

The Town of Norwood
Office of the Town Clerk and Accountant

January 13, 2015

Mr. Paul Dietl
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Chief Human Resources Officer
One Ashburton Place
Boston, MA 02108

Dear Mr. Dietl:

The purpose of this letter is to certify to you that the Town of Norwood has recently voted to take the Norwood Police Department out of the civil service system, effective February 1, 2015.

This action to revoke the civil service system for our police department was included as Article #15 of our Special Town Meeting of November 17, 2014 and was declared carried by unanimous vote of the town meeting body.

A certified copy of this motion from our town meeting is attached for your files.

Please let me know of any questions that you may have.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Thornton
Town Clerk and Accountant

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Copy: Chief of Police William Brooks

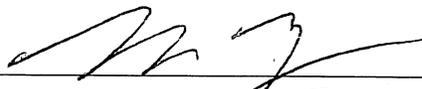
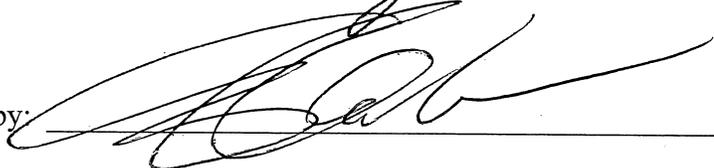
Town of Norwood
Special Town Meeting
November 17, 2014

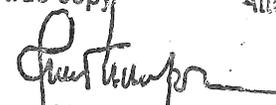
Article 15.

Moved by the Board of Selectmen:

To rescind the vote of the 1905 Annual Town Meeting under Article 47, by which the Town accepted the provisions of Section 37 of Chapter 19 of the Revised Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, thereby applying civil service laws, rules and regulations to all members of the regular or permanent police force of the Town of Norwood, so that members of the regular or permanent police force of the Town of Norwood shall no longer be subject to the provisions of civil service laws, presently found in Chapter 31 of the Massachusetts General Laws, and civil service rules and regulations; provided that such revocation shall not affect any contractual or civil service rights which have come into existence between the Town and any employee of the Norwood Police Department as a result of the original acceptance of Section 37 of Chapter 19 of the Revised Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, *said action to take effect February 1, 2015*

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Offered by: 
Second by: 

A true copy
attest

Town Clerk and Accountant

Carried by Voice Vote