

MARCH 7, 2013
SPECIAL TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

The March 7, 2013, Special Town Council Meeting was called to order by John L. Lewis, Jr., President of the Foster Town Council, at the Foster Town Hall, Foster, Rhode Island, at 6:15 p.m.

The following members were present:
John L. Lewis, Jr., President,
Pamela Fontaine, Vice President,
Neal C. Whitelaw,
Denise DiFranco, and
Roger L. Hawes.

Also present:
Atty. Renee M. Bevilacqua, Town Solicitor

I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

II. EXECUTIVE SESSION

John L. Lewis, Jr. asks Neal Whitelaw if he intends to recuse himself from the Executive Session since he was a member of the International Fire Fighters Union, IAFF. Mr. Whitelaw responds in the negative as he received no pension or benefits from the union and has not been a member of that union for nineteen years.

Neal Whitelaw moved, Roger Hawes seconded, to go into Executive Session pursuant to RIGL 42-46-5a(1) Personnel and to reconvene into open session and to further keep the minutes of said meeting closed and the minutes of all executive sessions held previous to this meeting remain closed in accordance with provisions in RIGL 42-46-4 & 5. No discussion.

John L. Lewis, Jr., aye; Pamela Fontaine, aye; Roger Hawes, aye; Denise DiFranco, aye; and Neal Whitelaw, aye. Motion passed 5-0.

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

The council reconvened into Open Session at 7:20 p.m. John Lewis announced that no votes were taken in Executive Session.

III. BUDGET REVIEW

The 2013-3014 Budget was reviewed and discussed.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

Neal Whitelaw moved, Roger Hawes seconded, and it was so voted to adjourn the meeting.

John L. Lewis, Jr., aye; Pamela Fontaine, aye; Roger Hawes, aye; Denise DiFranco, aye; and Neal Whitelaw, aye. Motion passed 5-0.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

A digital sound file is made a part of the record for a complete account of the council meeting.

Submitted by,

Carol Lyons Sholly, CMC
Deputy Town Clerk