A regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held Tuesday, November 10, 2015, at 7:30 p.m. in the Aldermanic Chamber.

President David W. Deane presided; City Clerk Patricia D. Piecuch recorded.

Prayer was offered by City Clerk Patricia D. Piecuch; Alderman-at-Large Mark S. Cookson led in the Pledge to the Flag.

The roll call was taken with 14 members of the Board of Aldermen present; Alderwoman Brown and Alderwoman Melizzi-Golja were recorded absent.

Mayor Donnalee Lozeau and Corporation Counsel Stephen M. Bennett were also in attendance.

REMARKS BY THE MAYOR

Mayor Lozeau

I would begin this evening by congratulating everybody that put their name on the ballot whether they won or lost. As I’ve mentioned before I think it takes a great deal of courage to put your name out there and be judged and go through a campaign. You are taking a risk for you and for your family and for everybody involved. It’s a serious amount of work. To those of you who did win, congratulations. I am sure that the city will be well served by everyone and Mayor-Elect Donchess, I am sure you and I will be able to work well together to make it a smooth transition so that you can hit the ground running in January. I would also like to take a moment, and I’m sure you all join me in mentioning that our City Clerk did a remarkable job under very difficult circumstances with a few twists to that election. Something about write-ins, a machine breaking and all sorts of different challenges and you did so beautifully. You and your staff worked hard and it was reflective in the work that was done so thank you. I would also take a moment while I am handing out congratulations to let you all know that our Emergency Management Director, Justin Kates, has been certified as an Emergency Management Professional. It’s an international award and recognition. I’m going to read from that document “the designation is presently held by only 1,582 men and women in the emergency management profession, internationally. As a CEM as it’s called, Justin Kates demonstrated a high level of confidence and ethical fitness for emergency management. The organization is to be commended for having a professional of his caliber on your staff.” Tomorrow I should let you know that the Veteran’s Day Parade Committee has cancelled the parade due to what is supposed to be pretty bad weather. I have to say that in the eight years that I have served as Mayor this is the first parade that has been cancelled due to rain. I want you to know that at 11:00 am they are going to have a small ceremony at the Elm Street Middle School Cafeteria and you are all welcome to join us there for remarks and I think a light luncheon. Lastly I would extend my sincere condolences to our colleague, Mary Ann Melizzi-Golja as she lost her mother recently. In addition, the city has lost a true extraordinary icon in our community in the loss of Marilyn Solomon. Marilyn was one of those special people that once you interacted with her you never really forgot her. She was a champion of women’s rights, history and she did these things without causing a lot of angst. She was kind, caring and she held others before herself. The things that she has done in this community will live a very long time. Her book My Window on Main Street raised a significant amount of money that she then contributed to the Hunt Memorial Building. Her husband, Harold was extraordinarily dedicated to her. After she was diagnosed, he found a way to get her to every meeting and every event that mattered to her without ever complaining. I want to extend my deepest sympathies to her family and on Sunday, November 15th from 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. there is a tribute in her honor at the Hunt Memorial Building and everyone is welcome to join us there. As always, thank you for your kind attention.
RESPONSE TO REMARKS OF THE MAYOR

Alderman Donchess

I would like to thank Mayor Lozeau for her congratulations and I do look forward to working with you over the next couple of months. I also second your thoughts about Marilyn who has been a significant person in the community for so long. She used to write for the Telegraph and wrote a lot of nice articles.

President Deane

I got to serve at two-year term on the Hunt Board of Trustees and that's where I met Marilyn and her husband. She was a pretty remarkable person. I learned an awful lot from her and she will be missed. Thank you for recognizing her.

RECOGNITION PERIOD – None

READING MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

MOTION BY ALDERMAN McCARTHY THAT THE MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN MEETINGS OF OCTOBER 26, 2015, AND OCTOBER 27, 2015, BE ACCEPTED, PLACED ON FILE AND THE READINGS SUSPENDED
MOTION CARRIED

COMMUNICATIONS

MOTION BY ALDERMAN DONCHESS THAT ALL COMMUNICATIONS BE READ BY TITLE ONLY
MOTION CARRIED

From: David W. Deane, President, Board of Aldermen
Re: Substandard Living Conditions Special Committee

MOTION BY ALDERMAN DONCHESS TO ACCEPT, PLACE ON FILE AND CONCUR WITH THE APPOINTMENTS NAMED THEREIN
MOTION CARRIED

From: Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
Re: Contract Award for Transit Advertising Services

MOTION BY ALDERMAN MORIZARTY TO ACCEPT, PLACE ON FILE AND AWARD THE CONTRACT TO ATA TRANSIT ADVERTISING, INC.
MOTION CARRIED

From: Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
Re: Contract Award for Water Quality Sampling & Analysis, CSO Post Construction Plan

MOTION BY ALDERMAN SIEGEL TO ACCEPT, PLACE ON FILE AND AWARD THE 3-YEAR CONTRACT TO CHEMSERVE ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSTS IN THE AMOUNT OF $45,000
MOTION CARRIED
MOTION BY ALDERMAN CHASSE THAT THE RULES BE SO FAR SUSPENDED AS TO ALLOW FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF A COMMUNICATION RECEIVED AFTER THE AGENDA WAS PREPARED
MOTION CARRIED

From: Patricia D. Piecuch, City Clerk
Re: Record of Returns of Municipal Election held November 3, 2015

MOTION BY ALDERMAN CHASSE TO ACCEPT AND PLACE ON FILE THE RECORD OF THE RETURNS FROM THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION OF NOVEMBER 3, 2015; THAT THE ELECTION RESULTS FOR THE CANDIDATES NAMED THEREIN BE DECLARED FINAL AND CONCLUSIVE; AND THAT THE CANDIDATES HAVING RECEIVED THE LARGEST NUMBER OF VOTES CAST FOR THE NUMBER OF POSITIONS AVAILABLE FOR THE RESPECTIVE OFFICES, BE DECLARED DULY ELECTED BY ROLL CALL VOTE FOR THE ENSUING TERM

A viva voce roll call was taken which resulted as follows:


Nay: 0

MOTION CARRIED

President Deane

You'll be getting a memo on the Inauguration Committee. I am going to appoint Alderman-Elect Lopez, Alderman Soucy and Alderman Caron to the committee.

PERIOD FOR PUBLIC COMMENT RELATIVE TO ITEMS EXPECTED TO BE ACTED UPON THIS EVENING

Mr. Brandon Pierotti, 12 Lochmere Lane

I just wanted to introduce myself to the Board of Aldermen. I am hoping to be appointed to the Conservation Commission. I graduated from Purnell University this past May with a focus on landscape design.

President Deane

You will have an opportunity to appear in front of the Personnel & Administrative Affairs Committee for a thorough interview. You'll be contacted by the Legislative Manager on that. Thank you for coming and thank you for your willingness to serve.

PETITIONS – None
NOMINATIONS, APPOINTMENTS AND ELECTIONS

Appointments by the Mayor

The following Appointment by the Mayor was read into the record:

Conservation Commission
Brandon Pierotti (New Appointment)  
Term to Expire: December 31, 2018
12 Lochmere Lane
Nashua, NH 03063

Nashua Housing Authority
Tom Monahan (Reappointment)  
Term to Expire: October 14, 2020
28 Swart Terrace
Nashua, NH 03064

MOTION BY ALDERMAN CHASSE TO ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR AS READ AND REFER THEM TO THE PERSONNEL/ADMINISTRATIVE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
MOTION CARRIED

Appointments by the President of the Board of Aldermen

The following Appointments by the President of the Board of Aldermen were read into the record:

Hunt Legacy Trustees
Arthur Olsson (Reappointment)  
Term to Expire: December 31, 2017
169 Coburn Woods
Nashua, NH 03063

Ira F. Harris Lecture Trustees
Judith Cudhea (Reappointment)  
Term to Expire: December 31, 2017
2 Rogers Street
Nashua, NH 03064

MOTION BY ALDERMAN CARON TO ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN AS READ AND REFER THEM TO THE PERSONNEL/ADMINISTRATIVE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
MOTION CARRIED

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

Finance Committee................................................................. 11/04/15

There being no objection, President Deane declared the report of the November 4, 2015 Finance Committee accepted and placed on file.

WRITTEN REPORTS FROM LIAISONS - None

CONFIRMATION OF MAYOR’S APPOINTMENTS – None
UNFINISHED BUSINESS – RESOLUTIONS

R-15-110
Endorser:  Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
ESTABLISHING AN EXPENDABLE TRUST FUND FOR STATE EMPLOYER PENSION COSTS AND APPROPRIATING $2,730,000 FROM FUND BALANCE ASSIGNED FOR THIS PURPOSE INTO THE EXPENDABLE TRUST FUND
• Amended & Tabled, 2/24/15

R-15-185
Endorser:  Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
APPROVING A SITE LEASE AGREEMENT WITH T-MOBILE NORTHEAST, LLC TO RELOCATE THE LESSEE’S COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT LOCATED AT WHIPPLE STREET, MINE FALLS PARK TO THE NEW REPLACEMENT TOWER
Given its second reading:

MOTION BY ALDERMAN DONCHESS FOR FINAL PASSAGE OF R-15-185 CONTINGENT UPON BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS APPROVAL
MOTION CARRIED

Resolution R-15-185 declared duly adopted.

R-15-186
Endorser:  Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
APPROVING A FIRST AMENDMENT TO EASEMENT IN GROSS WITH T-MOBILE NORTHEAST, LLC (SUCCESSOR IN INTEREST TO OMNIPONT COMMUNICATIONS MB OPERATIONS, LLC) TO INCREASE EASEMENT FEES
Given its second reading:

MOTION BY ALDERMAN MORIARTY FOR FINAL PASSAGE OF R-15-186 CONTINGENT UPON BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS APPROVAL
MOTION CARRIED

Resolution R-15-186 declared duly adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS – ORDINANCES – None

NEW BUSINESS – RESOLUTIONS

R-15-187
Endorsers:  Alderman Richard A. Dowd
            Alderman-at-Large Lori Wilshire
Given its first reading; assigned to the BUDGET REVIEW COMMITTEE by President Deane
R-15-188
Endorsers: Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
Alderman-at-Large Brian S. McCarthy
Alderman Richard A. Dowd

AUTHORIZING THE EXERCISE OF THE OPTION TO PURCHASE THE HYDROELECTRIC FACILITY IN MINE FALLS PARK
Given its first reading; assigned to the COMMITTEE ON INFRASTRUCTURE by President Deane

R-15-189
Endorsers: Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
Alderman-at-Large Brian S. McCarthy
Alderman Richard A. Dowd

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY TREASURER TO ISSUE BONDS NOT TO EXCEED THE AMOUNT OF FOUR MILLION TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($4,200,000) FOR PURCHASE OF THE HYDROELECTRIC FACILITY IN MINE FALLS PARK
Given its first reading;

MOTION BY ALDERMAN MCCARTHY TO ACCEPT THE FIRST READING OF R-15-189 BY ROLL CALL, ASSIGN IT TO THE BUDGET REVIEW COMMITTEE AND THAT A PUBLIC HEARING BE SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2015, AT 7:00 PM IN THE ALDERMANIC CHAMBER

A viva voce roll call was taken which resulted as follows:

Yea: Alderman McCarthy, Alderman Dowd, Alderman Schoneman, 13
     Alderman Chasse, Alderman Caron, Alderman McGuinness,
     Alderman Cookson, Alderman Soucy, Alderman Dorchess,
     Alderman Moriarty, Alderman Siegel, Alderman Wilshire,
     Alderman Deane

Nay: 0

MOTION CARRIED

R-15-190
Endorsers: Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
Alderman-at-Large Lori Wilshire
Alderman Richard A. Dowd
Alderman-at-Large Brian S. McCarthy

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY TREASURER TO ISSUE BONDS NOT TO EXCEED THE AMOUNT OF FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ($550,000) TO PURCHASE A NEW PUMPER TRUCK FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT
Given its first reading;

MOTION BY ALDERMAN SOUCY TO ACCEPT THE FIRST READING OF R-15-190 BY ROLL CALL, ASSIGN IT TO THE BUDGET REVIEW COMMITTEE AND THAT A PUBLIC HEARING BE SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2015, AT 7:00 PM IN THE ALDERMANIC CHAMBER
A viva voce roll call was taken which resulted as follows:

**Yea:** Alderman McCarthy, Alderman Dowd, Alderman Schoneman, 13
Alderman Chasse, Alderman Caron, Alderman McGuinness, Alderman Cookson, Alderman Soucy, Alderman Donchess, Alderman Moriarty, Alderman Siegel, Alderman Wilshire, Alderman Deane

**Nay:** 0

**MOTION CARRIED**

**R-15-191**

**Endorsers:** Mayor Donnalee Lozeau
Alderman-at-Large Brian S. McCarthy

**AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY TREASURER TO ISSUE BONDS NOT TO EXCEED THE AMOUNT OF TWO MILLION TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($2,200,000) FOR THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE (“LED”) STREET LIGHTS**

Given its first reading;

**MOTION BY ALDERMAN WILSHIRE TO ACCEPT THE FIRST READING OF R-15-191 BY ROLL CALL, ASSIGN IT TO THE BUDGET REVIEW COMMITTEE AND THAT A PUBLIC HEARING BE SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2015, AT 7:00 PM IN THE ALDERMANIC CHAMBER**

A viva voce roll call was taken which resulted as follows:

**Yea:** Alderman McCarthy, Alderman Dowd, Alderman Schoneman, 13
Alderman Chasse, Alderman Caron, Alderman McGuinness, Alderman Cookson, Alderman Soucy, Alderman Donchess, Alderman Moriarty, Alderman Siegel, Alderman Wilshire, Alderman Deane

**Nay:** 0

**MOTION CARRIED**

**NEW BUSINESS – ORDINANCES** – None

**Alderman Soucy**

Before we go to general public comment I would like to make a motion.

**MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES FOR A SECOND RECONSIDERATION OF O-15-146**

**ON THE QUESTION**

The reason that I would like to consider reconsideration is because in the veto letter there was an agreement that in the median area it is a safety issue and I think we can address that. When it failed we were missing the (inaudible) vote. I know that the majority of this horseshoe would like to see it happen and the polls are indicating that 81.46% of the citizens would also like this to happen so based on that I would like a second reconsideration of O-15-146.
President Deane

You need somebody that voted on the prevailing side of that to make that motion.

Alderman Soucy

I thought if I suspended the rules; oh okay, I'm sorry, I get it.

President Deane

Our rules state that you have to be from the prevailing side to reconsider. It was a 7 to 7 tie and the prevailing side, even though it was tied, still goes; the winner is still…

Alderman Moriarty

I totally agree with that but what has me perplexed is the motion is to suspend the rules in order to allow him to do it and I don't know whether or not that is actually valid. It's a parliamentary inquire.

President Deane

Is that a valid motion?

Alderman Soucy

I'm not asking for reconsideration now I'm just asking to suspend the rules.

President Deane

You are asking to suspend the rules to reconsider. That would waive our rule of having someone from the prevailing side make the motion to reconsider.

Alderman Soucy

Right.

Attorney Bennett

I think that motion is in order.

Alderman Soucy

It just needs 8 votes to say yes to waive it.

President Deane

Okay so the motion is to suspend but even when you go back and look at...although it's not in place I believe our motion to suspend requires 10 but I brought that up and I was told that didn't hold water for some reason. Alderman McCarthy, didn't you…

Alderman McCarthy

We have an ordinance to that effect but I think the general principal is that we can't restrict ourselves beyond those powers that are given to us by the charter which allows a simple majority to suspend the rules.
President Deane

Would you repeat your motion, Alderman Soucy?

MOTION BY ALDERMAN SOUCY TO SUSPEND THE RULES FOR A SECOND RECONSIDERATION OF O-15-146

ON THE QUESTION

Alderman Siegel

Is there comment on this?

President Deane

Yes, absolutely. Actually no you can't because it's a procedural motion.

Alderman Siegel

Roll call.

A viva voce roll call was taken which resulted as follows:

Yea: Alderman Schoneman, Alderman Chasse, Alderman McGuinness, Alderman Cookson, Alderman Soucy, Alderman Siegel, Alderman Wilshire, Alderman Deane 8

Nay: Alderman McCarthy, Alderman Dowd, Alderman Caron, Alderman Donchess, Alderman Moriarty, 5

MOTION CARRIED

MOTION BY ALDERMAN SOUCY TO RECONSIDER O-15-146

ON THE QUESTION

Alderman McCarthy

I think what we did is we just threw out the rule that a motion to reconsider must be made by a member of the prevailing side.

