

June 15, 1998

The Middlesex Governing Body met in Special Session on June 15, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Town Hall for the purpose of hiring a Utility Supervisor. Members present were Mayor Bobby R. Bisette, Commissioners Harold Meacombs, Fred Hough, Naomi Powell and Bascoe Lewis, Commissioner Isaac Lewis was absent.

Mayor Bisette stated that he had talked with Ray Perry and that Perry wanted \$25,000.00 to come to accept the position and that Richard Bucklin had said that he would take the position for \$12.25 per hour.

There was a discussion on whether to hire the unexperienced man who was willing to move here or the experienced man who lived approximately thirty miles away.

Commissioner Hough stated that he felt that the town would be best served by hiring the man with the experience that Bucklin already had and to pay him the \$12.25 per hour, and Hough moved to hire Bucklin at \$12.25 per hour on a six months probationary period, his motion was seconded by Commissioner Meacombs and carried unanimously.

The clerk informed the board that John James was called and told to be in the office on Friday, June 5th to complete the paper work to be ready to begin work on June 8, 1998 and that he never showed up.

Mayor Bisette stated that he had talked with Jacob Brown, who had applied for the supervisor's position and he had agreed to take the laborer's position for \$8.00 per hour.

Commissioner <sup>Bascoe Lewis</sup> ~~Hough~~ moved to rescind his motion to hire John James as laborer, due to his failure to show up for work when he was supposed to, his motion was seconded by Commissioner Meacombs and carried unanimously.



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Commissioner Powell moved to hire Jacob Brown to fill the laborer position at a rate of \$8.00 per hour, on a six months probationary period, her motion was seconded by Commissioner Hough and carried unanimously.

*Peggy Bissette*  
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Town Clerk

Mayor Bobby R. Bissette *B.R.B.*  
Commissioners  
Harold Meacombs *HM*  
Fred Hough *FH*  
Naomi Powell *N.P.*  
Bascoe Lewis *W. B.L.*