

**TOWN OF EAST GRANBY
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING MINUTES
July 5, 2023**

A Special Town Meeting of the electors and those qualified to vote at town meetings of the Town of East Granby, Connecticut was held in the Senior Community Center on Wednesday, July 5, 2023 at 7:11 pm.

Eden Wimpfheimer, First Selectwoman, called the meeting and Town Clerk Christine Gallagher read the warning. Lee Sandora was elected Moderator of the meeting.

The Moderator explained that only those registered voters in the Town of East Granby and any US citizen 18 years or older who is liable to the town for taxes assessed against him/her either jointly or severally, based on an assessment of not less than \$1,000 on the last completed grand list of the town, are entitled to vote at this meeting

Motion was made and seconded to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the Special Town Meeting held on June 20, 2023. Motion carried.

Motion was made and seconded to accept the minutes of the Special Town Meeting held on June 20, 2023 as prepared by the Town Clerk. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Christine Gallagher and seconded to amend Chapter 153, Planning & Zoning Commission, Article I Membership, § 153-1 and 153-2 ; RESOLVED: BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED that the Town of East Granby adopt the proposed ordinance, AS PRESENTED. The Ordinance will now read as:

Chapter 153. Planning and Zoning Commission

ARTICLE I. Membership

§ 153-1. Commission created.

The Planning and Zoning Commission shall consist of seven (7) members, each with four (4) year terms (commencing upon the expiration of the current six (6) year terms), to be elected in accordance with C.G.S. §§ 8-1 to 8-2, as amended. All will serve without compensation.

§ 153-2. Election of members; vacancies.

The seven (7) members of the Planning and Zoning Commission shall be elected at the biennial municipal elections in accordance with Title 9 of the Connecticut General Statutes, as amended. Two (2) members shall be elected in 2023 to a four (4) year term; one (1) member shall be elected in 2023 to a two (2) year term; three (3) members shall be elected in 2025 to a four (4) year term, and every four years thereafter; four (4) members shall be elected in 2027 to a four year term, and every four (4) years thereafter. Vacancies, occurring for any reason, will be filled by a majority vote of the remaining members until the next biennial election, at which time a candidate to fill the unexpired term will be elected in accordance with C.G.S. §§ 8-1 to 8-2, as amended.

The Moderator appointed Registrars Cindy Krogh Clark and Michele Marin as tellers and a hand count was taken with the following result: In favor – 38; Opposed – 132. Motion failed.

Motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 7:52 p.m.

Attest,
Christine Gallagher, Town Clerk

Received for record July 6, 2023
By Christine Gallagher, Town Clerk