President Deane

No, what we did is we suspended the rules to not have to use that which is perfectly allowable. It's like the original piece of legislation, everybody had an opportunity to vote for it or against it and there were only 14 people here.

Alderman Moriarty

That motion is debatable and I sympathize with Alderman McCarthy that it is poor precedent setting to suspend the rules in order to go against something that has been established for a long time but I voted no. Other people could have voted no but I couldn't say that prior.
President Deane

There was a former Alderman here that spent quite a bit of time on his veto process and I guess this is a portion of it that he didn't pick up on.

Alderman McCarthy

Roll call.

A viva voce roll call was taken which resulted as follows:

Yea: Alderman Schoneman, Alderman Chasse, Alderman McGuinness, Alderman Cookson, Alderman Soucy, Alderman Siegel, Alderman Wilshire, Alderman Deane, 8

Nay: Alderman McCarthy, Alderman Dowd, Alderman Caron, Alderman Donchess, Alderman Moriarty, 5

MOTION CARRIED

MOTION BY ALDERMAN SOUCY TO REFER O-15-146 TO THE PERSONNEL & ADMINISTRATIVE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

ON THE QUESTION

Alderman Chasse

This will be at our final meeting which is December 14, 2015, so I would ask that if anybody has any interest in this to please show up at that meeting so we can put this to bed.

Alderman McCarthy

I am not going to support the motion to re-refer. We did this once before after discussion of this ordinance at the full Board and we were promised that amendments would come back to make it better and what came back was precisely the text that had been sent back to us the previous time.

Alderman Soucy

I didn’t make that promise to send another amendment forward; that came in the veto letter. I do have some very creative things to write but we will discuss that at the Personnel & Administrative Affairs Committee.

MOTION CARRIED

PERIOD FOR GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT

Ms. Mary Elizabeth Carroll, 91 ½ Chandler Street

I’m really upset because nobody has called me Heidi Peek telling everyone that I have mental illness. Two years ago there was a chemical spill which she did not take care of. She let everyone go everywhere in their cars, all the beaches in MA and NH are a mess. The chemical is all over the world. How long do you think we can live with chemicals in our skin, five or ten years. My mother’s house is bad again. I felt something in the rugs and in the atmosphere. I had to leave because the airborne chemical went into my clothes, car and body. I woke last week with pain and sore throat and burning
and itching. I was contaminated. I don’t know if anyone in this town has these symptoms but did receive a phone call that one of my friends’ brothers is feeling this in Oregon. Nashua might have been an accident but the whole world was a mistake and Heidi Peek and Patti Rogers did not put this in the newspaper or post it on-line. People have a right to know what is in their skin whether they feel it or not. Ebola in Africa last year was brought to the attention of the United States because somebody cared. Heidi Peek doesn’t care about the people in Nashua or in the rest of the world. It doesn’t take two years to find out what this chemical is and get it out of their tires, rugs, floors and cars. Heidi is still calling Community Council and telling them that she is concerned about my mental health. There is nothing wrong with me mentally and she knows that, unless you call believing in God and Jesus and loving people mental illness. I do not have hallucinations or delusions; I just have weird allergies to environmental things that doctors in New Hampshire have never heard of. Bed bugs burn me. Doctors in Boston have heard of burning bed bugs. Airborne chemicals can kill us all in five to ten years but that is up to God. What about the people like my mother and sister who do not feel this? President Obama told us all about Ebola and saved us. Heidi Peek is only responsible for one city and couldn’t do her job two years ago. I’m having a psych evaluation done in March and if that psychiatrist can prove I am not crazy I will turn paperwork into you and the President of the United States and tell him what happened in November of 2013. He will be very angry when he finds out that he has chemicals in his skin and the whole world has chemicals in their skin. I’ll also go public with this on channel 4, 5, 7, 38 and 56 once I get a doctor’s note. In the meantime people have a right to know. Heidi Peek should be calling the Poison Control Center and not Community Council.

President Deane

Mayor, can we get her some help?

Mayor Lozeau

Alderman Deane, we’ve tried to help her for years. I’m not sure which direction to go. The folks that she has mentioned have tried to help her and they have not been able to come to a conclusion that makes sense. Clearly she has a medical condition that relates to some of these items that she has had to deal with and to me that is something that her physician has to help with.

