mr. Andrade said he thought it was important to sustain the technical education programs as well.

Alys Vincent said her experience in budgeting was limited to her job. She said she had to budget for the entire department at her current job. Ms. Vincent said she was involved in creating the budget and adhering to it.

Question #5: Do you have the time to devote to the School Committee?

Ms. Vincent said she had a very flexible schedule and if she was awarded this position, she would be able to plan accordingly.

Mr. Andrade said the School Committee meetings on Tuesday and Thursday are just the tip of the iceberg. He said he worked in town, so he would be able to get to the school rather quickly, if necessary.

Selectman Hull asked Mr. Andrade to explain Chapter 74 with regard to vocational programming.

Mr. Andrade said Bristol-Plymouth Regional Technical School would be completely modernizing their programs and D-R could not compete. Mr. Andrade said it was important to increase and modernize the programs at D-R. He said we need to spend some money to modernize equipment.

Ms. Vincent said the funding is very important. She said she thought we should ask Bristol Plymouth to Dighton to rebuild the shops at Dighton-Rehoboth Regional High School.

Chairman Pacheco asked if the other members have any questions.

Ms. Eliza Couture said she was interested in hearing about the time commitment and she was happy with the responses to the answers.

Chairman Pacheco said to whoever does not prevail, there are many other committees who are in need of volunteers.

Chairman Pacheco stepped down to motion to appoint Chris Andrade to the School Committee, Selectman Zografos seconded, Mr. Glen Jefferson also seconded the motion for the School Committee to serve out the term of Mr. Tom O'Connor.

Chairman Pacheco asked for any other nominations.

Ms. Eliza Couture thanked both candidates for coming forward. She said she appreciated Ms. Vincent's interest in serving on the committee. Ms. Couture said she hoped that people would continue to take a role in town government.

Selectman Zografos said he sincerely hoped that Ms. Vincent would be willing to give her time to another committee, or to the School Committee in the future.

Selectman Hull agreed with Selectman Zografos' sentiments and thanked Ms. Vincent for her courage in applying.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**Roll Call Vote School Committee:**

Glen Jefferson, aye.  
Mrs. Terry, aye  
Mrs. Couture, aye.  
Mrs. Dingus, aye.

Chairman Pacheco thanked Ms. Vincent and congratulated Mr. Andrade.

**Public Input**

None.

## **Announcements**

Selectman Zografos read the regular announcements.

The Annual Town Election notice was read by Chairman Pacheco.

The Historical Society event notice was read by Selectman Zografos.

## **Town Administrator's Report**

### **Planning for Main Street Reconstruction**

Mr. Mullen said the process for the reconstruction of Main Street was ramping up. He said Mr. Ferry had been working diligently with the Dighton Water District. Mr. Mullen said a Conservation Commission meeting will be kicking off the project and we will be talking about the scope and the timelines with an anticipated ground breaking this summer. Mr. Mullen said there would be an informational overview meeting tomorrow night and an official meeting on April 24 with abutter notifications.

Selectman Zografos asked if the reconstruction project included sidewalks. Mr. Mullen said there would be sidewalk improvements, he was unsure of the starting and stopping locations.

Selectman Hull said Mr. Ferry said he would need a winter for the ground to settle before they would be paving. Selectman Hull said the road would be torn up for 12 months.

### **Upcoming DCR Sweets Knoll Listening Session**

Mr. Mullen said there had been a number of town officials who have been working with the Dighton Trails Committee. He said they talked about the feasibility study grant for the town's portion. He said the DCR also owns a significant portion. Mr. Mullen said there are improvements planned for the state's portion of Sweets Knoll. He said any residents on Somerset Avenue (from Alice's Restaurant to Sandpiper Way) should expect to see surveyors on state property. He said as part of the same process, they are planning a listening session. Information about the listening session has been shared and will be posted on the town website.

