

**PLYMOUTH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
EXECUTIVE SESSION MEETING**

**August 25, 2016**

In Accordance with MGL, Chapter 30A, Section 21, held for the purpose of discussing strategy with respect to litigation for Bousquet v. County of Plymouth and to give an update on union negotiations with SEIU and OPEIU, the Board voted to enter into Executive Session and to not return to open public session at 6:22 p.m. Chair Pallotta called the roll: Commissioner Hanley-Yes. Chairman Pallotta -Yes.

**Strategy with respect to litigation for Bousquet v. County of Plymouth**, a 2011 slip and fall at Brockton Superior Court House. The case is moving to a pretrial conference. Attorney Gildea stated that he responded to a demand letter from Bousquet and that the case will go to trial.

**Update on union negotiations with SEIU and OPEIU.** No meetings have been scheduled with the SEIU. Meetings with OPEIU occurred during the last few weeks. OPEIU now is using County numbers and the union believes all numbers to be accurate but are still concerned that there are four union members that at the end of the two year contract realize a net salary loss when increases of salary and health care costs are factored. Administrator Basler did share that if these employees changed from the most expensive Cadillac health plan the County carries to a more modest plan, all of these employees would be in the positive.

Executive Session ended at 6:45 p.m. Commissioner Hanley made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Pallotta seconded the motion. Chair Pallotta called the roll: Commissioner Hanley -Yes. Chairman Pallotta -Yes.

Respectfully submitted,  
Frank Basler  
Plymouth County Administrator