

**Selectmen's Meeting**  
**April 24, 2017**  
**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 handed the floor over to the new chairman Arthur Smadbeck.

Mr. Smadbeck then opened the first item on the agenda which was a public shade tree hearing for 85 and 89 South Summer Street. Robbie Hutchison was present for owners Sarah Brown and Sarah Rorer.

Ms. Hutchison went over the two trees to be removed and what they would be replaced with. The sycamore maple is currently in bad shape and covered in vines. It would be replaced with a red maple. The second tree was a Norway spruce that has lost its top. It would be replaced with a linden tree.

Tree Warden Stuart Fuller recommended the removals and replacement trees.

Ms. Serpa thought it would be an improvement.

Mr. Smadbeck closed the hearing. Ms. Serpa moved to approve the removal and replacements to be in planted by June 30, 2017. Mr. Smadbeck seconded. Unanimous.

Mr. Smadbeck then opened the next item which was the application for an auto rental license for Connor Ahearn. Representing Mr. Ahearn was his father Patrick Ahearn.

Mr. Ahearn stated that Patrick would like to have a small scale classic car rental business. He has four red classic cars. The business would be at 140 Cooke Street.

Ms. Serpa asked where the cars would be stored.

Mr. Ahearn stated that they would not be on display, but be stored behind the Edgartown Paint Store building on Upper Main Street. There is no intention on displaying them at the Cooke St. location.

Ms. Serpa moved to approve the new car rental license. Mr. Smadbeck seconded. Unanimous.

The Board then approved nine One Day Liquor Licenses for the MV Wine Fest which would be held Mother's Day Weekend.

Mr. Smadbeck then recognized Town Counsel Ron Rappaport.

Mr. Rappaport stated that the Board had received a letter from their Boston Attorneys Ropes and Gray that there should be no bankruptcy stay on the Yellow House taking. They have to get the court to sign. He will keep them updated.

The Board then approved the following items:

A bike ride for the MV Boys & Girls Club on May 6<sup>th</sup>.

The Pink Squid Yacht Club fishing derby to put up a banner from May 28<sup>th</sup> to June 4<sup>th</sup>.

A Transfer for the Police Department of \$7800.

A One Day Liquor License for the Christopher on May 13<sup>th</sup>.

A Change of Manager for the Square Rigger to Jenny Dowd.

The Board set an Alteration of License Public Hearing for Isola for May 8<sup>th</sup> at 4pm.

At 4:19 PM Mr. Smadbeck moved to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Serpa seconded. Unanimous

Approved:

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Margaret E. Serpa, Chairman

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Arthur Smadbeck

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Michael J. Donaroma  
Board of Selectmen

Respectfully submitted,

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Assistant