

**Ridgefield Parking Authority  
Special Meeting Minutes  
May 12, 2016**

The Parking Authority Meeting was called to order at 8:30 A.M. In attendance were Christopher Fusaro, Richard Moccia, Jessica M. Wilmot. Mark Seavy participated by teleconference.

Mr. Fusaro started the discussion off with an explanation of the powers of the Parking Authority and its limitations. There was a general discussion among the members, of the need for a mission statement so the public and merchants would develop an understanding our duties and future ideas for parking in downtown Ridgefield.

There was discussion about the parking concerns by the merchants during the concerts at Ballard Park. Ms. Wilmot made the suggestion that a meeting be set up with the CHIRP organization, the Board of Selectman, the merchants and the Parking Authority. The board agreed. Ms. Wilmot agreed to coordinate such a meeting.

The Board agreed that Mr. Moccia would continue to liaison with the Task Forces that SCRE Advisors has established to study economic plans with the goal of improving the Town's Main Street retail environment.

The board agreed that Mr. Fusaro would continue as Chairman for the year and Jessica Wilmot is Co Chairman. Next meeting is scheduled for June 9 at 8:30 A.M. Motion was made by Mr. Moccia to adjourn, approved unanimously at 9:45 A.M.