

TOWN OF CROMWELL
TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
SPECIAL MEETING
SEPTEMBER 27, 2018
4:30 P.M. TOWN HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

MINUTES

Present: Mayor E. Faienza, Deputy Mayor R. Newton, S. Slade, F. Emanuele,
J. Demetriades, A. Waters, M. Johnson

Absent: None

Also Present: Town Manager A. Salvatore, Chief of Police D. LaMontagne, Labor
Attorney K. Weinstock, CIRMA Attorney J. Tallberg

A. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Faienza called the Special Meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

B. NEW BUSINESS

1. Discussion and possible action regarding correspondence from Councilor Johnson. (Executive Session if necessary)

Mayor Faienza recognized Town Manager Salvatore who in turn gave a lengthy response to Councilor Johnson's accusations. The timeline and facts of the issue were presented during his response. Town Manager Salvatore stated that he followed the advice of Town Labor Attorney Ken Weinstock and then after the ACLU complaint followed the recommendations of CIRMA Attorney J. Tallberg. He also stated that he kept the previous and present Town Council informed every step of the way.

Councilor Demetriades commented that he felt that the Attorneys presence was not appropriate.

Councilor Johnson reiterated the point of his letter and requested to view the e-mail threads. Town Manager stated that all Councilors that wishes to view the e-mails treads are invited to his office to do so.

During a lengthy discussion and presentation by the Town Manager as well as the two attorneys' present the consensus of the majority of the Town Council was that Councilor Johnson's complaint had no merit as the Manager kept the Council informed at every step and acted on the advice of the Town Attorney.

No action was taken.

C. ADJOURN

Motion made by S. Slade and seconded by A. Waters and *unanimously carried* to adjourn the Special Meeting at 6:07 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary