

**BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS SPECIAL MEETING**  
**October 22, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.**  
**Southington Police Department**  
**69 Lazy Lane**  
**Southington, CT 06489**

Chairman James Verderame called the meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners to order at 6:00 p.m. at the Southington Police Department, 69 Lazy Lane, Southington, CT with the following in attendance:

Commissioner Sinclair, Commissioner Pestillo, Commissioner DellaVecchia, and John F. Daly, Chief of Police.

Administrative staff in attendance:  
Deputy Chief William Palmieri

**James Verderame, Chair, presides:**

1. **Pledge of Allegiance.** The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by everyone in attendance.

Motion to enter into executive session was made by Commissioner Pestillo excluding the public and press for the purposes of personnel issues. Commissioner DellaVecchia seconded. Included in executive session Deputy Chief Palmieri. Motion passes unanimously on a voice vote.

Whereupon, The Commission went into Executive Session.

**2. Executive Session**

The Southington Board of Police Commissioners entered executive session immediately following their regular meeting with the following in attendance in order to discuss personnel, contractual and security issues:

Chairman Verderame, Commissioner Sinclair, Commissioner Pestillo, Commissioner DellaVecchia, and John F. Daly, Chief of Police and Deputy Chief William Palmieri.

No motions were made or votes taken during executive session.

Executive session was adjourned.

### **3. Regular Session**

Commissioner Pestillo made a motion to return to public session. Commissioner Sinclair seconded. Motion passed unanimously on a voice vote.

### **4. Police Officer Vacancies**

Commissioner Pestillo made a motion to hire Deemi Beljean and Steven Schlitten as Police Officers as of November 11, 2019. Seniority will be determined according to final class ranking upon graduation from the Police Academy. Commissioner DellaVecchia seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously on a voice vote.

Commissioner Sinclair made a motion to adjourn the Board of Police Commissioners Special Meeting. Commissioner DellaVecchia seconded. Motion passed unanimously on a voice vote.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Lapreay", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Jodi Lapreay  
Recording Secretary