

Plympton Board of Selectmen - Executive Session

Monday, May 4, 2015 Minutes

Present: Mark Russo, John Henry, Colleen Thompson

At 1:40 p.m. Chairman Mark Russo moved that the Board of Selectmen (BOS) go into Executive Session to discuss contract negotiations. The BOS will briefly return to Open Session at the conclusion of the Executive Session. John Henry seconded the motion.

Roll call: Mark Russo - Aye, John Henry - Aye, Colleen Thompson - Aye

Discussion: With the approval of the BOS, Mark Russo met with Fire Chief Borsari on April 30th to begin contract negotiations. Mark Russo reported to the BOS that the negotiations included discussions on the contract term, removing or amending some portions of the contract, vacation time and compensation. Today the BOS agreed to some of the requests, amended others and set an approved range for vacation days and compensation.

Action: Mark Russo moved that the BOS allow the Chair to return to Chief Borsari with the BOS approved amendments to complete the negotiations for a new 2 year contract. John Henry seconded the motion. The motion passed 3/0.

Additional Discussion: The BOS reviewed the draft ES Minutes from April 29th. It was decided that amendment/approval would be postponed pending discussion with Town Counsel.

End of Executive Session: At 2:10 Mark Russo moved that the BOS close the Executive Session then reopen and adjourn the Open Session. John Henry seconded the motion.

Roll call: Mark Russo - Aye, John Henry - Aye, Colleen Thompson - Aye