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AD HOC REPORT
Appointment of Council at Large

Hon. Mark D. Boughton, Mayor
Common Council Members

June 25, 2007

Councilman Joe Cavo called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M. In attendance were committee members Pauline Basso and Fred Visconti. Also in attendance were Gregg Seabury, Mary Teicholz, Shay Nagarsheth, Jim Johnson, Paul Rotello, Ben Chianese, and Mike Calandrino, ex-officio, Mayor Mark D. Boughton, Phil Curran, candidate for Council at Large, and members of the public.

Mr. Cavo asked Mr. Chianese to explain to the committee why he requested this appointment be referred to an ad-hoc meeting. Mr. Chianese stated many reasons why he made the request. The main reason was that the City Charter states that a vacancy must be filled within 40 days. This vacancy has taken much longer than that. Mayor Boughton stated that there has been a vacancy for an alternate on the Zoning Board for almost a year that has not yet been filled. It is only at this time that Mr. Chianese brings up the Charter in reference to filling vacant positions. Mrs. Basso expressed disappointment in the request for an ad-hoc committee meeting when Mr. Curran is loved and respected by the city.

Mrs. Basso moved to approve the request of the Republican Town Committee to appoint Phil Curran at the next Council Meeting. Seconded by Mr. Visconti. Motion passed unanimously.

Mrs. Basso moved to adjourn at 6:40 PM. Seconded by Mr. Visconti. Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joe Cavo, Chairman

Pauline Basso

Fred Visconti