

Special Meeting/ Essex Town Board January 23, 2020

Supervisor Hughes called the Meeting to Order at 6:31 P.M. followed by the salute to the flag.

Supervisor Hughes started the meeting, thanking everyone for attending the meeting and explained that the purpose of this meeting is to interview all who expressed an interest in serving as an appointed member for 1 year on the Town Board.

Roll Call:

Councilman DePinto: PRESENT Councilman Jackson: PRESENT Councilwoman LaPine: PRESENT Supervisor Hughes: PRESENT

Supervisor Hughes shared the format for tonight's meeting.

Supervisor Hughes gave the public the opportunity to address the Board:

Mr. Sandy Lewis asked about the two opportunities per meeting to address the Board. Supervisor Hughes explained. Mr. Sandy Lewis then asked about number 5 on the agenda if it was where the individuals for the Town Board seat will be up front for questioning. Supervisor Hughes responded yes.

Anita Shapiro asked about the website. Supervisor Hughes explained how to get to the website and the changes he plans to make.

Supervisor Hughes asked that the Council leave the table and the candidates come up front, to the table. Everyone was given paper and pen to write down questions they would like the candidates to be asked. First the candidates took turns introducing themselves and telling why they would like the position. Supervisor Hughes read each question asked by the Town Board or public, each candidate answered until all questions were asked.

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Supervisor Hughes gave the public the second opportunity to address the Board: No one spoke.

Abstract of Bills (Mid/Late January 2020)
Supervisor Hughes explained printing problems with Bills, do to Enhanced.
Supervisor Hughes and the town Board discussed the Bills.

Councilman Jackson moved the motion to accept the Bills. Councilwoman LaPine seconded.

Roll Call:

Councilman DePinto: ABSTAINED

Councilman Jackson: YES Councilwoman LaPine: YES Supervisor Hughes: YES

For the Good of the Order Supervisor Hughes thanked everyone for coming out for tonight's meeting.

Supervisor Hughes asked the Board if they would agree to Angel Forbes our account clerk attend Government Accounting School. Supervisor Hughes explained the details.

Roll Call:

Councilwoman LaPine: YES
Councilman DePinto: YES
Councilman Jackson: YES
Supervisor Hughes: YES

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Time 8:29 P.M. Meeting Adjourned:

Supervisor Hughes asked for a motion to enter into Executive Session.

Councilman LaForest moved the motion Councilman Jackson seconded: Town Board entered into Executive Session.

8:57 P.M.

Councilwoman made the motion to exit the Executive Session. Meeting adjourned:

Respectfully Submitted,

Alicia Kelly, Town Clerk