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**Minutes**

**November 25, 2014**

**Call to Order:** Mayor David V. Merchant called the scheduled November 25, 2014, Plymouth Town Council Special Meeting to order at 6:30 p.m., in the Community Room, Town Hall.

**Roll Call:** Present were Town Councilman William Heering, Mayor David V. Merchant, Town Councilwoman Susan Murawski, Town Councilman John Pajeski, Town Councilman Gary Wyszynski, and Town Councilman Tom Zagurski. Also in attendance were Parks and Recreation Director Michael Ganem, Chief of Police Karen Krasicky, Animal Control Officer Caesar Berrios, and Town Attorney William Hamzy.

#### **Fire Exits Notification**

Mayor Merchant noted the Fire Exits for the record.

#### **Pledge of Allegiance**

Mayor Merchant led the Plymouth Town Council and the Public Audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### **Invocation**

Mayor Merchant stated “May God Bless America” and May God Bless the Town of Plymouth” for the record.

**Appointments/Resignations: To accept the resignation of Phil Fowler from the Plymouth Fire Commission, to accept the resignation Barbara Rockwell from the Parks and Recreation Commission; To appoint Richard Schnaars to the Parks and Recreation Commission; to appoint Frank Porter to the Housing Board of Appeals; to re-appoint Daniel Wollenberg to the Fire Commission; to re-appoint Jeffrey Scott to the Economic Development Commission**

Town Councilman Zagurski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilwoman Murawski, to accept the resignation of Phil Fowler from the Plymouth Fire Commission with regret. This motion was approved unanimously.

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**Appointments/Resignations Cont'd.**

Town Councilman Zagurski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilman Heering, to accept the resignation Barbara Rockwell from the Parks and Recreation Commission with regret. This motion was approved unanimously.

Town Councilman Zagurski stated that Barbara Rockwell had worked on the Parks and Recreation Commission for 20 years and thanked her for dedicated service.

Town Councilman Heering made a motion, seconded by Town Councilman Zagurski, to appoint Richard Schnaars to the Parks and Recreation Commission. This motion was approved unanimously.

Town Councilman Zagurski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilman Heering, to appoint Frank Porter to the Housing Board of Appeals. This motion was approved unanimously.

Town Councilwoman Murawski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilman Zagurski, to reappoint Daniel Wollenberg to the Fire Commission. This motion was approved unanimously.

Town Councilman Zagurski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilwoman Murawski, to reappoint Jeffrey Scott to the Economic Development Commission. This motion was approved unanimously.

**To discuss and take action to refund the following Property Taxes: Gene Brazee \$13.66; Vault Trust \$356.34, \$193.55; Elizabeth Stronkowsky \$232.45; James L. Budd II \$151.84; John A. Button, Jr. \$105.57; Terryville Fish and Game Club \$264.34; Brittany M. Frazier \$85.35; Chase Auto Finance Corp. \$27.26, \$234.71; JP Morgan Chase Bank NA \$694.21; Hyundai Lease Titling TR \$126.16; Joseph T. Rossi \$155.88**

Town Councilwoman Murawski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilman Zagurski, to refund the following Property Taxes: Gene Brazee \$13.66; Vault Trust \$356.34, \$193.55; Elizabeth Stronkowsky \$232.45; James L. Budd II \$151.84; John A. Button, Jr. \$105.57; Terryville Fish and Game Club \$264.34; Brittany M. Frazier \$85.35; Chase Auto Finance Corp. \$27.26, \$234.71; JP Morgan Chase Bank NA \$694.21; Hyundai Lease Titling TR \$126.16; and Joseph T. Rossi \$155.88. This motion was approved unanimously.

**Discuss and take action on the Town of Thomaston and Town of Plymouth Memorandum of Agreement for Animal Control Operations**

Town Attorney William Hamzy stated that there were two Agreements being discussed this evening.

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**Discuss and take action on the Town of Thomaston and Town of Plymouth Memorandum of Agreement for Animal Control Operations Cont'd.**

Town Attorney Hamzy stated that one document was the Memorandum of Agreement and the other was the Inter-local Agreement between the Town of Plymouth and the Town of Thomaston. Town Attorney Hamzy noted that last month Chief of Police Campbell, Thomaston and Chief of Police Krasicky, Plymouth, had outlined the Animal Control operations that both towns run; a brief discussion followed.

Town Councilwoman Murawski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilman Zagurski, to approve the Town of Thomaston and Town of Plymouth Memorandum of Agreement for Animal Control Operations. This motion was approved unanimously.

**Executive Session to discuss ongoing Investigation and the Interim Comptroller position**

Town Councilwoman Murawski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilman Zagurski, to move into Executive Session at 6:45 p.m., to discuss the ongoing Investigation and the Interim Comptroller position. This motion was approved unanimously.

Present for the Executive Session were Town Attorney Hamzy, Town Councilman Heering, Mayor Merchant, Town Councilwoman Murawski, Town Councilman Pajeski, Town Councilman Wyszynski, and Town Councilman Zagurski.

Mayor Merchant called the Plymouth Town Council meeting back in Regular Session at 7:47 p.m.

**Action, as may be necessary from Executive Session**

No action taken.

**Discuss and take action to cancel the scheduled December 2, 2014, Regular Town Council Meeting**

Town Councilman Wyszynski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilwoman Murawski, to cancel the scheduled December 2, 2014, Regular Town Council meeting. This motion was approved unanimously.

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**Public Comment**

The following people gave Public Comment: Vinnie Klimas, 5 Coral Drive, Terryville, Roxanne McCann, 123 Town Hill Road, Terryville, Howard Gomme, Preston Road, Terryville, Cathy Kosak, 201 Harwinton Avenue, Terryville, Melanie Church, 328 Main Street, Terryville, Kathy Boudoin, Bushnell Street, Terryville, Michael Ganem, Parks and Recreation Director, 80 Main Street, Terryville, David Mischke, North Main Street, Terryville, George Franek, 75 Allen Street, Terryville, Kathy Paskus, 4 Arrow Drive, Terryville, Dan Gentile, 269 Mount Tobe Road, Plymouth, Pattie DeHuff, 20 Lynn Avenue, Terryville, Barbara Watson, Lake Plymouth Boulevard, Plymouth, Terri Dewell, 17 Prospect Street, Terryville, Rob Wilcox, South Main Street, Terryville, Brian Dunn, 19 Carriage Drive, Terryville, Peter Cook, 11 Orchard Street, Terryville.

**Adjournment**

There being no further business of the Plymouth Town Council, Town Councilwoman Murawski made a motion, seconded by Town Councilman Heering, to adjourn at 8:55 p.m. This motion was approved unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Recording Secretary