### **Public Health Excellence Grant**

Mr. Mullen said we did apply for a Public Health Excellence grant with Taunton, Attleboro, North Attleboro, Rehoboth and Berkley. He said it would be \$300,000.00 per year and be shared by the six communities. Mr. Mullen said we asked for funding to supplement our public nursing program and also a shared epidemiologist. He said the Board of Health approved the letter of commitment last week. Mr. Mullen said this process will roll out in the next few months. He said we have the ability to receive these funds for the next eight years. Mr. Mullen said the grant would supplement the services that we currently have.

Selectman Zografos asked for an example of what the services would be.

Mr. Mullen said our Health Agent has had an occasional challenge keeping up with inspections and there would be an inspector shared to supplement these services.

Selectman Hull said he thought this was a wonderful grant. He said he wanted to be sure that this grant would not replace services. Mr. Mullen said the grant specifically prohibits that.

**Council on Aging Executive Director Interview Process Update**

Mr. Mullen said over the last few weeks we have screened 12 applicants. He said five were interviewed by the screening committee and 4 were interviewed by the Council on Aging today.

Mr. Mullen said the recommendation would be coming before the board of selectmen next week.

**Selectmen’s Report**

Selectman Hull said the Annual Election for the Water District would be held on April 16. He said anyone wishing to be placed on the ballot, would need to fill out a request to be on the ballot.

Selectman Hull said the annual meeting of the Dighton Water District will be May 26, 2022.

**Old Business**

None.

**New Business**

**Chief of Police Contract Extension**

Chief MacDonald said he was looking to retire, but did not have an exact date in mind yet.

Chairman Pacheco said, speaking for himself, he appreciated all the work that Chief MacDonald has done for the town.

Selectman Hull said you send a message to a lot of kids in Dighton. You have given your all to this town. It shows what they can become.

Selectman Zografos said we have been through it all together, he wanted people to know how much the Police Chief has contributed to the town. He respected the chief and cannot imagine working for the same employer for 44 years.

Chief MacDonald said the new Police Station building was the best thing that happened.

Selectman Hull motioned to extend the Police Chief employment contract starting July 1, 2022 and ending august 30<sup>th</sup>.

Selectman Zografos made a friendly amendment to “ratify” the contract and seconded the motion.

Motion Passed.

**Roll Call Vote:**

- Chairman Pacheco, aye.
- Selectman Zografos, aye.
- Selectman Hull, aye.

**Police Department Transition Planning Quote for Consulting Services, LLC**

Mr. Mullen said in the next few weeks the Police Chief position will be posted and advertised. He said he hoped to have a smooth transition this summer.

Selectman Zografos asked how we would arrive at the figure in the budget for this position. Mr. Mullen said we will budget for a full year of salary.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to approve the Police chief's proposal from Public Safety, LLC, Boxford, MA as proposed this evening.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

**Board of Selectmen/Town Administrator Executive Assistant Employment Contract and Job Description**

Selectman Pacheco said we are looking to take some of the Human Resource duties from the Treasurer's office and give them to the Executive Assistant for the Board of Selectmen.

Chairman Pacheco read the outline of additional duties for the Executive Assistant/Human Resources Coordinator.

Selectman Zografos said typically Human Resources functions fall under the administrative department. He said confidentiality is very important.

Selectman Hull said he agreed with the need for this position to be in the executive portion of government.

Mr. Mullen said this move has been backed up by a recommendation from our independent auditor. He said over the last two months, the DOR has also been conducting a financial management review.

Chairman Pacheco read the comments from the town's independent auditor, Chad Clark, Partner, Roselli, Clark and Associates.

Selectman Hull motioned, Selectman Zografos seconded and it was **VOTED** to approve the consolidation of the Human Resource duties as stated into the current Executive Assistant duties and job description.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to approve the contract for the Executive Assistant.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to ratify the Administrative Assistant's contract as presented this evening.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**Tree Donation from Jason Lachance - Owner of Family Tree**

Chairman Pacheco read the donation letter from Jason Lachance of Family Tree.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to accept the donation of a tree from Jason Lachance, Family Tree.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**Budget Review**

**#192 – Public Buildings Maintenance**

This budget was already approved. No action was taken.

**#241-Building Inspection**

Building Commissioner James Aguiar said the budget was level-funded except for contractual increases.

