

ORGANIZATION for 2016

CITY OF HAVERHILL

JANUARY FOURTH

In accordance with the Charter of the City of Haverhill, the City Council assembled in the Nicholas J. Ross Auditorium at 10:00 o'clock A.M.

The meeting was called to order by the City Clerk.

The invocation was delivered by Father John Delaney.

The City Clerk then read from the Record of Elections, by which it appeared that a City Election, held in the City on Tuesday, the THIRD day of NOVEMBER A.D 2015, the following persons were duly elected as Mayor, Councillors and Members of the School Committee of the City of Haverhill.

To Wit:

MAYOR	For the Term of TWO YEARS	JAMES J. FIORENTINI
COUNCILLORS	For the Term of TWO YEARS	JOHN A. MICHITSON MELINDA E. BARRETT ANDRES X. VARGAS MICHAEL S. MCGONAGLE JOSEPH J. BEVILACQUA COLIN F. LEPAGE MARY ELLEN DALY O'BRIEN WILLIAM J. MACEK THOMAS E. SULLIVAN
SCHOOL COMMITTEE	For the Term of FOUR YEARS	GAIL MARIE SULLIVAN SVEN A. AMIRIAN SCOTT W. WOOD, JR.

The oath of office was then administered to the Mayor-elect as appears by the following certificate,

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Haverhill, January 4, 2016

Essex S.S.

Then personally appeared JAMES J. FIORENTINI, Mayor-elect of the City of Haverhill and was duly sworn to the faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of said office.

Before me,

Edward J. Markey
U.S. Senator

The oath of office was then administered to the Councillors-elect as appears by the following certificate,

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Haverhill, January 4, 2016

Essex S.S.

Then personally appeared JOHN A. MICHITSON, MELINDA E. BARRETT, ANDRES X. VARGAS, JOSEPH J. BEVILACQUA, COLIN F. LEPAGE, MARY ELLEN DALY O'BRIEN, WILLIAM J. MACEK, THOMAS E. SULLIVAN, Councillors-elect of the City of Haverhill and were duly sworn to the faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of said office.

Before me,

Linda L. Koutoulas
City Clerk

The oath of office was then administered to the School Committee-elect as appears by the following certificate,

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Haverhill, January 4, 2016

Essex S.S.

Then personally appeared GAIL MARIE SULLIVAN, SVEN A. AMIRIAN, SCOTT W. WOOD, JR., School Committee-elect of the City of Haverhill, and were duly sworn to the faithful and impartial discharge of said office.

Before me,

Linda L. Koutoulas
City Clerk

On motion of Councillor Barrett

VOTED: To proceed to the election of a President of the City Council

FOR

JOHN A. MICHITSON

Councillors Michitson, Barrett, Vargas, Bevilacqua, LePage, Daly O'Brien, Macek and Sullivan

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COUNCILLOR JOHN A. MICHITSON was then declared elected.

The oath of office was then administered to the President-elect as appears by the following certificate.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Haverhill, January 4, 2016

Essex S.S.

Then personally appeared JOHN A. MICHITSON, President-elect of the City Council of the City of Haverhill and was duly sworn to the faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of said office.

Before me,

Linda L. Koutoulas
City Clerk

On motion of President-elect Michitson

VOTED: To proceed to the election of a Vice-President of the City Council

FOR MELINDA E. BARRETT

Councillors Barrett, Vargas, Bevilacqua, LePage, Daly O'Brien, Macek and Sullivan
and President Michitson.

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COUNCILLOR MELINDA E. BARRETT was then declared elected.

The oath of office was then administered to the Vice-President-elect as appears by the following certificate.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Haverhill, January 4, 2016

Essex S.S.

Then personally appeared MELINDA E. BARRETT, Vice-President-elect of the City Council of the City of Haverhill and was duly sworn to the faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of said office.

Before me,

Linda L. Koutoulas
City Clerk

Benediction was then offered by Rev. Fr. Vart Gyozealian

Adjourned at 11:30 A.M.

Yeas 8, Absent 1 (McGonagle)

Attest:

Linda L. Koutoulas
City Clerk