MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC PURCHASING OFFICIALS (MAPPO)

MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, December, 18, 2013

Beverly Depot, Beverly MA

Officers Present Mary Delaney, President Tom Watkins, Vice President David Gelineau & Sarah Stanton, Co-Treasurers Whitney Haskell & Sandra Marquis, Co-Secretaries

New Members Attending

<u>Guests Attending</u> Beverly City Solicitor, Roy Gelineau Beverly Mayor, Bill Scanlon Congressman John Tierney Holiday Elf, Bill McGowen Holiday Elf, Jim McGrath Assistant Purchasing Agent, Tracey Grenier, Salem

Welcome

David Gelineau, Purchasing Agent, City of Beverly welcomed MAPPO members, guests, along with the City Solicitor, xxxx, Mayor Scanlon and Congressman Tierney.

Both Congressman Tierney and Mayor Scanlon welcomed MAPPO members to the Beverly Depot and spoke about the City of Beverly's many great accomplishments. After Congressman Tierney and Mayor Scanlon spoke David Gelineau also welcomed the membership and wished everyone a Happy Holiday Season.

David invited everyone to enjoy the buffet lunch.

At 12:30 p.m., Mary Delaney wished everyone a Happy Holiday Season and stated there would be no formal business meeting today.

There was a question from the membership.

- 1. What type of IT equipment can be sole sourced?
 - a. Equipment over \$25,000
 - b. Library books texts
 - c. Media software for education
 - d. Educational programs

Yankee Swap

The membership had a fun time opening and swapping holiday gifts.

Respectfully submitted, Sandra L. Marquis, MAPPO Secretary