

Minutes
Select Board Special Meeting
Monday June 29, 2009
7:00 pm

Chair Person Robert Barkett called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm.

Present: Select Board Persons Paul Santaniello, William Scibelli, Robert Barkett; Mark Gold and Rob Aseltine.

Also Present (as signed in): T. Cignoli, P. McNERNEY, Chief Siano; Town Manager Robin Crosbie and Recording Secretary Stacy Wieners.

7:04 pm Presentation Redflex Traffic Systems – Mr. McNERNEY of Redflex Traffic Systems made a detailed presentation to the Select Board. Redflex is an international company that provides, installs and maintains state of the art cameras at selected intersections. Working in conjunction with the local police department the main goal is to catch and ultimately ticket those vehicles that run red lights; thus lowering the number of accidents in certain areas, increasing the safety for pedestrians and making drivers more aware. The system is of no cost to the Town and the Town would make money on those tickets paid. The Town cannot install the system until Redflex passes legislation; and that is looking favorable at this time. Mr. McNERNEY requested that the Select Board make a decision about moving forward with the program in the near future so that when legislation is passed, Longmeadow can be “in the front of the line” for installation. The Select Board will place this on a future agenda for further discussion.

Attorney Scibelli made a motion to adjourn the regular meeting and enter into Executive Session for the purpose Collective Bargaining not to return to open session. A roll call vote: M. Gold – YES; P. Santaniello- YES; W. Scibelli-YES; R. Barkett – YES; R. Aseltine -YES. The Select Board closed the Regular Meeting and entered into Executive Session. The Special Meeting was adjourned at 7:45 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Stacy Wieners