

**CITY OF EASTPORT - SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16th, 2015
22 WASHINGTON ST. - EASTPORT POLICE STATION - 4:45 P.M.**

Council President, Mary Repole, called this Special Council meeting for the purpose of filling an unexpired term for a vacancy as a result of former Councilor Colleen Dana-Cummings immediate resignation of 12/9/2015.

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEEETING - 4:45 P.M.

Those in Attendance: Councilor Roscoe Archer, Councilor Michael Cummings, Councilor Colleen Dana-Cummings, Councilor Gilbert Murphy, and Council President, Mary Repole. Also present were City Manager, Elaine Abbott; Legal Counsel, Dennis Mahar; and City Clerk, Ella Kowal.

Those present in the audience were as follows: Scott Emery, Pauline Emery, Chris Bartlett, Russ Terry, Elizabeth Hastings-Renner, Denise Cassidy, Ken Brown, Chrissy Greenlaw, Dana Turner, Bonnie MacGregor, Dale Maddocks, and Cecil Cates.

- I. CALL TO ORDER** - Council President called the meeting to order at 4:45 p.m.
- II. ACCEPT RESIGNATION OF COUNCILOR DANA-CUMMINGS RECEIVED ON 12/9/2015**

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MOTION MURPHY **SECOND** ARCHER **(PASSED 3-1)**
Councilor Cummings Voted "NO"

To accept the resignation of Councilor Colleen Dana-Cummings received on 12/9/15.

- III. COUNCIL APPOINTMENT and SWEARING IN**
(To Fill the Unexpired Term of 22 Days Vacated by Councilor Dana-Cummings)
(To Fill the Unexpired Term through the Election of 11/1/2016 Vacated by Councilor Dana-Cummings)

Councilor Cummings comments to say that he feels that it should be put out to a Special Election.

Councilor Cummings gives his resignation and comments to say that it is a result of Council not listening to the people and allowing them to have their say and feels tonight's decision was made prior to anyone setting down to discuss it.

MOTION MURPHY **SECOND** ARCHER **(PASSED 3-0)**
To nominate Jan Finley to fill the unexpired term of 22 days to fill the vacancy from former Councilor Dana-Cummings seat.

MOTION MURPHY **SECOND** ARCHER **(PASSED 3-0)**
To nominate Jan Finley to fill the unexpired term through the regular municipal election of 11/2016 to fill the vacancy from former Councilor Dana-Cummings seat.

- IV. ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION ARCHER **SECOND** MURPHY **(PASSED 3-0) TIME: 4:50 P.M.**
To adjourn.