

**Minutes of Special Meeting held by Go-To-Meeting on Tuesday, March 7, 2023 at 7:00 PM.**

1. Call to Order

Chairman Lentz called the Special Meeting to order at 7:00 PM. Members present and seated were Lentz, Hogarty, Cook, McGuinness, McLaughlin and Tobelman. Members present but not seated were Martin and Warren. R. Pleines was also present.

2. Item 2, Minutes, on the Agenda should be disregarded.

3. Appointment of Zoning Enforcement Officer

Chairman Lentz noted everyone has seen Mr. Burns resume. First Selectwoman Gorski sent out a letter today with the terms of his hire if the Commission decides to hire him. His background is marginally in law enforcement. He doesn't have a lot of zoning experience but a lot of experience with negotiating with people and resolving contacts. He would have to become certified which involves taking courses. He will have a couple of overlap with Tom Talbot.

Hogarty noted he is very easy going and a pleasure to talk to. You wouldn't know he was a Trooper. Comes off as a really good sensible personality.

Chairman Lentz asked if anyone had any questions or comments.

Cook noted he saw his resume and has spoken with Hogarty. His ability for the job is to keep a level head. Lentz, Hogarty and Gorski have met with this gentleman and Hogarty has been with him. He's willing to abide with Gorski's letter. Cook noted he was in support.

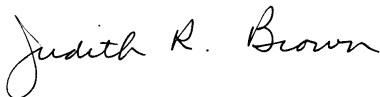
**Motion by Hogarty, second by Cook, to appoint Charles Burns as Zoning Enforcement Officer.**

Discussion followed. Question was asked if there were any time line requirements for getting qualified. Hogarty noted that is dictated by Statute. No further discussion. Lentz noted he is a good candidate and we should act quickly. He called the question. **IN FAVOR – Lentz, Hogarty, Cook, McGuinness, McLaughlin, Tobelman. PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

4. Adjournment

There being no further business, meeting adjourned at 7:06 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Judith R. Brown, Recording Secretary