

Selectmen's Meeting
November 07, 2016
4:00 pm

A meeting of the Board was held on the above date in the meeting room of Town Hall. Members present were: Margaret E. Serpa, Chairman and Arthur Smadbeck. Also present was Town Administrator Pamela Dolby.

At 4:00pm Ms. Serpa opened the meeting and the first item on the agenda which was a public hearing for an Annual Beer and Wine Common Victualler License for Tin Hangar. Present was owner Brion McGroarty, Manager Jack McGroarty, and Atty. Sean Murphy. Ms. Serpa read the notice aloud.

Mr. Murphy stated that they would like to remain open all year. They will use the Seasonal All Alcohol License in the season and use the Beer and Wine License in the off season.

There being no public comment or correspondence, Ms. Serpa closed the hearing at 4:06pm. Mr. Smadbeck moved to approve the Annual License. Ms. Serpa seconded. Unanimous.

Ms. Serpa then moved on to the next item on the agenda and recognized Police Chief David Rossi. Also present was Officer William Bishop IV.

Chief Rossi spoke glowingly of Officer Bishop and his help in the community. He was there to commend Officer Bishop for one incident where he helped an elderly Edgartown couple get a handicap ramp built. He told the story that this couple qualified to get assistance to rebuild their roof, but on a visit Officer Bishop noticed that what they really needed was a ramp. He took it upon himself to get the funds from the Police Association and to build it on his day off with some assistance. He really made a difference in these peoples' lives and he wanted to commend Officer Bishop and recognize his actions.

Chief Rossi's speech was followed by a rousing round of applause.

Officer Bishop was humbled and stated he just wasn't afraid to ask for help and get people together.

Mr. Smadbeck called him a wonderful example of a Police Officer.

Ms. Serpa stated that his commendation was well deserved.

The Board then approved the following items:

The annual Harbor View Hotel fireworks and party.

Travel Vouchers: 2 for Police and 2 for Fire

A Curbcut for Chris Castinon of 61 Clevelandtown Rd. to move the curbcut. No increase in size.

Two Yard Sale Permits: Rush & Fisher for Lucia Moffett and Clifford Jernegan.

For the Square Rigger to close for extreme repairs from November 27, 2016 to April 4, 2017.

The Board cancelled the November 14th meeting.

At 4:15 PM Mr. Smadbeck moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Donaroma seconded. Unanimous.

Approved:

Margaret E. Serpa, Chairman

Arthur Smadbeck

Michael J. Donaroma
Board of Selectmen

Respectfully submitted,

Kristy Rose
Assistant