

**TOWN OF WALES, MA**  
**SELECT BOARD MEETING**

Office of the Select Board, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
3 Hollow Road, Wales, MA

**Meeting of Monday, April 12, 2021**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**Attendance:**

Select Board: William Matchett, Michael Valanzola, John Grasso

Also: Pamela Leduc, Executive Secretary

Discussion began with the following individuals participating via on-line meeting: Martin Hernandez, John Brouder, Kerri Glanville; Dawn Godek, Philip Katz, MTA Representative

The following motion was made in open session but also posted here for clarification:

**Motion:**

Mr. Valanzola moved, seconded by Mr. Gasso, to at 4:40 p.m. enter into Executive Session pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 30A, §21(a), Exemption 2: To conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with non-union personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions or contract negotiations with non-union personnel.

*Wales Teachers' Association*

*Wales Education Support Personnel*

*Teamsters Local 404*

*Retired State, County and Municipal Employees Association of Massachusetts;*

**And:**

Pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 30A, §21(a), Exemption 3: to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares.

*Wales Teachers' Association*

*Wales Education Support Personnel*

*Teamsters Local 404*

*Retired State, County and Municipal Employees Association of Massachusetts;*

A roll call vote was taken.

YES – Valanzola, Grasso, Matchett

Upon entering Executive Session, the entry into the on-line meeting system was closed.

The purpose of the joint meeting with the Public Employee Committee (PEC) is to discuss and negotiate proposed changes to the town's health insurance plan design for FY2022.

**Motion:**

Mr. Valanzola moved, seconded by Mr. Grasso, to reconvene in open session at 5:22 p.m.

A roll call vote was taken.

YES – Valanzola, Grasso, Matchett

Minutes transcribed by Pat Gauthier

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