

February 29, 2016

**Special Meeting-**

The special meeting of the City of Port Jervis Common Council was held in the Council Chambers, 20 Hammond Street, Port Jervis, New York on Monday, February 29, 2016 at 5:30 p.m.

**Attendance-**

Mayor Kelly Decker and members of the Common Council were present except Robert Ritchie. Council Members Stanley Siegel, Sarah Hendry and Regis Foster arrived late during executive session. City Counsel William Bavoso, Deputy City Counsel Michael Fox, Code Enforcement Officer David Rivera, Assistant Code Enforcement Officer Laurie Powrie and City Clerk Treasurer Robin Waizenegger were also present.

Mayor Decker opened the meeting at 5:30 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Decker stated that the purpose of the special meeting was for discussion of issues regarding a matter under litigation.

Motion for Executive Session by David Bavoso seconded by George Belcher to discuss legal matters with counsel regarding an on-going litigation plus the addition of two matters from the City Clerk one for a personnel matter and advice of counsel regarding an eviction proceeding.

AYE: 5 ABSENT: 4(Ritchie, Hendry, Seigel, Foster) NAY: 0 ABSTAIN: 0 CARRIED

Adjourned to Executive session at 5:32pm.

Reconvened from Executive Session at 6:03pm.

Motion by Frank Bell, seconded by David Bavoso to approve the payment of the additional longevity increase only to employees who would have otherwise received the longevity increase, inclusive of department heads consistent with the CSEA bargaining agreement at the amount of \$208 (2080 hrs \*.10) @ 5 years of service.

AYE: 7 ABSENT: 1(Ritchie) NAY: 1(Trovei) ABSTAIN: 0 CARRIED

**Meeting Adjourned** - Motion by David Bavoso, seconded by Regis foster to adjourn the meeting at 6:05pm

AYE: 8 ABSENT: 1(Ritchie) NAY: 0 ABSTAIN: 0 CARRIED

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**Robin Waizenegger**  
City Clerk-Treasurer