



## TOWN OF SHREWSBURY

Board of Selectmen Workshop  
Selectmen's Meeting Room  
Richard D. Carney Municipal Office Building  
100 Maple Avenue  
Shrewsbury, Massachusetts 01545-5398

Thursday, May 26, 2022 at 6:00 PM

### Minutes

1. **Call to Order**

Mr. DePalo called the meeting to order at 6:02 PM.

2. **Meeting with VISIONS Inc. to discuss matters of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion.**

Mr. John Colón and Ms. Wendy Helmkamp joined the meeting virtually. The Board members discussed their thoughts on how to move forward with this process. They all noted they were unsure of the best path forward. Mr. Colón noted that they all seemed to echo concerns of the structure on how to proceed, the role of the task force report, and wanting different perspectives as well. The Board members also noted they were unsure of the role that this committee would serve in Town and the need to develop a charge for this committee before establishing it.

Mr. Colón suggested that, from their conversation, having a workshop on the first three training tools and topics and this will help build a sense of how to proceed, starting with just the Board and then that will help make the path forward clearer. The Board members agreed that this is a good way to proceed.

The Board and the consultants decided on their next meeting of June 6, 2022

3. **Adjourn**

On a motion by Ms. Casavant, seconded by Ms. Flynn, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn at 7:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Taylor M. Galusha