REMARKS BY THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Alderman Wilshire

I would like to thank Tom Maffee for his 31 years of service as a Police Commissioner and congratulate Nick Dahl who was newly appointed by the Governor as our new Police Commissioner. Also, I would like to send my condolences to Mary Ann and Bogdan for the loss of their mother and to the family of Marilyn Solomon who was a terrific person.

Alderman Siegel

I would like to send my condolences to Mary Ann and her husband Bogdan. I would also like to commend our colleague Alderman Caron for 45 years of consecutively going to the senior outing which the Mayor recognized on Sunday. I would also like to commend the Public Health Department for having an outreach program delivering flu shots at that event.

Alderman Moriarty

I would congratulate Alderman Donchess on his commanding victory.
Alderman Donchess

Thank you, Alderman Moriarty and I would like to join Alderman Wilshire in congratulating and thanking Tom Maffee for his many years of service as a Police Commissioner and congratulate the new commissioner coming in and also my condolences to Mary Ann Melizzi-Golja’s family for their loss.

Alderman Soucy

I would like to extend prayers and condolences to Mary Ann for the loss of her mother. Commissioner Tom Maffee has served an unprecedented 30 years and congratulations to Nick Dahl who will be taking over. Also, congratulations to Mayor-Elect Jim Donchess. I’ve learned a lot from you and I think you will be a great Mayor.

Alderman Cookson

I extend condolences to Alderwoman Melizzi-Golja’s family for the loss of a very important person in their life. I would also like to say happy birthday to the Marine Corp., 240 years old. It’s unfortunate that the parade will be cancelled tomorrow but I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to all of the Veteran’s out there for their service. Those who have given the ultimate sacrifice, we thank you; it’s because of you that we have the ability to sit here and make decisions because freedom isn’t free.

Alderman McGuinness

Congratulations to Mayor-Elect Donchess and I too would like to offer my condolences to Alderwoman Melizzi-Golja and echo all of the other sentiments mentioned before.

Alderman Caron

My condolences also go out to Mary Ann and her family. Jim, I wish you good luck in the corner office, we get to work on a different plain. I also want to thank Tricia and all of the ward workers because they had to put in a lot of time counting all of those ballots. I would also like to congratulate the Parks and Rec Department for the 45 years of the annual senior outing. For the first 20 or so years we had the outing at Alpine Grove and we had 600 people there and just about every member of this Board of Aldermen would be there and the Mayor. At that time we were allowed to serve beer and wine. It was a good time and I am so pleased that we are able to continue this. There are not a lot of things that we do that are continuous. The Biddy Basketball Program just before I left celebrated 50 years. Finally, I would like to send a shout out to the Class of ’65 who celebrated their 50th class reunion about a month ago. For 30 years the class has given out scholarships and this year was the last year and they gave out $10,000. They gave $2,500 to the two high schools which is unprecedented. After paying for the expenses we were able to give each school $3,500 for their student projects for the coming year. The class of ’65 has given back to the community.

Alderman Chasse

Congratulations to Mayor-Elect Donchess and to all the other ones in the horseshoe who will be returning next term as well as the newcomers. I am disappointed that the parade is cancelled but Mother Nature is coming out to rain on my parade.

Alderman Schoneman

I would like to send my condolences to the family of Mary Ann Melizzi-Golja. Thanks to Tom Maffee for his service and he will be missed. Thanks also to the City Clerk’s Office. In Ward 3 for this last election cycle we had lights out there for the first time and it was a big help.
Alderman Dowd

I would like to give my condolences to Mary Ann and Bogdan, I have known them for many years and I know that she will miss her mother. I would also wish the best to all of the Veteran’s and condolences to all of the Veterans who have given their lives in defense of this country.

Alderman McCarthy

My condolences also to Alderwoman Melizzi-Golja and her husband. My thanks to the voters of the City of Nashua for returning me for another term. Congratulations to Alderman Donchess, I know I will enjoy working with him as Mayor. I’d also like to thank Ms. Henning’s class at the New Searle’s Elementary School. I had the opportunity to go and read to them yesterday; I read the book How a Bill becomes a Law. I would also like to extend my deepest thanks to the Veterans. We are free for a reason and they are it and I don’t think we often get to sincerely thank them like we should.

