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Robert V. Russo
Councilman - District 4

Robert J. Civetti
Councilman - District 5

Special Meeting

Minutes

January 8th, 2018

The Johnston Town Council held a special meeting on **Monday, January 8th, 2018** at the Johnston Municipal Court, 1600 Atwood Avenue, Johnston, RI 02919

Council President Verardo called the meeting to order at 6:40 p.m.

Roll Call

All Council members were present

Also present were: William J. Conley, Jr., Esq., Vincent P. Baccari, Jr. and Donna Dumont, stenographer

Council shall seek to enter into Executive Session Pursuant to Rhode Island General Laws of 1956, as amended pursuant to § 42-46-5 (a) (2) for discussion /action on:

- **Machado v. Town of Johnston, et al - C.A. No. 17-304-M-LDA**
- **Potential Litigation/Public Nuisance Lawsuit regarding Opioid Epidemic Litigation**

Councilman Russo made a motion to enter into Executive Session pursuant to Rhode Island General Laws of 1956, as amended pursuant to § 42-46-5 (a) (2) for discussion /action on Machado v. The Town of Johnston, et al & Potential Litigation/Public Nuisance Lawsuit regarding Opioid Epidemic Litigation. The motion was seconded by Councilman Santilli.

Roll call vote:

District 1: Aye

District 3: Aye

District 4: Aye

District 5: Aye

District 2: Aye

Motion carried; Vote 5-0

Council in Executive Session

Return to Open Session:

While in Executive Session, a vote was taken and unanimously passed to enter into a national group lawsuit regarding opioid epidemic litigation.

Sealing of the minutes

Councilman Russo made a motion to seal the minutes of the January 8th, 2018 Executive Session
The motion was seconded Councilman Santilli
Motion carried; Vote 5-0

Adjournment

Councilman Russo made a motion to adjourn
The motion was seconded by Councilman Civetti
Motion carried; Vote 5-0

The meeting adjourned at 6:53 p.m.

**FOR DETAILED COMMENTS/STATEMENTS REGARDING ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
WITHIN, PLEASE REFER TO THE TRANSCRIPT PREPARED BY THE STENOGRAPHER**

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