

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER



OFFICE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL

APPROVED – 08/18/20 (2-0 Vote)

Rules & Procedures Committee Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: 06/01/20

Committee Members Present:

Shawn George, Member, District 3, Councilor

Frank Sousa, District 7, Councilor

Committee Members Not Present:

Peter Colombotos, District 6, Councilor

Others in Attendance: None

Call to Order: 7:01 pm

Minutes

- May 14, 2020

Motion: Councilor Sousa made a motion to approve which was duly seconded.

A roll call vote was taken with results recorded as follows:

Sousa – YES, George – YES. The motion passed 2-0.

Legislation Referred:

- Order O-FY20-057: Town Council Acceptance of Electronic Signatures by Municipal Boards Recording Standard

Motion: Councilor George made a motion to recommend approval for discussion which was duly seconded.

Discussion: Councilor Sousa was concerned that this may lead to someone being added or proposed legislation being changed without notice. Councilor George commented that he believed this is to only make electronic signatures legal and binding as wet signatures since the Town Council will not be able to be physically in the same room for the foreseeable future. Councilor Sousa was comfortable with that explanation.

A roll call vote was taken with results recorded as follows:

Sousa – YES, George – YES. The motion passed 2-0.

Public Comment - None

Motion: A motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Sousa. The motion was seconded by Mr. George.

A roll call vote was taken with results recorded as follows:

Sousa – YES, George – YES. The motion passed 2-0.

The meeting adjourned at 7:08 p.m.