

**Newport City Council Special Meeting
May 24, 2023**

A duly warned Special Meeting of the Negotiation Team for the Newport City Council was held on Wednesday, May 24, 2023, in the city council room of the Newport Municipal Building. Present were Council President John Wilson, Council Member Kevin Charboneau, City Attorneys John Klesch, and Marilyn Mahusky via remote, and City Manager Laura Dolgin.

Council President John Wilson called the meeting to order at 11:57 a.m. for the purposes of conducting an internal discussion of labor negotiations.

Executive Session:

Council President John Wilson moved to find that premature public knowledge of internal labor negotiations strategy and analysis would place the city at a substantial disadvantage, and that we should therefore enter executive session under 1 V.S.A. § 313(a)(1)(B), and invite the City Attorney, City Manager, and Programs Administrator to join. Kevin Charboneau seconded the motion, and it passed.

The executive session ended at 1:00 pm.

Kevin Charboneau made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 1:01 pm, with John Wilson seconding, and the motion carried.

Attested *James Wilson* this 5th day of June, 2023.

John Wilson Council President