

## CITY OF NEWBURYPORT



IN CITY COUNCIL

**ORDERED**

July 11, 2022

**AN EMERGENCY PREAMBLE TO ALLOW THE APPOINTMENT OF JOHN GAVIN AS  
POLICE SERGEANT IN ONE READING**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Newburyport as follows:

**EMERGENCY PREAMBLE:**

**WHEREAS** there is a manning shortage in the police department with respect to superior officers;

**WHEREAS** John Gavin has been selected to become a police sergeant with the Newburyport Police Department;

**WHEREAS** there is a Council Rule that requires two readings of an appointment and a Charter Section 2-9 requiring an declaration of an emergency to allow the passage of a measure in one reading;

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWBURYPORT** hereby declares an emergency exists and the appointment of John Gavin shall be allowed in one reading and furthermore any and all Council Rules shall be waived in order to effectuate the same.

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Councillor Heather L. Shand