

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
MINUTES
August 23, 2006

Board met in Regular Session 7:30 p.m. in its meeting room in Abbot Hall.

Present (constituting a quorum):

Harry C. Christensen, Chairman
Jackie Belf-Becker
Judith R. Jacobi
James E. Nye
Jeffrey N. Shiribman

Anthony M. Sasso, Town Administrator

MINUTES. Motion made and seconded to approve the Minutes of August 9, 2006. All in favor.

PERMISSION. Sign. Kathy Videtta, Owner of Ooh-La-La, a beauty salon located at 389 Atlantic Avenue, appeared before the Board seeking permission to hang a 2' x 3' sign over the public way outside her business subject to the usual insurance requirements and approval by the Building Inspector. Motion made and seconded to approve the request. All in favor.

PERMISSION. Parking. Motion made and seconded to approve the request of Devin Nial to place one Door-2-Door Storage storage crate outside their home from August 25th through the 29th in order to move into their new home subject to the necessary insurance and Police Department approval. All in favor.

Motion made and seconded to approve the request of Brooke Trivas-Saltsman and Thomas Saltsman to reserve enough parking spaces for a moving truck outside their new residence at 32 Pleasant Street on August 31st from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. subject to Police Department approval. All in favor.

Motion made and seconded to approve the request of David Stone and Donna June to place a POD storage unit, 8' wide, 8' high and 16' length, in front of their home at 23 Winthrop Avenue from September 11, 2006 through September 16, 2006 subject to the necessary insurance and Police Department approval. All in favor.

Selectman Jeffrey Shribman arrived at 7:55 p.m.

Motion made and seconded to approve the request of Margaret T. Burke to reserve three parking spaces in front of 26 Summer Street on Saturday, September 16, 2006 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. for a moving van subject to Police Department approval. All in favor.

PERMISSION. Sandwich Boards. Motion to approve the following requests for Sandwich Board Signs as follows:

Marblehead Counseling Center to advertise golf tournament on September 25, 2006 at Tedesco Country Club: Week of September 4th – Beach and Ocean; Atlantic Avenue at Seaview. Week of September 11th – Atlantic Avenue at Seaview; Tent's Corner; and Bailey Square

St. Stephen's United Methodist Church to advertise a benefit concert by "Beatlejuice" at the PAC on October 13, 2006 as follows: Week of October 9th – Chamber Booth; Beach and Ocean; Lafayette and Maple; Bailey Square; and Atlantic Avenue/Preston Beach Road. Week of October 2 (if space is available as time gets closer) – Gatchell Green; Beach and Ocean; and Atlantic Avenue at Seaview.

North Shore Kitchens Plus, Inc. to advertise Open House and Custom Kitchen Tour to benefit Hospice of the North Shore and to be held on Saturday, October 21, 2006 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. as follows: Week of October 16 – Beach and Ocean; Lafayette and Maple; Atlantic Avenue and Preston Beach Road; Chamber Booth; Tent's Corner. All in favor.

PERMISSION. Block Party. Motion made and seconded to approve the request of Lillie and Bart Lombardi of 16 Ballast Lane to block off Ballast Lane between Harbor and Ocean Avenues for a Jimmy Fund Clinic Fundraiser on September 16th from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. subject to Police and Fire Departments approvals. All the neighbors had signed the petition. All in favor.

APPOINTMENT. Fort Sewall Oversight Committee. Motion made and seconded to appoint Julia Bantly to the Fort Sewall Oversight Committee to replace Thomas Saltsman. All in favor.

PERMISSION. Staging. Motion made and seconded to approve the request of Rebecca May, Assistant Property Manager of Rockett Management, to construct staging at 52 Washington Street in order to complete roof work from August 23rd to August 28th subject to the usual insurance requirements. All in favor.

HARBORMASTER. Letter read from Commodore William Conly of the Corinthian Yacht Club commending the Harbormaster and his crew for their assistance during a downward microburst on July 11th. Motion made and seconded to send a letter of commendation to the Harbormaster and his crew. All in favor.

MARBLEHEAD CULTURAL COUNCIL. Letters of interest in serving on the Marblehead Cultural Council were received from Sandra Broughton and Georgia Murray. Interviews for appointments to the Council will be held on September 13th.

VETERAN. Motion made and seconded to send a letter of congratulations to Ray Jalbert on his recent award of the Purple Heart for service during World War II. All in favor.

GERRY SCHOOL. Letter read from Susan A. Bragdon notifying the Board of the 100 Year Celebration for the Gerry School which will take place on September 30th at the School. The Historic Committee is looking for any historical knowledge from citizens.

FINANCE COMMITTEE. Chairman Christensen noted there is one and possibly two slots open on the Finance Committee. Interested citizens should send a letter of interest to the Selectmen's Office in Abbot Hall.

WAR ON TERROR MEMORIAL. Chairman Christensen announced that the final design for this memorial has been approved, and it will be dedicated on Veteran's Day.

Motion made and seconded to adjourn at 8:21 p.m. All in favor.

Patricia D. Charbonnier
Administrative Aide Pro Tem