Councilman Gardiner thanked the Board of Safety for interviewing the candidates for the position of Fire Chief and the Town Manager's Office for coordinating the effort. There is a consensus to appoint Mark Hajduk to Chief as of February 1, 2021. Chief Pelc said the Board made a wise choice. Mr. Clark thanked Councilman Gardiner for everything he did for the process.

Mr. Clark motioned o appoint Mark Hajduk to the position of Fire Chief as of February 1, 2021. Mr. Baffa seconded the motion. All members present voted aye by roll call vote, motion approved 5-0.

Mr. Clark asked what the next step is? Mr. Westland responded that the selection does not need Town Council approval though suggested Councilman Gardiner make an acknowledgement and acceptance at the Town Council meeting. Mr. Westland added the formal announcement should be at a Town Council meeting. Councilman Gardiner stated he will coordinate with the Town Manager and Mark Hajduk for a future meeting.