**TOWN OF HAMILTON**

**SPECIAL CLOSED MEETING**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29TH, 2022**

Chairman Blaine Lee opened the special closed meeting at 7:00 p.m. All of the board members were in attendance. The closed session was called for the purpose of hiring a new patrolman since Jason Pralle will be resigning from his position as of July 7, 2022 and to discuss wages, the stipend and benefits. The board will leave it up to the employees if they would like to receive the stipend on a monthly basis in a single payment or to increase their hourly rate by $4.75 instead.

Wages were discussed and were approved with motions made by Lee and supported with a second by Hoyer. The rates will take effect in July upon hiring a new patrolman and will be considered the wage increase for the 2023 budget. The meeting was adjourned by Hoyer and seconded by Degenhardt at 8:26 p.m. Motion carried.

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 Sara Schultz, Town Clerk