

**HAMDEN TECHNOLOGY COMMISSION**  
*Minutes of the meeting of  
Special Meeting  
February 2, 2016*

**Attending:** Bill Folsom, Ken Devins, Michael Lavorgna, Colin Yankee

**Absent:** Michael Healy

**Guest:** Chuck Carrozza, Pedro Rodriguez, Adam Rozkowski, IT employees

**Call to Order**

Mr. Folsom called the meeting to order at 7:00p.m.

**Approval of Minutes**

Mr. Devins motioned to approve the minutes of January 7, 2016 seconded by Mr. Yankee. *The motion carried unanimously.*

**Department Activity**

Report from Mario DiNatale, Hamden CIO

Summary of HTC Special Meeting - 2/2/2016

The Hamden Technology Commission met with Hamden CIO Mario DiNatale and his staff. The purpose of the meeting was to have the IT staff and the Commission members meet each other, get a status update of current projects/issues that are affecting the Hamden IT department, and to explore ways that the Commission members can provide support to the on-going efforts of the Hamden IT Department.

The meeting started by having everyone in attendance introduce themselves. Next, Mr. DiNatale gave a brief overview of the current status relating to the IT equipment and systems the Town has in place. It should be noted that all of the desktop computers being used by Town employees have reached the end of their warranty periods and need to be replaced. Mr. DiNatale's overview gave the Commission some insight into his short and long-term plans to replace the equipment and bring Hamden's IT world more into line with that of a similar-sized corporation.

The members of the IT Department and the Tech Commission members then discussed the best ways that by working together, the goals of improving the Town's use of IT and providing better access to the Town's services by the citizens of Hamden could be reached. It was agreed that the best way to support the IT efforts would be constant communications between the Commission members, the Legislative Council, and those members of the Town's governance that affect the operation of the IT Department such as the Mayor, his assistants, and the Purchasing and Finance Departments.

Respectfully submitted:

William Folsom, Chairman  
Hamden Technology Commission

**Old Business**

Nothing at this time.

**New Business**

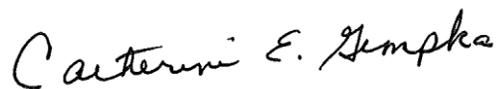
Nothing at this time.

**Adjournment**

At 7:50 p.m. Mr. Lavorgna motioned to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Devins. *The motion carried unanimously.*

*The next meeting will be Thursday March 3, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. location to be determined*

Recorded by,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Catherine E. Gempka".

Catherine E. Gempka  
Commission Clerk