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Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Brenda Rappaport, Barbara L'Heureux, Joe Impemba, Toni Ann Natola, Bill Gaffney, Ernie Covino, Jack Kelly, Sunil Prajapati, Jessica Sutherland

Brenda - was anyone else there?

Chair Rappaport summarized the Aug 2 subcommittee meeting at which 4 applicants were interviewed. Applicants interviewed were:

Sunil Prajapati
Ali Eghlima
Jessica Sutherland
Christopher Hartling
Jack Kelly

The subcommittee vote was presented to the committee:

Christopher Hartling	3
Jessica Sutherland	2
Jack Kelly	1

The six members discussed the four candidates who interviewed for the open planning seat.

Mr Eghlima is intelligent and earnest. He is sincere in his desire to serve his community.

Mr Prajapati is intelligent and has a broad view of the needs of the town. He takes a high level, long-range view of planning.

Jessica Sutherland clearly understands the responsibilities and needs of the board. She has been watching meetings and came prepared. She is intelligent and sincere in her desire to serve.

Christopher Hartling has experience in town government, on Town Meeting and on Select board.

Jack Kelly has more relevant experience than all other candidates. He can be productive without requiring any training. His legal background would be valuable to the board.

The board members discussed the pros and cons of each candidate as well as the possibility of getting the required minimum six votes at the joint meeting.

Comments were taken from Mr Kelly and Mr Prajapati.

Brenda - did Jessica comment?

Member L'Heureux made a motion to put forward Jessica Sutherland for consideration at the joint meeting on August 15, 2022. The vote was 4 in favor and 2 against with members Impemba and Gaffney voting against.

The meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by
Brenda Rappaport

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