# STANDISH CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING OCTOBER 21, 2010

## CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Mayor Winslow called the special meeting of the Standish City Council to order at 5:30 p.m.

## 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Winslow.

## 3. ROLL CALL

Present: Ireland, Winslow, Reno(arrived at 5:32 p.m.), Macaulay, Tunney(arrived at

5:34 p.m.) + ADO NESON (per MINUTES OF 1118-2010)

Absent: Sanford

Mayor Winslow stated the purpose of this Special Meeting is to hear, discuss and decide on all matters pertaining to the yearly performance evaluation of Michael J. Moran III, the City Manager for the City of Standish.

Mayor Winslow then opened the floor for questions and comments for the Council.

Moran stated his accomplishments for the past year citing the better moral of the office personnel under his tenure, noting his better understanding of the budget and reported that November will be the six (6) month mark and he does not note any significant overspending in the 2010/2011 fiscal year budget. Moran also stated that he felt that he would be able to prepare the next fiscal year budget being 2011/2012.

Moran cited his open lines of communication with department heads as one of his accomplishments and that staff was always involved in projects. Moran stated he felt has a good working relationship with the Police Chief but would like it to be better. Moran stated that he would make the time to ride along with the Police Chief to help improve the relationship.

Nelson questioned Moran on who the Department Heads report too. Moran stated at all Department Heads report to the City Manager. Moran stated that he will soon be conducting evaluations on all the employees next week.

Nelson stated he felt the City Manager could do a better job with his recommendations to Council on issues and wanted the City Manager to give more direction to the Council.

Reno stated that he wanted the City Manager to be better prepared with information and documentation regarding agenda items and didn't want to have additional information

given to Council on the night of a meeting but in advance of the meetings. Reno also wanted the City Manager to give better direction to the City Council.

Mayor Winslow stated that he wanted the City Manager to focus more on the issues facing the City today and not think about the prison. Winslow stated that he felt the City should proceed as if the prison will not be opening back up and should operate and make decisions on that premise.

### 4. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further comments or questions from Council, MOVED by Macaulay and supported by Tunney to adjourn the Special Meeting at 6:13 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

Peggy Burtch, City Clerk

Mark J Winslow, Mayor