Light Commission March 12, 2025 meeting minutes

To: Light Commission: Commissioners

Light Department: J. Kowalik, General Manager

From: Jean-Jacques Yarmoff, Secretary

Date: March 13, 2025

A quorum being present, Vice-Chair Frechette brought the meeting to order at 4:20 pm. The meeting was held in person at the Light Department headquarters building, 80 Commercial Street, Marblehead.

Participated in meeting:

Commissioners: Commissioners Frechette. Hull, Smith and Yarmoff participated in person.

Commissioner Wolf had recused herself from the discussions and did not

participate in the meeting.

MMLD: General Manager, Joe Kowalik.

Executive Session

Vice-Chair Frechette requested a motion to meet in Executive Session to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions or contract negotiations with nonunion personnel, not to return to open session.

The motion was moved by Commissioner Yarmoff, seconded by Commissioner Hull. Votes: Simon Frechette: Yes; Mike Hull: Yes; Adam Smith, Yes; Jean-Jacques Yarmoff: Yes.

The Executive Session started at 4:21 pm, with Vice Chair Frechette leading the meeting and Commissioners Hull, Smith and Yarmoff and General Manager Joe Kowalik participating. Commissioner Wolf had recused herself from the discussions and did not participate in the meeting.

The Executive Session concluded at 6:15 pm at which point a motion to adjourn was proposed, seconded and, after a roll call of the commissioners voting unanimously in favor, adopted.

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