Notice of Public Meeting

New Bedford Retirement Board Please Post

January 26, 2021

The monthly meeting of the New Bedford Retirement Board will be held on Thursday, January 28, 2021 at 9:00 AM.

Per the March 12, 2020 Executive Order issued by Governor Baker pertaining to the COVID-19 outbreak and its impact on certain provisions of the Open Meeting Law, the meeting will be held remotely using the online platform, Zoom. Board members and members of the public may access this meeting remotely via Zoom by contacting Eric Cohen by email (ECohen@newbedfordretirement.org) or phone (508) 979-1538 for Meeting I.D. and password.

Sincerely,

Eric C. Cohen
Executive Director

1. Minutes:

- Adoption of the following minutes:
 - o November 19, 2020 Board meeting (regular and executive session);
 - o December 17, 2020 Board meeting (regular and executive session);
 - o January 6th, 2021 5th member meeting (interviews);
 - o January 8th, 2021 5th member meeting (vote)

2. Retirement Applications:

•	Maria Soares – City/School	Effective 01/02/2021; 11 yrs, 2 mos.
•	Maria Cardoso – City/School	Effective 01/02/2021; 11 yrs, 6 mos.
•	Linda Barboza – City/School	Effective 01/02/2021; 23 yrs, 6 mos.
•	Leslie Aubut – City/Health	Effective 01/04/2021; 26 yrs, 0 mos.
•	Michael Paiva – City/Police	Effective 01/09/2021; 32 yrs, 2 mos.
•	Michael Jesus – City/Police	Effective 01/09/2021; 33 yrs, 4 mos.
•	James Clark – City/Fire	Effective 01/16/2021; 32 yrs, 10 mos
•	Mark Thornhill – GNBVTHS	Effective 02/26/2021; 31 yrs 1 mos.

3. Monthly Expenses/Monthly Warrants:

4. Director Self-Evaluation and Annual Review:

5. Recoupments:

Potential Executive Session:

- 6. **Section 9:**
 - Lois S.

7. Section 101 Allowance:

• Suzanne F. (widow)

8. Disability Related Matters:

- Review of regional medical panel findings:
 - Tyson B.
 - David N.
 - Emanuel S.
- Review of application for vote to send to regional medical panel
 - Jose L. (clarifications provided by Department)
- Other:
 - Stephen R. (Attorney update)
 - Joshua F. (PERAC remand)

9. Other Business:

The Board reserves the right to consider items on the agenda out of order and discuss items which were unanticipated at the time that the agenda was created. In addition, the Board may enter into Executive Session during the meeting if requested by the individual or as deemed necessary by the Board or Legal Counsel.