

Special Meeting – April 8, 2026

The Taunton Retirement Board (the “Board”) met at 2:30 pm today at the retirement board offices, 104 Dean St., Suite 203, Taunton, MA with Chairman Dennis M. Smith presiding and board members Patrick D. DelloRusso Jr., Thomas A. Bernier, Ian D. Fortes in attendance.

Roll Call

All members were present at the 2:30 p.m. roll call. Edward J. Spellman, Jr. was absent.

Also present were:

Paul J. Slivinski, Executive Director

Karen Medeiros, Asst. Ex. Director

Jessica Gonsalves, Admin. Assistant

Jana Tremblay, Office Clerk

The Board met to review office procedures and protocols.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

At 2:32 p.m., Chairman Smith entertained a motion to go into Executive Session pursuant to M.G.L. c.30A, s. 21(a)(3) to review office procedures and protocols with the retirement staff. The Board noted that it would reconvene in open session following the executive session.

A roll call vote was taken and recorded as follows: Member Bernier “Yes”; Member DelloRusso “Yes”, Member Fortes “Yes”, Member Smith “Yes”; VOTE: 4-0-0

(The minutes of the executive session are kept in a separate minute book and will be reviewed for disclosure at a future date)

OPEN session meeting returned at 3:00 p.m.

There were no votes taken in executive session.

There being no further business to come before the board, it was voted to adjourn at 3:01 p.m.

APPROVED BOARD OF RETIREMENT

Absent

Edward J. Spellman, Jr., Appointed member

Thomas A. Bernier, Elected member

Dennis M. Smith, Elected member/Chair

Ian D. Fortes, Ex-officio member

Patrick D. DelloRusso, Jr.
Mayoral appointed member

Paul J. Slivinski, Executive Director