Selectmen's EXECUTIVE Minutes December 19, 2012

Contract Negotiations

Chairman Sushchyk made a motion to enter into Executive session for the purpose of Contract Negotiations. 2nd by Selectman Patacchiola. Unanimous.

Roll call vote 6:30

Chairman Sushchyk - Aye. Selectman Furmaniuk - Aye. Selectman Patacchiola - Aye.

Contract Negotiations

Town Administrator:

The Board discussed the options. The Board can either terminate employment or renew the contract.

Chairman Sushchyk stated that he would like to renew the Town Administrator's contract for either one or three more years. He stated that the requirement for termination was a unanimous vote. He also stated that terminating employment would most likely result in paying a higher salary, as was indicated in the recent salary survey that was presented at a prior executive meeting.

Selectman Patacchiola offered criticism as well as compliments for the Town Administrator.

The Board discussed the differences between the previous and current Town Administrators. Chairman Sushchyk reminded the Board that there may be clashes between Department Heads and Administrators regardless of who holds the position. "Sometimes it is hard to do the right thing even if it is good for the Town."

At 7:03

VOTE: Selectman Sushchyk made a motion to adjourn the Contract Negotiations portion of Executive session and to return to public session. Selectman Patacchiola 2nd. Roll call vote: Selectman Sushchyk – Aye. Selectman Furmaniuk – Aye. Selectman Patacchiola – Aye.