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**AD HOC REPORT
SISTER CITY
NOVEMBER 5, 2008**

This is a continuation of the Sister City Ad Hoc committee which met in August 2008.

Chairman Phil Curran called the meeting to order at 6:10 p.m. In attendance was committee member Jim Johnson, ex-officio members Gregg Seabury and Jack Knapp, Deb Fako from A.O.H., and members of the public. Committee Member Warren Levy was absent.

Mr. Curran stated the purpose of the committee was to consider adopting a sister city in Kilarney, Ireland. Mr. Seabury received an email from Mr. O'Leary, Town Clerk of Kilarney. Representatives from Kilarney plan to come to the U.S. in March for St. Patrick's Day and they would like to have a meeting with Danbury officials and members of the A.O.H.

Mr. Curran asked Ms. Fako what was the position of the A.O.H. She said there should not be a problem being a sister city to Kilarney, there is a lot of interest among the group in doing this.

Mr. Johnson moved to have Mayor Boughton to write a letter to Town Clerk O'Leary of Kilarney indicating our intent to become a sister city with them and inviting them to meet with us during their visit to the U.S. in March, 2009. Seconded by Mr. Curran. The motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Johnson moved to adjourn at 6:20pm. Seconded by Mr. Curran. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Phil Curran, Chairman

Jim Johnson

Warren Levy