

1 **Minutes of the New Market**  
2 **Special Called**  
3 **Town Council Meeting**  
4 **Thursday, August 31, 2023**  
5 **6:30 pm**  
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7 The New Market Town Council met in the Council Chambers of the New Market  
8 Town Office on Thursday, August 31, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. with the following members  
9 present: Mayor Larry Bompiani, Peggy Harkness, Bob King, Janice Hannah, Daryl  
10 Watkins, and Peter Hughes. Council members Scott Wymer.  
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12 Mayor Bompiani called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. and established a  
13 quorum with five members present.  
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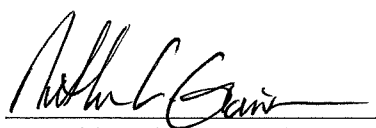
15 Mayor Bompiani acknowledged the only item on the agenda was the discussion,  
16 consideration and appointment of a Town Manager. Mayor Bompiani opened the floor  
17 for council to make a motion. Mrs. Harkness made a motion that Nathan Garrison be  
18 hired as the Town Manager effective September 18, 2023 at a salary of \$95,000. She  
19 further moved that Mr. Garrison be appointed the Town Clerk, Zoning Administrator,  
20 and FOIA Officer and that he be appointed to the Historic Overlay District Review  
21 Board, all effective September 18, 2023. She also moved that the Mayor be authorized to  
22 sign the Employment Agreement with Mr. Garrison on behalf of the Town. Mr. Hughes  
23 seconded the motion which passed on the following unanimous 5-0 roll call vote:  
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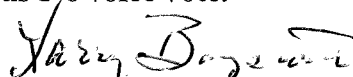
25	<b>Mrs. Hannah</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Mr. King</b>	<b>Aye</b>
26	<b>Mr. Watkins</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Mr. Hughes</b>	<b>Aye</b>
27	<b>Mrs. Harkness</b>	<b>Aye</b>		
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29 Mayor Bompiani welcomed Mr. Garrison on his newly appointed position, and  
30 thanked him for accepting the position.  
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32 **Adjournment:**  
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34 **At 6:32 p.m. Mr. Hughes made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. King**  
35 **seconded the motion which carried on a unanimous 5-0 voice vote.**  
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40 ~~J. Todd Walters, Interim Town Clerk~~  
Nathan L. Garrison, Town Clerk

  
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Larry Bompiani, Mayor