



Pursuant to Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2021, An Act Relative to Extending Certain COVID-19 Measures Adopted during the State of Emergency and signed into law on June 16, 2021, this meeting was conducted via remote participation.

Select Board members present:

Rich Maiore, Alice von Loesecke, Kara Minar, Erin McBee

Rich Maiore was absent.

Town Department attendees:

Town Administrator Tim Bragan and Assistant Town Administrator/HR Director Marie Sobalvarro

Executive Session, per MGL Ch. 30A, s. 21(a)3

The Select Board entered into executive session with the School Committee to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining.

The Select Board reconvened into open session at 8:30pm. Alice von Loesecke exited the meeting at this time.

Police Chief Interview Committee

Tim Bragan reported the qualities and characteristics decided upon for the Police Chief position have been finalized. The twenty applications have been reviewed with six applicants chosen for initial interviews. The expectation is to bring three or four forward to the Select Board for final interviews. Next, the Select Board needs to constitute the interview committee. Stu Sklar presented himself, Assistant Town Administrator/HR Director Marie Sobalvarro, Superintendent Linda Dwight, Fire Chief Rick Sicard and Sarah Saleh, resident and representative of Arm & Arm to serve on this committee. All were in agreement.

By a roll call vote, McBee – aye, Minar -aye, Sklar – aye, the board voted unanimously to whittle the list down to a final four for interview at a later meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50pm.