

**-Approved-**  
**BRUNSWICK TOWN COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES**  
**May 3, 2010**  
**Executive Session – 6:30 P.M.**  
**Regular Meeting -7:00 P.M.**  
**Municipal Meeting Room**  
**Maine Street Station**  
**16 Station Avenue**

**Councilors Present:** Chair Joanne T. King, W. David Watson, Benjamin J. Tucker, Suzan Wilson, John M. Perreault, Gerald E. Favreau, Margo H. Knight, E. Benet Pols, and Deborah R. Atwood

**Councilors Absent:** None

**Town Staff Present:** Gary Brown, Town Manager; Fran Smith, Town Clerk; John Eldridge, Finance Director; Dave Markovchick, Director of Economic Development; Ken Brillant, Fire Chief; John Foster, Public Works Director; Cathy Donovan, Assessor; Tom Farrell, Director of Parks and Recreation; Richard Rizzo, Police Chief; Anna Breinich, Planning and Development Director; Don Koslosky, Deputy Fire Chief; Jeff Emerson, Deputy Fire Chief; Marc Hagan, Police Commander; Mark Waltz, Police Lieutenant; and TV video crew.

Chair King called the meeting to order and asked the Town Clerk for roll call.

**Executive Session: Labor Union Negotiation per M.R.S.A. §405(6)(D)**

**Councilor Atwood moved, Councilor Favreau seconded, to go into Executive Session to discuss Labor Union Negotiations per M.R.S.A. §405(6)(D). The motion carried with nine (9) yeas.**

**MEETING RESUMED AT 7:00 p.m.**

Chair King asked for the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Public Comment:**

**Peter Footer**, 261 Old Bath Road, spoke on the budget, the Library, and Parks and Recreation Department. He recommended that they raise additional funds.

**Correspondence:**

Councilor Atwood spoke on the upcoming All Species Parade through the Arts Are Elementary program. She also spoke about a new law creating a “Silver Alert System” to help find lost senior citizens.

Councilor Knight spoke on an upcoming MDOT meeting on commuter rail.

**Adjustments to the Agenda:** None

**MANAGER'S REPORT:**

**(a) Council Committee Updates**

Reports were made on the following committees: Downtown Master Plan Committee, Pleasant Street Committee and the Recycling and Sustainability Committee.

**(b) Approval to apply for MMA Safety Grants (Action Required)**

Manager Brown spoke on this item.

Don Koslosky, Deputy Fire Chief, spoke on this item.

**Councilor Watson moved, Councilor Tucker seconded, to allow the Town to apply for a MMA Safety Enhancement Grant. The motion carried with nine (9) yeas.**

**(c) Update on the Brunswick Parks and Garden Business Plan**

Councilor Tucker spoke on this item. He responded to a question from Councilor Favreau.

*(A copy of the Brunswick Parks and Garden Business Plan will be on file at the Town Clerk's Office for a period of five years)*

**(d) (ADDED) Jim Swint Memorial Dedication**

Manager Brown spoke on this item.

**(e) (ADDED) Update on Bath Road Project and Businesses still open**

Manager Brown spoke on this item.

**NEW BUSINESS ITEMS:**

**52. The Town Council will hear an overview of the School Department's Budget, and will determine if any future action is necessary.**

Paul Perzanoski, Superintendent of Schools, made the presentation.

*(A copy of the presentation will be attached to the official minutes.)*

Councilor Favreau, Councilor Perreault, Councilor Atwood, Councilor Tucker, Councilor Pols, Councilor Knight, and Chair King asked questions, to which Mr. Perzanoski responded.

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- 53. The Town Council will consider appointments to the Town's Boards and Committees, and will take any appropriate action.**

Councilor Pols made nominations:

Rudi Smith for the Cable Television Committee  
Rudi Smith for the Citizens Initiative Clarity Board  
John Donovan for the Davis Fund Committee  
Don Kniseley for the Davis Fund Committee  
Morton Hamlin for the Elementary School Building Committee  
Carol Visser for the Elementary School Building Committee  
Paul Clark for the Housing Authority  
John Donovan for the Housing Authority (balance of a term)

Hearing no other nominations, the Council voted eight (8) yeas for the above list. Councilor Watson was opposed.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

- (a) Approval of extended Registrar's Hours for the June 8, 2010 Election**

**Councilor Tucker moved, Councilor Pols seconded, to approve the Consent Agenda. The motion carried with nine (9) yeas.**

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m. into a workshop.

**PLEASE NOTE: THESE MINUTES ARE ACTION MINUTES. THE ENTIRE MEETING CAN BE VIEWED AT WWW.BRUNSWICKME.ORG.**

*Frances M. Smith*  
*Town Clerk*  
*May 10, 2010*

May 17, 2010  
*Date of Approval*

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*Council Chair*