

**MINUTES OF THE POLICE COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING  
of  
Monday, January 28, 2019**

**Commissioners Present:** George Kain, Chairman  
Marianne Coffin, Secretary  
Charles Knoche  
Joseph Savino

These minutes are an overview of the meeting, and not a verbatim text.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00pm by Chairman Kain.

A motion was made by Commissioner Knoche and seconded by Commissioner Coffin to move to executive session to conduct interviews for the police commissioner vacancy. The vote was unanimous.

The Commission returned to public session at 8:15 pm.

The Committee noted how impressed they were by the selection of candidates the interviewed for the commissioner position.

A vote was made by Commissioner Savino and seconded by Commissioner Coffin:

öThe Ridgefield Police Commission hereby elects Nicholas Perna to serve as Ridgefield Police Commissioner fulfilling the vacancy of resigned Commissioner Stephen Saloom.ö

The vote was 3 to 1 in favor of Mr. Perna.

Commissioner Savino made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Commissioner Knoche. The vote was unanimous.

The meeting adjourned at 8:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Marcie Coffin,  
Secretary.