

Brockton Contributory Retirement Minutes for December 18, 2024 at 9:30 A.M.  
1322 Belmont Street; Suite 101, Brockton, MA 02301

**William R. Farmer**, Chairman  
**John A. Condon**, Appointed  
**Irene Giannopoulos**, Ex Officio

**Archibald Gormley, Jr.**, Elected  
**Scott G. Albanese**, Elected

Executive Director, Jeanne Martineau, in attendance

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Yes-No-Abstain

Chair to recognize any member of the public who wishes to be acknowledged.

**Minutes:**

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to approve the regular minutes of November 26, 2024.

**So voted: (4-0-1) I.G.**

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to approve the Executive Session minutes of November 26, 2024 for Mark Tironati.

**So voted: (4-0-1) I.G.**

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to approve the Executive Session minutes of November 26, 2024 for Kristen O'Brien-Hilliard.

**So voted: (4-0-1) I.G.**

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to approve the Executive Session minutes of November 26, 2024 for Anthony Giardini.

**So voted: (4-0-1) I.G.**

**Vendor and Payroll Warrant:**

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to approve and authorize the payment of bills listed on the warrant of December 31, 2024.

**So voted: (5-0-0)**

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to approve and authorize the Contributory Pension Payroll for December 31, 2024.

**So voted: (5-0-0)**

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**Refunds/Rollovers**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Dept</u>
Oscar Perez	School
James St. Jean	School
Carlota Monteiro	School
Marckenson Ulysse	School
Shellice Baker	Non member
Richard Heywood	Excess contributions
Kervin Jean-Claude	Non member
Matilde Dossantos (beneficiary of Honorio Fernandes)	Active member death
John Finnell Sr.	Excess contributions
Nicholas Viola Jr.	Excess contributions
Jean Marie Lynce	School
Steevens Phelimond	BRA
Kelly Young	City

*Traffic Duty: School*

Virginio DeGraca  
Albert Silva Jr.  
Richard Hatch. Jr.

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to approve the Refunds/Rollovers as listed on the refund/rollover/Transfer out warrant

**So voted: (5-0-0)**

**Transfers Out**

<u>Name</u>	<u>System</u>
Christopher Shipps	Braintree
Elizabeth Smith	MTRS
Alexander Diorio	MTRS

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to approve the Transfers out as listed above

**So voted: (5-0-0)**

**Retirement Applications Received:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Dept.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Brian Kirby	City	Superannuation	01/03/2025
Samuel Carde	City	Superannuation	11/09/2024
Edward Williams	City	Superannuation	01/04/2025

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to accept the retirement applications as listed above

**So voted: (5-0-0)**

**Nov-**

Retirees' Payroll Check Series Used:	404391-404392
Retirees' Payroll End Check Series Used:	404393-404394
Refund Warrant Check Series Used:	404340-404390
Vendor Warrant Check Series Used:	404333-404339

**Educational Opportunities**

n/a

**Accidental Disabilities:**

ANTHONY GIARDINI, Police; Board to review Medical Panel Certificates and Narratives, two in the negative, one in the affirmative (s. 94)

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to deny the s 94 ADR application

**So voted: (5-0-0)**

**Financials**

SEI Report (Nov) unavailable at this time

December Expense Budget available for Board's review

**Old Business**

5<sup>th</sup> member seat has been posted, deadline to submit letters of interest 01/03/2025.

**New Business**

Review letter from Charles Hayward; Vet service request

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to accept a buyback of 4 years of military service time for Charles Hayward based upon his DD214 and other military records he provided.

**So voted: (5-0-0)**

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Review PERAC 2026 Appropriation letter; discuss BRA appropriation

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to send the budget letter to participating entities and per PERAC’s options, write off BRA’s appropriation and deal with it in the next funding schedule.

**So voted:** (5-0-0)

Review and Adopt Board Calendar 25 Budget (Board’s fiscal year)

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to adopt the expense budget for calendar year 2025.

**So voted:** (5-0-0)

Review Performance Evaluations

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to accept the Director’s recommendations

**So voted:** (5-0-0)

Review Election Schedule

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to appoint Jeanne Martineau as the Elections Officer and approve the election schedule.

**So voted:** (5-0-0)

**OTHER BUSINESS**

Topic/s not reasonably anticipated by the Chairman

**NON-ACTION ITEMS**

**Notice of Deaths**

Kenneth Porter, retired Fire Fighter, deceased November 21, 2024. No further benefits to be distributed after date of death.

Richard P Donahue, retired Fire Fighter, deceased December 14, 2024. No further benefits to be distributed after date of death.

Arlene Bamford, surviving spouse, deceased December 15, 2024. No further benefits to be distributed after date of death.

**PERAC Retirement Calculation Approvals**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Dept.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Timothy Stanton	City	Superannuation	08/17/2024
Lisa Cunningham	School	Superannuation	08/02/2024

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Miriam Conceicao	School	Superannuation	10/15/2024
Thomas Robinson	City	Accidental Disability	retro recalc
James Cronshaw	City	Accidental Disability	07/18/2024
Joshua Maurath	City	Accidental Disability	10/05/2024
Donald Matchem	City	Accidental Disability	08/25/2024
Kevin Sullivan	City	Accidental Disability	09/29/2024

**OLD Business**

n/a

**Other Business**

Email from Mass Retirees dated 11/27/24, "Happy Thanksgiving from Mass Retirees" (*prev. emailed to Bd 12/2/24*)

Email from Mass Retirees dated 12/06/24, "WEP/GPO and Healthcare News" (*prev. emailed to Bd 12/6/24*)

Email from Mass Retirees dated 12/10/24, "Just Arrived in Washington for WEP/GPO Rally" (*prev. emailed to Bd 12/11/24*)

Email from Mass Retirees dated 12/11/24, "Schumer Commits to WEP/GPO Vote" (*prev. emailed to Bd 12/12/24*)

Email from Mass Retirees dated 12/13/24, "A Good Week for Public Employees" (*prev. emailed to Bd 12/13/24*)

**PERAC Memos**

<http://www.mass.gov/perac-memos>

PM# 29-2024 Appropriation Questionnaire in PROSPER

PM# 30-2024 Cyber Security Training

PM# 31-2024 Disability Data Changes

Next meeting: January 21, 2025 9:30 AM

- Motion by S. Albanese, second by A. Gormley to adjourn the meeting


**So voted:** (5-0-0)


Meeting adjourned (9:46):

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