

CITY OF EAST PROVIDENCE

POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM

JOURNAL

A special meeting of the Fire and Police Retirement System Board of Trustees was held on Wednesday, the 9th of April 2025 in Conference Room A at City Hall, 145 Taunton Avenue, East Providence, RI 02914 at 9:00 a.m.

Trustees:

Lt. Adam Christina, Chairman, Fire Representative – present
Det.Cpl. Patrick Kelley, Vice Chairman, Police Representative - absent
James Bellamy, Retiree Representative - present
John F. Wallace, Civilian Representative - present
Frank Fogarty, Councilman, City Council Representative – present
Roberto L. DaSilva, Mayor – present
Glenda Delgado, Director of Finance, Administrator – present

Other Attendees:

Robert Perry, HR Director
Michael J. Marcello, City Solicitor
Kim Brown, Pension Clerk

Open Session Called to Order at 9:05 am by Chairman Christina

VOTE	ADAM CHRISTINA	PATRICK KELLEY	JAMES BELLAMY	JOHN WALLACE	COUNCILMAN FOGARTY	MAYOR DaSILVA	GLENDA DELGADO
Aye	√		√	√	√	√	√
Nay							
Abstain							
Absent		√					

Vote to go into Executive Session

The Police and Fire Retirement System of the City of East Providence may meet in closed Executive Session pursuant to RI General Laws § 42-46-5 (a)(1) for a discussion related to the physical or mental health of a person or persons related to a request for a disability pensions – notice given.

The Solicitor asked if the clerk had given notice and heard back from Mr. Handfield, and if so did he want an open meeting. Kim stated that notice was given and he did not reach out. The Director of HR, Robert Perry was asked to join executive session. Roll call vote to go into and call Executive Session to order, including Mr. Perry was made at 9:05 am

VOTE	ADAM CHRISTINA	PATRICK KELLEY	JAMES BELLAMY	JOHN WALLACE	COUNCILMAN FOGARTY	MAYOR DaSILVA	GLENDA DELGADO
Aye	√		√	√	√	√	√
Nay							
Abstain							
Absent		√					

Reconvene in Open Session at 10:08 am

Reading of the votes from Executive Session

The clerk stated that there was one unanimous vote made during executive session. The Board approved a non-service related taxable disability pension for Mr. Handfield effective as of today with an annual non compounded COLA of 2.25%. The clerk is to calculate and draft a letter for the Solicitor to review before it is sent certified mail to Mr. Handfield today.

Adjournment

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 10:08 am by Trustee Bellamy and 2nd by Trustee Wallace

VOTE	ADAM CHRISTINA	PATRICK KELLEY	JAMES BELLAMY	JOHN WALLACE	COUNCILMAN FOGARTY	MAYOR DaSILVA	GLENDA DELGADO
Aye	√		√	√	√	√	√
Nay							
Abstain							
Absent		√					