Selectman Zografos said line #5105 was a 2% increase. He asked if it was supposed to be the same as the clerical union. Mr. Mullen explained that the Building Commissioner works 40 hours.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend account #241-Building Inspection in the amount of \$171, 234.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**#242 - Gas Inspection**

There was discussion of the Gas Inspection stipend and the revenues received by the Building Department.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend account #242-Gas inspection in the amount of \$8,000.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.



**#243 – Plumbing Inspection**

Selectman Hull motioned, Selectman Zografos seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend the account #243-Plumbing Inspection in the amount of \$8,000.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

**#244 – Weights and Measures**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend Account #244-Weights and Measures in the amount of \$1,400.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

**#245 – Electrical Inspection**

Selectman Hull motioned, Selectman Zografos seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend Account #245-Electrical Inspection in the amount of \$20,000.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

**#300 - Education**

Business Manager Mr. Robert Baxter said the budget process was just getting started. He said we are preparing the final superintendent’s budget to be presented next week.

Selectman Zografos said he knew that the details had to be fleshed out. He saw the proposed 5.6% increase in the D-R budget. He asked how much is an investment in the students?

Mr. Baxter said per pupil expense is close to \$16,000.00 per pupil. Mr. Baxter said the drivers were, Special Education, contractual negotiated salary increases and fuel.

Mr. Baxter said the first two items go directly to the student. Mr. Baxter said his predecessor had negotiated very good electricity rates. He said fuel oil is set to expire in December. Mr. Baxter said we have some contractual clauses to govern the fuel, but he thought it was prudent to put in an increase. He thought we should be cognizant of the offsets. Mr. Baxter said he thought the final assessment would be less at the end of the process. He said there was no increase in health insurance. Mr. Baxter said we have seen an increase in Federal funding to help strengthen our technology and we won a significant grant for Chromebooks for next year. He said we have taken a pause on capital improvements.

Selectman Hull said with regard to transportation, do you have transportation contracts to be negotiated. Mr. Baxter said we have two transportation contractors. Our contract goes through next year for both.

Selectman Hull asked about E&D. He asked if they would be above the ceiling of 5%. Mr. Baxter said he did not have final numbers. He was fairly certain that the district would have their 5% excess and that there would be a significant turn back to the town. Mr. Baxter said the excess was due to a few factors. He said in FY21 we had abridged operations due to COVID. He said there was additional Federal funding. He said all added up to significant excess.

There was discussion about the BCAHS and the B-P budgets and enrollment.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** that the board take budget #300- Education under advisement until there were more concrete figures.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

**#543 – Veterans Agent**

Mr. Raymond Hague said his budget was based on historical budgets. He was asking for additional funds for line #5771 Veteran’s Memorial Day & Civic Functions in order to hold additional events.

Mr. Mullen asked about line #5770 – Mr. Hague said it is Veteran’s benefits and here in Dighton we have half of the veterans that we did five years ago. (Chapter 115). He said the town’s commitment is 25%.

There was discussion about funding and revenues

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend #543- Veteran’s Services in the amount of \$128,607.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

**#600 – Sewer Enterprise Fund**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to take #600-Sewer Enterprise Fund under advisement.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

### **#630 - Parks and Recreation**

Selectman Zografos asked about line #5240-Repairs and Maintenance. He said it didn't appear that any repairs were being done. He also asked about the \$14,700.00 for FY23. Mr. Kevin Smith said it is really hard to address big items within our budget.

Selectman Zografos suggested that Parks and Recreation take a zero-based budget approach.

Selectman Hull also suggested a that five-year maintenance program would be a way to inform voters.

There was discussion about the firecracker event.

Selectman Hull motioned, Selectman Zografos seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend Budget # 630-Parks and Recreation in the amount of \$20,700.00.

#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

### **#690 - Town Historian**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend Budget #690-Town Historian in the amount of \$250.00.

#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

### **#691 Historical Commission**

Ms. Patricia Gales said the Historical Commission was requesting an additional \$600.00 to update the GIS map with a Historic Layer.

There was discussion of the Planning and Surveying Grant and what it would fund.

