

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

MINUTES August 11, 2010

Board met in session at 7:30 p.m. in the Selectmen's Meeting Room at Abbot Hall.
Present (constituting a quorum):

Jackie Belf-Becker, Chairman Pro-Tem
Judith R. Jacobi
T. Michael Rockett
Anthony M. Sasso, Town Administrator

APPOINTMENT. Chairman Pro- Tem. Motion made and seconded to appoint Mrs. Belf-Becker as Chairman for this meeting. All in favor.

PERMISSION. Pavers on Town Property. Alan Chipman, 12 Dodge Road, and Michael Baizen, 12 Jane Road, Contractor, appeared before the Board seeking a onetime exception to allow driveway pavers to continue from the driveway to the street at 12 Dodge Road. Mr. Chipman presented the proposed plan for the pavers and Mr. Baizen concurred with the specifications presented. Discussion amongst the Board followed regarding concerns with the liability to the Town and handicap accessibility. Motion made and seconded to maintain the current regulations on materials approved by the Board of Selectmen and not approve a onetime exception. All in favor.

LICENSING. Wine and Malt Beverage w/Cordials Permit. Status. Jessica and Alexis Maffeo, 209 Suffolk Avenue, Revere, appeared before the Board to update them on the status of the Wine and Malt Beverage License at Trattoria Sablones, 33 Smith Street. The restaurant closed in July and the owners are actively seeking to sell the business and currently have a few interested parties. Mrs. Maffeo requested the Board allow them 30 days to secure a buyer for the business. Motion made and seconded to have Mrs. Maffeo return before the Board on September 22, 2010 with a status report. All in favor.

PROCLAMATION. United Nations Day. Motion made and seconded to issue a proclamation marking the 65th anniversary of the United Nations. All in favor.

PERMISSION. B2 Studios. Video Shoot. Motion made and seconded to approve the request from Bob McGinness, B2 Studios, to shoot a video on Noah Gerry, a 12 year old boy whose family is descendants of Vice President Elbridge Gerry subject to receipt of the required Certificate of Insurance. The locations to be used on Friday, August 27, 2010 are: Gerry Street, Gerry School, Gerry Playground, Gerry Island, Gerry 5 VFA and the Elbridge Gerry House (with the resident's permission). All in favor.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MINUTES. Motion made and seconded, on advice from Assistant Town Counsel Lisa Mead, after her review of our executive session minutes,

the Board shall make public the following Board of Selectmen Executive Session minutes: October 9, 2002, April 11, 2007, April 25, 2007, November 28, 2007, January 23, 2008, February 25, 2009, August 12, 2009, January 27, 2010, April 5, 2010, April 10, 2010, April 14, 2010. All in favor.

PERMISSION. MHS All Sports Boosters Scholarship Drive. Motion made and seconded to approve the request from Wendy Chalek, Chairman, for the MHS All Sports Boosters to conduct their annual door- to door canvas on Sunday, October 17, 2010. The drive will originate from the high school field house beginning at 12:00 noon and will finish at approximately 4:00pm. All in favor.

TOWN CLERK. State Primary. Absentee Ballots. Office Hours. A notice was read from Robin Michaud, Town Clerk, reminding residents that the State Primary is Tuesday, September 14, 2010. The Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. ó 8:00 p.m. The last day to register to vote is Wednesday, August 25, 2010. The Town Clerks office hours will be as follows:

Monday, August 23, 2010	8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday, August 24, 2010	8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday, August 25, 2010	8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. (LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE)
Thursday, August 26, 2010	9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday, August 27, 2010	8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Absentee ballots are now available. You may apply for an absentee ballot from now until Monday, September 13, 2010 at 12:00 noon. Please call the Clerk's office with any questions (1-781-631-0528).

MASSACHUSETTS MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION. Statewide Essay Contest. A letter was received from the Massachusetts Municipal Association (MMA) announcing the fifth annual MMA Statewide Essay Contest for 6th Graders. This letter will be forwarded to Dr. G. Paul Dulac, Superintendent of Schools.

ANNUAL ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE. Maddie's Sail Loft. Amend. Motion made and seconded to approve the request from Loretta Lang, Maddie's Sail Loft, to amend the current Entertainment License to include Live Music on Wednesdays from 8:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. subject to no music to be heard from the street. All in favor.

COUNCIL ON AGING. Appreciation. Motion made and seconded to send a letter of appreciation to Maureen Horan and Rensselaer Havens who are both retiring from the Council on Aging after many years of service. All in favor.

Motion made and seconded to adjourn at 8:10 p.m. All in favor.

Kyle A. Wiley
Administrative Aide