

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order by Ms. Schiffer at 6:20 p.m.

ATTENDANCE

Harvey, Schiffer, Seppala, Jolly, Awad
Maglione, Bodhi, Clobridge, Rosenblatt, Sayer, Bell, Berkowitz, Toyofuku, Herbert, Rothery, Buchanan,
Davis

SELECT BOARD'S ACTION

Proclamation

VOTED unanimously to proclaim March, 2001, American Red Cross Month.

Approve Minutes

VOTED unanimously to approve the Select Board minutes of February 26, 2001, as amended.

PERMITS AND LICENSES

Public Hearing – Transfer of Stock – The English Pub

- Public hearing called to order at 6:21 p.m.
- Closed the public hearing at 6:23 p.m.
- VOTED: Schiffer, Seppala, Awad voted “Aye”, Harvey, Jolly absent, to approve the transfer of stock for F. & S. Restaurant Corp., d/b/a The English Pub, 15 East Pleasant Street (Manager: Gerald R. Jolly).

New Officers/Directors – The English Pub

VOTED: Harvey, Schiffer, Seppala, Awad voted “Aye”, Jolly absent, to approve the new Officers/Directors for F. & S. Restaurant Corp., d/b/a The English Pub, 15 East Pleasant Street (Manager: Gerald R. Jolly).

Public Hearing – Transfer of Stock – Rafters

- Public hearing called to order at 6:26 p.m.
- Closed the public hearing at 6:27 p.m.
- VOTED: Harvey, Schiffer, Seppala, Awad voted “Aye”, Jolly absent, to approve the transfer of stock for F. & S. Restaurant Corp., d/b/a Rafters Sport Bar and Restaurant, 422 Amity Street, (Manager: Gerald R. Jolly).

New Officers/Directors – Rafters

VOTED: Harvey, Schiffer, Seppala, Awad voted “Aye”, Jolly absent, to approve the new Officers/Directors for F. & S. Restaurant Corp., d/b/a Rafters Sport Bar and Restaurant, 422 Amity Street, (Manager: Gerald R. Jolly).

All Alcoholic Restaurant License - The Harp

- Public hearing called to order at 6:29 p.m.
- Closed the public hearing at 6:40 p.m.
- VOTED: Harvey, Schiffer, Seppala, Awad voted “Aye”, Jolly abstained, to approve with the following conditions the All Alcoholic Restaurant License for Conara, Inc. d/b/a The Harp (Manager: Mark Power), 163 Sunderland Road:
 1. Staff will patrol the perimeter of the building every fifteen minutes between 9 p.m. and one half hour after closing.
 2. Trash will be picked up every morning on The Harp property and neighboring properties.

Common Victualler License – The Harp

VOTED: Harvey, Schiffer, Seppala, Awad voted “Aye”, Jolly abstained, to approve the Common Victualler License for Conara, Inc. d/b/a The Harp (Manager: Mark Power), 163 Sunderland Road.

Live Entertainment License – The Harp

VOTED: Harvey, Schiffer, Seppala, Awad voted “Aye”, Jolly abstained, to approve with the following conditions the Live Entertainment License for Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 7:00 p.m. to closing for Conara, Inc. d/b/a The Harp (Manager: Mark Power), 163 Sunderland Road:

1. At all times that entertainment is present, all windows and doors will remain shut for the duration of said entertainment.
2. There will be postings inside the establishment which instruct patrons to come and go in an orderly fashion and that no containers may be taken outside.
3. The doormen and bartenders on duty will be responsible for information and enforcement of said postings.

One-Day Wine and Malt License – The Common School

VOTED unanimously to approve the One-Day Wine and Malt License for The Common School on March 24, 2001, from 7:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. at The Red Barn, Hampshire College, for a fundraising event.

Annual License Renewals

VOTED unanimously to renew the attached list of licenses for April 1, 2001 to March 31, 2002.

Executive Session

VOTED: Harvey, Schiffer, Seppala, Jolly, Awad voted “Aye” to adjourn the open meeting at 9:07 p.m. and convene an Executive Session to discuss strategy with respect to pending litigation, collective bargaining, and non-union employee compensation because public discussion would have a detrimental effect on the Town’s position. The open meeting will reconvene following the Executive Session.

Reconvene Open Meeting

Reconvened the open meeting at 10:03.

Manager’s Contract

VOTED unanimously to accept the recommendation of the Select Board Subcommittee and approve the contract agreement between the Town of Amherst and the Town Manager, effective March 5, 2001.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Question period

No questions.

ADJOURNMENT

VOTED unanimously to adjourn 10:05 p.m.