



JANUARY 1, 2018 OFFICIAL INAUGURAL

In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Gardner and Section 17 of Chapter 43 of the General Laws, the Mayor-Elect, Councillors at-Large-Elect, Ward Councillors-Elect, and School Committee Members-Elect, assembled in the City Council Chamber on Monday, January 1, 2018 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, to be sworn to the faithful performance of their duties.

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION & RESULTS OF VOTES CAST

The **CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION** and **RESULTS OF THE VOTES CAST** were declared by City Clerk Alan L. Agnelli and entered into the journals of the City Council, as follows:

As a result of the votes cast at the City Election held on November 7, 2017, the following persons were declared elected:

MAYOR	Mark P. Hawke
COUNCILLORS AT-LARGE	James S. Boone Craig R. Cormier Ronald F. Cormier Edward A. Gravel Scott J. Graves, Esq. Christine A. Johnson
WARD COUNCILLORS	James M. Walsh, Esq. (Ward 1) Elizabeth J. Kazinskas (Ward 2) Nathan R. Boudreau (Ward 3) Karen G. Hardern (Ward 4) James D. Johnson (Ward 5)
SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS	James R. Abare Anne F. Hurst Jennifer Z. Pelavin

City Clerk Alan L. Agnelli called the Roll of Members-Elect:

PRESENT:

MAYOR	Mark P. Hawke
COUNCILLORS AT-LARGE	Craig R. Cormier Ronald F. Cormier Edward A. Gravel Scott J. Graves, Esq. Christine A. Johnson



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WARD COUNCILLORS	James M. Walsh, Esq. (1) Elizabeth J. Kazinskas (2) Nathan R. Boudreau (3) Karen G. Hardern (4) James D. Johnson (5)
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ABSENT:	James S. Boone
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SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS	Anne F. Hurst Jennifer Z. Pelavin
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ABSENT:	James R. Abare
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Gardner, Massachusetts

January 1, 2018

I, ALAN L. AGNELLI, City Clerk of the City of Gardner, certify that on the 1st day of January, 2018 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at a meeting of the Mayor-Elect, Councillors-at-Large-elect, Ward Councillors-elect, and School Committee Members-Elect, I administered the oath required by the City Charter to the following:

MAYOR-ELECT For Two Years	Mark P. Hawke
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COUNCILLORS AT-LARGE-ELECT For Two Years	Craig R. Cormier Ronald F. Cormier Edward A. Gravel Scott J. Graves, Esq. Christine A. Johnson
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WARD COUNCILLORS-ELECT For Two Years	James M. Walsh, Esq. (1) Elizabeth J. Kazinskas (2) Nathan R. Boudreau (3) Karen G. Hardern (4) James D. Johnson (5)
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SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS AT-LARGE-ELECT For Four Years	Anne F. Hurst Jennifer Z. Pelavin
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Who severally solemnly swore that they would faithfully and impartially perform the duties of the office for which they have been elected in the City of Gardner according to the best of their ability and in conformity with law.

In testimony of all of which is required by the City Charter, I make this certificate to be entered on the journals of the meetings of the City Council.

/s/ Alan L. Agnelli, City Clerk

The Inaugural Proceedings concluded at 10:06 a.m.

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January 2, 2018

I, ALAN L. AGNELLI, City Clerk of the City of Gardner, hereby certify that on the 2ND day of January 2018 at 2:45 o'clock in the afternoon at 95 Pleasant Street, Gardner, Massachusetts, I administered the oath required by the City Charter to **JAMES R. ABARE**.

Then personally appeared **JAMES R. ABARE** and made oath that he would faithfully and impartially perform the duties of the office of **SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBER** according to law and the best of his abilities.

Before me,

/s/ Alan L. Agnelli, City Clerk

In testimony of which as required by the City Charter, I make this certificate to be entered on the journals of the meetings of the City Council.

/s/ Alan L. Agnelli, City Clerk

Accepted by the City Council: *January 16, 2018*