



TOWN OF ROCKLAND

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Executive Session Minutes of January 4, 2010

SELECTMEN'S MEETING

Monday, January 4, 2010 7 p.m.

H. BERNARD MONAHAN MEMORIAL ROOM
TOWN HALL, 242 UNION STREET
ROCKLAND, MASSACHUSETTS

Chairman Simpson called the executive session to order:

**All members present except Mr. Johnson,
Attorney Clifford, TA Chiocca also present**

1. Mr. Chiocca informed the BOS a Federal lawsuit had been filed by Mr. Kevin McGee against the Police Chief and two Members of the ZBA. Matter was referred to Atty. Clifford and our Insurance Company. The case will likely cost Rockland a \$10,000.00 deductible.

Mr. Zupkofska stated he would leave the room because of an unstated conflict of interest. Mr. Chiocca stated he did not feel it was necessary for Mr. Zupkofska to leave as discussion was not needed he was just informing the BOS that Mr. McGee had filed a suit and information had been forwarded to the town's insurance carrier.

2. Atty. Clifford discussed an upcoming hearing in Boston at Civil Service regarding a complaint by 3 Police Department members over the appointment of the Deputy Chief.

3. Discussion took place regarding the renegotiation of the Fire Chief's contract. Atty. Clifford and TA Chiocca to explore options and report back to the BOS.

~Motion to adjourn by Mr. Chaffee, 2nd by Mr. Zupkofska passed 4-0 by roll call vote.

Meeting ended at 9:48 P.M.

Allan R. Chiocca
Town Administrator

Lawrence J. Chaffee, Vice Chairman
for the Board of Selectmen