

CITY OF LYNN

**Emergency City Council Meeting – March 15, 2017
Council President Darren P. Cyr Presiding**

**Nine Members Present (Councilor Trahant, and Councilor Colucci absent).
Moment of Silence. Councilor LaPierre asked that the family of Tim Ring and Mark Currier be remembered. Council Vice-President Barton also asked that the Dorgan Family be remembered.
Pledge of Allegiance**

To Take Whatever Action the Council So Desires on the Following:

Postponing Special Election scheduled on Tuesday, March 14, 2017 due to pending Blizzard with an EMERGENCY.

Motion made Councilor Capano and seconded by Councilor Cahill to reschedule the Special Election relating to the construction of two New Middle Schools that had been scheduled for Tuesday, March 14, 2017 until Tuesday, March 21, 2017. All ballots previously cast shall be counted per Order of the Honorable Judge Lauriet. Further ordered that Assistant City Solicitor Richard Vitali shall request permission from the Honorable Justice Lauriet to hold said Special Election on Tuesday, March 21, 2017 and further that the Election Office permit for Absentee Ballots to be cast up until Noon on March 20, 2017 in accordance with the rules we have followed for this election.

Councilor Barton attached the following Emergency Preamble:

WHEREAS, A Special Emergency exists involving the peace, health and safety of the people or their property in the City of Lynn.

WHEREAS, An Emergency relative an Order to reschedule the Special Election relating to the construction of two New Middle Schools that had been scheduled for Tuesday, March 14, 2017 until Tuesday, March 21, 2017. All ballots previously cast shall be counted per Order of the Honorable Judge Lauriet. Further ordered that Assistant City Solicitor Richard Vitali shall request permission from the Honorable Justice Lauriet to hold said Special Election on Tuesday, March 21, 2017 and further that the Election Office permit for Absentee Ballots to be cast up until Noon on March 20, 2017 in accordance with the rules we have followed for this election.

THEREFORE BE IT VOTED BY THE LYNN CITY COUNCIL THAT THE FOREGOING CONSTITUTES AN EMERGENCY.

Emergency Preamble was adopted by the following yea and nay vote:

9 YES 0 NO (Councilors Trahant and Colucci absent).

Emergency Order was then adopted by the following yea and nay vote:

9 YES 0 NO (Councilors Trahant, and Colucci absent).

Motion made by Councilor Barton and seconded by Councilor Lozzi to adjourn.

Notice of this meeting was posted in the City Clerk's Office at least forty-eight (48) hours in advance.

A True Copy Attest:

CITY CLERK