Mayor Lozeau

I don’t mean to speak out of turn but I should mention that it would be great if you all could take a minute to look at the plaza in front of City Hall. I want to thank the Department of Public Works for getting the bell in place and the ground safe because the plan tomorrow was, for the first time have the front steps of City Hall as the stage instead of the roll in portable stage. We will be ringing that bell to kick off the Holiday Stroll this year.

President Deane

I’d like to extend my condolences to Mary Ann and her family for the loss of her mom. I’d also like to thank all of our Veterans as well. Mayor-Elect Donchess, let’s go get them, congratulations!

Committee announcements:

Alderman Wilshire

The Human Affairs Committee that was scheduled for November 19th will be cancelled as there is no business.

Alderman Moriarty

One week from today Planning and Economic Development Committee will meet and we will have the Art’s Center Group which will be moderated by Alderman McCarthy.

Alderman Donchess

The Infrastructure Committee will meet on Thursday of this week.

Alderman Dowd

The School Construction Committee and the Joint Special School Building Committee has been moved to Monday the 16th.

President Deane

The Budget Review Committee is meeting 24 days before Christmas.
ADJOURNMENT

MOTION BY ALDERMAN CHASSE THAT THE NOVEMBER 10, 2015, MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN BE ADJOURNED
MOTION CARRIED

The meeting was declared adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

Attest: Patricia D. Piecuch, City Clerk
November 11, 2015

Board of Aldermen
City Hall
229 Main Street
Nashua, NH 03060

To the Members of the Board of Aldermen:

In accordance with Charter Section 23 please find attached the Record of Returns of the Municipal Election held on November 3, 2015.

The charter requires the City Clerk to “submit his record of the returns of each municipal election to the board of aldermen…and the board of aldermen shall canvass the returns and declare the result. Such declaration shall be duly recorded…”

15,275 voters turned out and cast ballots. Voter registration started out with 49,976 voters and 490 new voters registered that day. At the close of polls the voter registration total was 50,466. As such, voter turnout for this election was 30.27%.

There were nine races for Ward Election Officials for which no candidate appeared on the ballot. All of the vacancies were filled, with none of the offices resulting in a tie.

The charter question relative to election officials to file a declaration of candidacy and pay an administrative assessment instead of submitting a petition of nomination and requiring and less nomination and requiring less nomination signatures failed on a vote of 5,474 to 4,505.

I would like to express my appreciation to the schools that host our polling places as well as the folks at First Baptist Church and CrossWay Christian Church, who offer the use of their facilities for voting purposes, to the public works crew that assisted in setting up and tearing down the polls and the installation of portable lighting at First Baptist Church and to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen for their support of the City Clerk’s Office. A very special thanks to all our elected and appointed election officials, whose dedication was called upon this election, in the capturing of over 20,000 write-in votes, with over 19,000 being in one race alone. Without their dedication and support of the election process, our voting process would not run so smoothly.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
Patricia D. Piecuch
City Clerk
Record of Returns -- Municipal Election -- Nashua, NH -- November 3, 2015
[ ] denotes winner(s)
Charter sec. 23: The Board of Aldermen "on the Tues. next following such election...shall canvass the returns and declare the result"

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Mayor

One elected

| James Donchess* | 1389 | 949  | 1067 | 475  | 1047 | 837  | 798  | 904  | 1059 | 8525   |
| Chris Williams  | 1098 | 694  | 795  | 339  | 1012 | 542  | 608  | 723  | 781  | 6592   |

Alderman-at-Large

Three elected

| Brian S. McCarthy* | 1445 | 917  | 966  | 421  | 1268 | 747  | 748  | 913  | 1027 | 8452   |
| Michael B. O'Brien* | 1261 | 813  | 846  | 395  | 1121 | 703  | 690  | 823  | 1082 | 7734   |
| Daniel Richardson  | 932  | 643  | 791  | 280  | 717  | 478  | 498  | 585  | 653  | 5577   |
| Lori Wilshire*     | 1342 | 941  | 1107 | 475  | 1129 | 724  | 789  | 867  | 1002 | 8376   |

