



**TOWN OF SCITUATE
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
November 14, 2018
MINUTES**

The Annual & Special Town Meeting was convened at the Scituate High School gymnasium, 606 Chief Justice Cushing Way, on Wednesday, November 14, 2018 with Moderator Richard P. Bowen presiding.

A quorum of "0" registered voters was declared present and the moderator called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Attendance was 320.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was led by the Moderator, Richard Bowen.

Peter Toppan was appointed Assistant Moderator by the Moderator.

Kathleen A. Curran, Town Clerk, swore in the Deputy Moderator and the following tellers:

Susan Frankel
Christopher Mirarchi
Lynne Donnelly
Peter Toppan
Thomas Gavin

Irene Murray
Penny Scott-Pipes
Ellen Kelly
Rich Harding
Martha Nugent

The Town Clerk swore in the following checkers:

Carmen (Dee) Bonney
Mary Jo McNally
Ellen Kelly
Joanne McIntosh
Carolyn Sones
Don Smart

Thomas Gavin
Rich Harding
Lynne Donnelly
Marla Minier
Deborah Young

VOTED to dispense with the reading of the Call of the Meeting and Return of Service having been examined by the Moderator and found to be in order and to also waive the reading of the separate warrant articles.

UNANIMOUS VOTE

VOTED pursuant to Massachusetts General Law Chapter 39, 59 (Town of Scituate By-law 20150) that the Moderator be authorized for the duration of this Annual and Special Town

Meeting to take all votes requiring a two-thirds majority in the same manner in which he conducts the taking of a vote when a majority vote is required.

UNANIMOUS VOTE

RECOGNIZED DIGNITARIES: Congressman Stephen Lynch and State Representative Patrick Kearney.

The Moderator asked the following Chairmen to introduce their board/committee members.

John Danchev, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen introduced the members of the board, Karen Canfield, Maura Curran, Shawn Harris, Anthony Vagnani, and himself.

Lincoln Heineman, Chairman of the Advisory Committee, introduced the members of the Advisory Committee, Anthony Antoniello, Geoffrey Burns, Sean Delacy, Jamie Gilmore, Patrice Metro, Gerard Kelly, Elise Russo, and Michael Westort.

Richard Hebert, School Committee Chair, introduced the members of the School Committee, Michael Long, Peter Gates, Michael Hayes, and Janice Lindblom and Superintendent of Schools Ron Griffin.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

IN MEMORIUM

George Kelly-June 18, 2018-Town Meeting Teller

John (Jack) Francis Sheehan July 7, 2018
Scituate Schools

Thomas Reilly-July 15, 2018
Constable

Myron Boluch-August 7, 2018
Conservation Commission, Renewable Energy Committee

Edward Donnelly-October 10, 2018
Town Administrator

Jeannette Langlois-October 21, 2018
Scituate Police Department-Retired Dispatcher

The Moderator explained the rules of the meeting.

Articles were presented.

See certified copy of the warrant articles, motions and votes on file in the Town Clerk's office or on the Town's website on the Town Clerk's page.

The Special Town Meeting was dissolved at 9:10 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,


Kathleen A. Gardner
Town Clerk