Town of Greenville Board of Selectmen Minutes- October 7, 2020

Call to Order at 3:31 p.m. This meeting was conducted in accordance with Governor Sununu's Emergency Order #12 pursuant to Executive Order 2020-04. Present at Town Hall: Selectman Douglas Reardon and Town Administrator Tara Sousa. Attending via Zoom conference call: Chairperson Mary and Selectwoman Margaret Bickford.

Old Business: Fire Chief Hiring

Motion by Chairperson Mary, 2nd by Selectwoman Bickford, to appoint Gregg Eastman as Fire Chief for a 2-year term.

Motion carried by roll call vote: C. Mary, yes; D. Reardon, No; M. Bickford, yes.

Motion by Chairperson Mary, 2nd by Selectwoman Bickford, to enter non-public session pursuant to RSA 91-a:3,II(a & c) at 3:34 p.m.

Motion carried by roll call vote: C. Mary, yes; D. Reardon, yes; M. Bickford, yes.

Selectman Reardon explained the reasoning for his vote, with seniority in the department being a primary factor. Selectman Reardon expressed support for the new Chief, as both interviewees were strong candidates. Potential conditions on the appointment were discussed, with no action taken.

Motion by Chairperson Mary, 2nd by Selectwoman Bickford, to re-enter public session at 3:37 p.m. Motion carried by roll call vote: C. Mary, yes; D. Reardon, yes; M. Bickford, yes.

The Chair reported no action was taken in non-public session. Selectwoman Bickford's connection to the meeting was lost, so the meeting was recessed for approximately 10 minutes until she was able to reconnect. The Selectmen discussed scheduling regular check-ins with the new Chief. The Town Administrator was directed to notify the candidates of the Selectmen's decision.

Motion by Chairperson Mary, 2nd by Selectman Reardon, to adjourn at 3:52 p.m. Motion carried by roll call vote: C. Mary, yes; D. Reardon, yes; M. Bickford, yes.

Submitted by: Tara Sousa/Town Administrator

Approved by:

Carla C. Mary/Chairperson

Douglas A, Reardon/Selectman

Margaret Bickford/Selectwoman