# ACUSHNET BOARD OF SELECTMEN REGULAR MEETING TOWN HALL MEETING ROOM December 1, 2023

### I. CALL TO ORDER PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Present: Selectman David Wojnar, Selectman Robert Hinckley, and Town Administrator James

**Kelley** 

Absent: Chairman Kevin Gaspar, Sr.

Selectman Hinckley welcomed the room to the meeting with the Board of Selectmen on December 1, 2023 at 11:00 AM EST. Selectman Hinckley asked for a motion to call the December 1, 2023, regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen to order. Selectman Wojnar motioned to call the meeting to order. Selectman Hinckley seconded the motion and all were in favor. Selectman Hinckley asked the room to rise for the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### I. NEW BUSINESS

#### Appointment of new Treasurer/Collector – Jennifer Garrant

Selectman Hinckley invited Ms. Jennifer Garrant to speak at the podium. Ms. Garrant stated that she is excited to take on the challenge of becoming the new Treasurer/Collector for the Town of Acushnet. She explained her journey of how she came to be where she is in the Town of Dartmouth. She stated that she is finishing up her education for Treasurer school. Ms. Garrant explained what she did in the Town of Dartmouth and her responsibilities. She stated that she is happy to help the Town of Acushnet implement Invoice Cloud, at which Selectman Wojnar was very happy to do. Selectman Hinckley agreed with Selectman Wojnar and stated that he is excited to have Ms. Garrant as part of the team. Selectman Wojnar acknowledged Ms. Carla Mourao's contributions to the Town by holding the department together through all of the Interim Treasurer/Collectors.

Selectman Wojnar motioned to appoint Ms. Jennifer Garrant as the Town of Acushnet Treasurer/Collector with a starting salary of \$80,000 and an increase of salary of \$1,300 for each certification she receives; she is to receive 3 weeks of paid vacation annually. Selectman Wojnar also added to the motion that her appointment will be reconfirmed at the next Board of Selectmen's Regular Meeting on December 5, 2023. Selectman Hinckley seconded the entirety of the motion. Selectman Wojnar asked for those in favor, and all were in favor. Motion passed.

#### II. ADJOURNMENT

Selectman Hinckley asked if there was a motion to close the meeting. Selectman Wojnar motioned to close the meeting. Selectman Hinckley seconded the motion. Selectman Hinckley asked for those in favor, and all were in favor. The meeting adjourned.

Approved by:
Kevin A. Gaspar/ Chairman
Robert Hinckley, Member

## Inventory of Meeting Documents Acushnet Board of Selectmen December 1, 2023 Regular Meeting

### New Business

1. Resume – Jennifer Garrant