Selectman Hull motioned, Selectman Zografos seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend budget #691-Historical Commission in the amount of \$1,600.00.

#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.

Selectman Hull, aye.

### **#710 - Maturing Principal on Long Term Debt**

There was discussion about debt exclusion and free cash being used to make payments on bonds.

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend Budget #710-Maturing Principal on Long Term Debt in the amount of \$241,668.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**#751-Interest on Long Term Debt**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend #751-Interest on Long Term Debt in the amount of \$132,925.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**#752 – Interest on Short Term Debt**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend budget #752-Interest on Short Term Debt under advisement to next week for proper wording.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**#911 - Retirement & Pension Contributions**

There was discussion about the figure and how it is arrived at.

Selectman Hull, Selectman Zografos seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend #911 – Retirement and Pension Contributions in the amount of \$897,957.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**#914 - Group Health Insurance**

Selectman Hull motioned, Selectman Zografos seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend #914-Group Health Insurance in the amount of \$1,312,436.25.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**#915 - Group Life Insurance**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend acct #915-Group Life Insurance in the amount of \$900.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**#916 – Employer Contributions**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to rec #916-Employer Contributions in the amount of 84,000.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**#919 - OPEB**

Selectman Hull motioned, Selectman Zografos seconded and it was **VOTED** to recommend #919-OPEB in the amount \$35,000.00.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**Minutes**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to approve the minutes of the Regular Board of Selectmen’s meeting minutes of March 9, 2022.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**Warrants**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to approve Warrant #37A-22 in the amount of \$103,6018.31 and Warrant #37B-22 in the amount of \$79,527.14 both dated March 16, 2022.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.  
Selectman Zografos, aye.  
Selectman Hull, aye.

**Public Input**

None.

**Executive Session**

Selectman Zografos motioned, Selectman Hull seconded and it was **VOTED** to enter into Executive Session under Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(3)(7)

3. To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation of an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares.

- a. Dighton Permanent Firefighters Association Local 4332
- b. Dighton Police Officers MassCop Local 306

7. To comply with, or act under the authority of, any general or special law or federal grant-in-aid requirement.

**Executive Session Minutes:**

- a. Approval of the Board of Selectmen’s Executive Session meeting minutes of Marcy 9, 2022.

**Roll Call Vote:**

Chairman Pacheco, aye.

Selectman Zografos, aye.


Selectman Hull, aye.

The regular meeting was adjourned at 9:09 p.m.


Respectfully submitted,

**Karin L. Brady**  
**Executive Assistant**

**Board of Selectmen**



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Kenneth J. Pacheco, Chairman



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Leonard E. Hull, Jr., Clerk

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Brett R. Zografos, Ph.D., Member

**Documents Reviewed:**

- Women’s History Month Proclamation
- School Committee Letter of Interest Alys Vincent
- Alys Vincent Resume
- School Committee letter of Interest Christopher Andrade
- Parking Ban Notice
- Burning Season Notice
- Dighton Historical Spring Fundraiser Flyer

**Water Main and Road Reconstruction Project Kick Off Announcement**  
**Taunton River and Sweets Knoll Park Improvement Public Listening Session Notice**  
**MAHB Mass Public Health Excellence Grant Program Application**  
**Public Safety Consultants LLC Police Chief Selection Technical Proposal**  
**Jason Lachance Family Tree Services, tree donation letter from Highway Superintendent**

**Budgets**

**192-Public Buildings**  
**241 Building Inspection**  
**242-Gas inspection**  
**243-Plumbing**  
**244-Weights and Measures**  
**245 Electrical Inspection**  
**300-Education**  
**543-Veteran's Services**  
**600-Sewer Enterprise Fund**  
**630-Parks & Recreation**  
**690-Town Historian**  
**691 Historical Commission**  
**710- Maturing Principal on Long Term Debt**  
**751-Interest/Long Term Debt**  
**752-Interest/Short Term Debt**  
**911-Retirement & Pension**  
**914-Group Health Insurance**  
**915-Group Life Insurance**  
**916-Employer Contribution**  
**919-OPEB**

**Minutes of the Board of Selectmen's Regular Meeting of March 9, 2022.**