Board of Education

Five elected

| Doris Hohensee* | 918  | 650  | 816  | 320  | 845  | 514  | 524  | 667  | 714  | 5968   |
| Robert Hallowell*| 956  | 632  | 715  | 274  | 792  | 498  | 443  | 707  | 675  | 5692   |
| Howard D. Coffman*| 819  | 600  | 624  | 244  | 724  | 436  | 399  | 564  | 629  | 5039   |
| Elizabeth Van Twuyver* | 938  | 608  | 667  | 314  | 726  | 462  | 425  | 640  | 651  | 5431   |
| William Mosher*   | 880  | 632  | 663  | 278  | 881  | 510  | 449  | 645  | 695  | 5633   |
| Write-in: Ray Guarino | 696  | 426  | 373  | 236  | 520  | 370  | 394  | 331  | 541  | 3887   |
| Write-in: Donald Jean | 670  | 400  | 349  | 232  | 468  | 366  | 387  | 314  | 532  | 3718   |
| Write-in: Gwen Mikailov | 672  | 407  | 391  | 224  | 509  | 352  | 375  | 333  | 532  | 3795   |
| Write-in: Allison Nutting | 710  | 438  | 408  | 242  | 546  | 372  | 411  | 338  | 565  | 4030   |
| Write-in: Atlant Schmidt | 743  | 413  | 385  | 206  | 503  | 352  | 372  | 325  | 483  | 3782   |
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Ward Two Races

Alderman - 1 elected
Richard A. Dowd*

1215

Moderator - 1 elected
Michael J. "Jerry" Ryan*

1143

Ward Clerk - 1 elected
Maureen Lund*

1147

Selectman - 3 elected
Rosine Page*
1008
Teresa Moler*
869
Write-in: Alex DaCosta*
19

Ward Three Races

Alderman - 1 elected
David Schoneman*
Kimberly Kleiner
Christopher W. Johnson

721
619
308

Moderator - 1 elected
Arthur L. Barrett, Jr.*

1266

Ward Clerk - 1 elected
Diane Griffith*

1305

Selectman - 3 elected
Martha Barrett*
Paula E. Smith*
Sheila McLaughlin*

1023
1022
997

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**Ward Four Races**

Alderman - 1 elected
Arthur T. Craffey, Jr.
Thomas Lopez*

Moderator - 1 elected
Write-in: James Barnett*

Ward Clerk - 1 elected
Write-in: William Copson*

Selectman - 3 elected
G. Anita Perreault*
Margaret J. Gleneck*
James Dufoe*

**Ward Five Races**

Alderman - 1 elected
Don LeBrun*

Moderator - 1 elected
Albertina Clark*

Ward Clerk - 1 elected
Helen Dumont*

Selectman - 3 elected
Katherine Gates*
Elaine Marshall*
Frank Clark*
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**Ward Six Races**
Alderman - 1 elected
- Greg Surbey
- Benjamin Clemons*

Moderator - 1 elected
- Jay Corbien*

Ward Clerk - 1 elected
- Carol Lapin*

Selectman - 3 elected
- Irene D. Whitmore*
- Ronald J. Doucette*
- Vicki J. Henry*

**Ward Seven Races**
Alderman - 1 elected
- June M. Caron*

Moderator - 1 elected
- Timothy Twombly*

Ward Clerk - 1 elected
- Linda M. Twombly*

Selectman - 3 elected
- Colleen Bester-Cappucci*
- Write-in: Al Sewell*
- Write-in: Judy Blachek*
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**Ward Eight Races**

**Alderman - 1 elected**
Mary Ann Melizzi-Golja*
Ronald G. Brophy II

**Moderator - 1 elected**
John B. Lisle*

**Ward Clerk - 1 elected**
Johanna Lisle Newbold*

**Selectman - 3 elected**
Mary-Ellen Reed*
William Reed*
Write-in: Linda Bolmarcich*

**Ward Nine Races**

**Alderman - 1 elected**
Ken Siegel*

**Moderator - 1 elected**
Donald Dillaby*

**Ward Clerk - 1 elected**
Ann A. Corbett*

**Selectman - 3 elected**
Patricia A. Moreau*
Amanda Mazeroille*
Write-in: Laura Sutton*