

Selectmen's Meeting
July 2, 2018
4:00 pm

A meeting of the Board was held on the above date in the meeting room of Town Hall. Members present were: Michael J. Donaroma, Chairman; Margaret E. Serpa and Arthur Smadbeck. Also present was Town Administrator James Hagerty.

At 4:00pm Mr. Donaroma opened the meeting and the first item on the agenda which was a Liquor License Hearing for Isola for an alteration of premises. There being no representation present, the Board continued the hearing to the July 9th meeting.

Mr. Donaroma then recognized Ms. Diane Carr from the MV Food & Wine Festival.

Ms. Carr stated that they would like to add a 5k and 10k run to the Festival on October 21st. The races would start and end at the Katama General Store. She has spoken with Sgt. Edwards and Fire Chief Schaeffer and they approve of the route and plan.

There was a short discussion of route and logistics. Then Ms. Serpa moved to approve the request and asked Ms. Carr to continue to work with Police and Fire to ensure the event goes smoothly. Mr. Smadbeck seconded. Unanimous.

The Board then approved the following items:

For the MV Little League to sell water and other items in the Yellow House Park on the 4th of July.

A Commercial Marine License for Katama Bay Sailing.

A Common Victuallers License for The Food Truck.

A One Day Liquor License for WMVY for a pre-concert cocktail hour.

They signed a new Cafeteria Plan Agreement.

Chapter 77 Transfer of \$5,000 from Police Salaries to Expenses.

A Travel Voucher for the Parks Department.

They approved the bid for a new police cruiser in the amount of \$55,130.20.

A Lodging House License for The Richard.

The following permits for the Dark Woods Park & Ride Lot: 60' for MV Moving, 60' for Anthony Bobcat, and 60' for Handy Trucking.

A One Day Liquor License for LeTarte at 22 Winter Street. This being their first license, the owners were present and the Board made sure they were aware of the rule and regulations before approving the license.

Mr. Donaroma then recognized Ms. Barbara Linton, concerned citizen, for her item on the agenda.

Ms. Linton stated that she had sent the Board an explanation of her issue and asked how they felt about it.

Mr. Smadbeck stated that it looked like she received her abatement from the Board of Assessors.

Ms. Linton stated that was only for this year. She spoke for quite a while. To summarize: She found out this year from a VNA nurse that she may have been eligible for a certain type of abatement she was not aware of. She blamed the Assessors office for her not receiving the abatement before and accused them of withholding the information for various reasons. She thought it was a conspiracy and they were "maneuvering for a tax taking". She wants her money out of the town treasury that the town is holding hostage. She was also upset that the Board of Assessors did not sign the letter but had the Assessor do so.

The Board replied that they would look into the issue.

At 4:28 PM Ms. Serpa moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Smadbeck seconded. Unanimous

Approved:

Michael J. Donaroma, Chairman

Margaret E. Serpa

Arthur Smadbeck
Board of Selectmen

Respectfully submitted,

Kristy Rose
Assistant

July 2, 2018