

Sean E. Powers  
President  
At Large

Shannon L. Hume  
At Large

CHARLES C. Kokoros  
District 1

John C. Mullaney  
District 2

Thomas M. Bowes  
District 3



Charles B. Ryan  
Vice President  
At Large

Stephen C. O'Brien  
District 4

Michael J. Owens  
District 5

PAUL "DAN" CLIFFORD  
District 6

## OFFICE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL

# JANUARY 17, 2017

## MINUTES

A meeting of the Town Council, was held in the Cahill Auditorium, Braintree Town Hall, on January 17, 2017 beginning at 7:30p.m.

Council President Powers was in the chair.

Present: Sean Powers, President  
Charles Ryan, Vice President  
Thomas Bowes  
Paul Dan Clifford  
Shannon Hume  
John Mullaney  
Stephen C. O'Brien  
Michael Owens

Not Present: Charles Kokoros

Also Present: Liz Page, resident  
Linda Kopkind, resident

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- December 6, 2017

Motion made by Councilor Ryan to Approve Minutes of December 6, 2017

**Motion:** by Councilor Ryan

**Second:** by Councilor Bowes

**Vote:** For (8), Against (0), Absent (1-Kokoros), Abstain (0)

### OLD BUSINESS

- 16 075 Mayor: Reclassification Adjustments or take up any action relative thereto**

Motion by Councilor Bowes to Open Public Hearing for Order 16 075

**Motion:** by Councilor Ryan

**Second:** by Councilor Bowes

**Vote:** For (8), Against (0), Absent (1- Kokoros)

Council President Powers asked if any member of the Council or General Public want to speak on Order 16 075?

Council President Powers referred to Councilor O'Brien (Committee Chair) for Committee on Ways & Means recommendation.

Chairman O'Brien stated this was discussed at the Committee on Ways & Means and the recommendation was to TABLE Order 16 075.

**Motion:** by Councilor Ryan to TABLE Order 16 075

**Second:** by Councilor Bowes

**Vote:** For (8), Against (0), Absent (1- Kokoros)

• **132 16 Council President: Town Auditor Position or take up any action relative thereto**

Chairman O'Brien stated this item was TABLED at the Committee on Ways & Means.

**NEW BUSINESS**

- None

**Refer to the Committee on Ways & Means**

- 17 001 Mayor: Line Item Transfers to fund International Association of Fire Fighters Union Collective Bargaining Agreement or take up any action relative thereto

**Motion:** by Councilor Ryan

**Second:** by Councilor Bowes

**Vote:** For (8), Against (0), Absent (1-Kokoros)

**Refer to the Committee on Ordinance & Rules**

- 17 002 Mayor: Acceptance of MGL 39, Section 23D "Mullin Rule" or take up any action relative thereto

**Motion:** by Councilor Ryan

**Second:** by Councilor Bowes

**Vote:** For (8), Against (0), Absent (1-Kokoros)

**Refer to the Committee on Personnel Issues**

- 006 17 Review of Clerk of the Council Job Description and Classification or take up any action relative thereto

**Motion:** by Councilor Ryan

**Second:** by Councilor Bowes

**Vote:** For (8), Against (0), Absent (1-Kokoros)

**Topics the Chair does not reasonably anticipate will be discussed**

**UPCOMING MEETINGS:**

Next Council Meeting is - **TUESDAY, February 7, 2017@ 7:30pm**

**ADJOURNMENT**

It was unanimously voted to adjourn the meeting at 7:45p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Susan M. Cimino  
Clerk of the Council

## **Documents provided for Meeting**

- 16 075 Mayor: Reclassification Adjustments or take up any action relative thereto
- 132 16 Council President: Town Auditor Position or take up any action relative thereto