

TOWN OF COLUMBIA
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING MINUTES
Tuesday, September 17, 2019 – 6:45 pm
Adella G. Urban Administrative Offices Conference Room
323 Route 87, Columbia, CT

A Special Town Meeting of the duly electors and citizens qualified to vote in the Town Meeting of the Town of Columbia, Connecticut was held in the Adella G. Urban Administrative Offices Conference Room on Tuesday, September 17, 2019 at 6:45pm.

Present: First Selectman, Steven M. Everett, Deputy Selectman, Robert Hellstrom, William O'Brien, Selectman, Lisa Napolitano, Selectman, Mark Walter, Town Administrator, George Murphy, Director Public Works, Brian Paul, Public Works Department

Moderator: Mark Vining

Clerk: Flo Polek

Citizens: Anne Dunnack

The meeting was called to order by Steven M. Everett at 6:45pm.

The meeting was turned over to the Moderator. The Moderator read the clauses:

Clause 1 – To consider the adoption of a proposed ordinance, which would be entitled “Ordinance Pertaining to Publication of Notice of Newly Proposed or Adopted Ordinances” and which would automatically permit the publication of a summary of any new or proposed ordinance instead of its full text, unless such ordinance makes or requires an appropriation, or the Columbia Town Charter or state law otherwise requires publication in full, provided that a copy of the full text of such summarized ordinance or proposed ordinance is available at no cost at the Town Clerk’s Office and on the Town’s internet website.

In lieu of publishing the above proposed ordinance in full, Clause 1 contains a summary thereof. This document is prepared for the benefit of the public solely for the purposes of information, summarization and explanation. This document does not represent the intent of the legislative body of the Town of Columbia for any purpose. A copy of the complete proposed ordinance is available for inspection and copying at no charge at the Office of the Town Clerk in the Adella G. Urban Administrative Offices at Yeoman’s Hall, Room 325 Jonathan Trumbull Highway, Columbia during normal business hours and on the Town’s website www.columbiact.org.

The Moderator asked if there were Motions for the Clause. A motion was made by Steven M. Everett for Clause 1 as proposed. R. Hellstrom SECONDED the MOTION.

The Moderator turned the floor over to First Selectman, Steven M. Everett. S. Everett explained that this will provide savings to the town. S. Everett gave his support of the motion.

The Moderator asked for comments from the Audience of Citizens. With no further discussion, the Moderator called for a vote on all the Clause. MOTIONS CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

S. Everett MOVED to ADJOURN the Special Town Meeting at 6: 52pm.

Respectfully Submitted by Flo Polek

Received: September 19, 2019
At 11:48 AM
Attest: Maude W. Math ASST
Town Clerk/Assistant Town Clerk TC