



# Town of Southwick

### Select Board

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## Select Board Meeting

Tuesday, January 28, 2020 @ 5:00 p.m.

Select Board Conference Room

All meetings of the Select Board are recorded

ATTENDANCE:

Chairman, Russell S. Fox Vice-Chairman, Doug Moglin Clerk, Joseph J. Deedy

Chief Administrative Officer, Karl J. Stinehart **Administrative Assistant, Cindy Pendleton** 

5:00 p.m. Convene in Open Session

**Public Comments** 

5:05 p.m. **Tammy Spencer** 

RE: Introduction as new Board of Health Director

Hearing: Teresa Darosa-130 Berkshire Avenue and ACO Officer Bennett 5:10 p.m.

**RE: Dangerous Dog Hearing** 5:30 p.m. Career Fire Dept. Interviews for FF/EMT:

Stephen Backman 5:30 5:40 Joshua Girard 5:50 Christopher Lombardi

6:00 Jacob Sanborn

6:20 p.m. Chief Bishop RE: FY21 Police Budget

6:30 p.m. Fire Chief RE: FY21 Budget 6:40 p.m. Pavables. Pavroll and Minutes:

Payables Warrant #2019B, dated 1/15/2020, in the amount of \$8,576,652.93

Payables Warrant #2020B, dated 1/27/2020, in the amount of \$

Payroll Warrant #2015, dated 1/21/20, in the amount of \$215,004.43

Regular Session Minutes of 1/14/20

Action Items, Bills, Mail, Correspondence, Vendor and/or Personnel Contracts, Personnel Decisions, Policy Adoptions, Payroll Actions, Old Business, New Business, Etc.-Possible Motions/Votes:

- Approve Fred Jackson Road Culvert Bid Award w/Ch. 90 Funds Offset
- Sewer Abatement Request
- Appt. of Cultural Council Member
- Approve P/T Clerk Position Description for T/C/C Office
- ConCom request for Revolving Account establishment for Fees/Fines
- Vote to accept SPD FY20 EMD Grant for \$971.45
- Authorize CAO to finalize Western Hampden Veterans Services Budget
- Authorize Chairman to submit Trails Grant for North Pond Conservation Land
- Review Wick 338 2020 proposed schedule
- Approve State 2020 Minimum Wage rates classifications
- Approve Poll Workers and Warden(s) 2020 rates for T/C/C Office
- Approve SFD Call Force FF & EMS Stipends
- Approve donation(s) to SFD
- Review updated Library Job Descriptions
- OK Article for Town Meeting for CHA Easement for Berkshire Avenue
- Ratify Light Duty MOA with SPD Local 384
- **PVPC TIP Plan Projects Notification**
- Okay Chairman to sign-off US Census B.V.P. review
- Accept SFD Career EMT resignation
- Accept Police K9 Donation

#### Old Business & Dates to Remember:

- Alum Treatment for Congamond Lakes
- Quarterly R/E Tax Bill research by Town Counsel

#### **New Business:**

- Fire Station repairs design update
- Discuss and appoint SFD Career Staff

Executive Session RE: M.G.L. Chap. 30A, S20 (b), S21 (3) Ch. 214, Section 1B and; CMR 29.03 (1) (b). Labor Counsel

RE: Collective Bargaining Police and Fire Strategy, non-union Police and Dept. Heads

Bargaining Strategy

RE: Deployment of security personnel or devices with Town Counsel, Fire and Police

Chiefs

Exception #3: Move to go into Executive Session to discuss strategy with respect to litigation, and that

the Chair declare that an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the litigating

position of the body, and to:

Move to go into Executive Session to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining, and that the Chair declare that an open meeting may have a detrimental effect

on the bargaining position of the body, and not to reconvene to Open Session.

Exception #4: Move to go into Executive session to discuss the deployment of security personnel or

devices or strategies with respect thereto, and to:

Not reconvene into Open Session

RE: Ch. 214, Section1B A person shall have a right against unreasonable, substantial or serious interference with

his privacy. The superior court shall have jurisdiction in equity to enforce such right and in

connection therewith to award damages.

#### TOWN CLERK - PLEASE POST

The Board reserves the right to move parts of the agenda out of order and take up posted items either earlier/later.