

CITY OF NEWBURYPORT INAUGURATION CEREMONY
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
60 Pleasant Street
JANUARY 4, 2016

Introductory Violin Music performed by Elizabeth Jones.

Opening Statement given by Richard B. Jones, City Clerk.
Acknowledgement of current and former elected officials.

Invocation by Reverend Ross E. Varney, Belleville Congregational Church.

Pledge of Allegiance led by children and grandchildren of the City Councillors and School Committee members.

National anthem sung by Ann Ormond, President, Greater Newburyport Chamber of Commerce.

Mayor's Welcoming Comments

Mayor Donna Holaday offered her welcoming address to the incumbent and new Councillors and Committee members.

1. City Council Meeting Called to Order

a) Roll call:

Councillor-Elect Edward C. Cameron, Jr.	Present
Councillor-Elect Barry N. Connell,	Present
Councillor-Elect Robert J. Cronin,	Present
Councillor-Elect Joseph H. Devlin,	Present
Councillor-Elect Gregory D. Earls,	Present
Councillor-Elect Jared J. Eigerman,	Present
Councillor-Elect Larry G. Giunta,	Present
Councillor-Elect Thomas F. O'Brien,	Present
Councillor-Elect Charles F. Tontar	Absent
Councillor-Elect Bruce L. Vogel	Present
Councillor-Elect Sharif I. Zeid,	Present

b) Oath of Office City Councillors-Elect

c) Councillor O'Brien was elected unanimously as Council President for 2016

d) Council President's Address delivered by Councillor O'Brien

e) City Council Meeting Adjourned

i) the City Council will meet in regular session at 7:30PM on Monday, January 11, 2016

2) Organization of the 2016 School Committee

a) Oath of Office

Nicholas B. deKanter,
David A. Hochheiser,
Bruce M. Menin,
Christine E. Miller

b) The City Clerk called the School Committee to order and Roll Call:

Steven Cole	Present
Nicholas deKanter	Present
David A. Hochheiser	Present
Donna Holaday	Present
Bruce Menin	Present
Christine E. Miller	Present
Cheryl Sweeney	Present

c) The school committee elected the Vice Chair Cheryl Sweeney unanimously

d) Remarks by the Vice Chair, Cheryl Sweeney

Musical selection “Keep Hope Alive” written and performed by Rev. Ross E. Varney.

e) School Committee meeting adjourned

The City Clerk invited Councillors, Committee members and guests to the Port Tavern for a reception.

Attest: _____
Richard B. Jones, City Clerk