

**MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Meeting called to order by Mr. Del Castilho at 6:18 p.m.

**ATTENDANCE**

Seppala, Schiffer, Jolly, Awad, Goldberg  
Del Castilho, Wilson, Kusner, Turner, V. Kaynor, O'Connor, Morales, Berkowitz,

**SELECT BOARD'S ACTION**

**Select Board Organizational Meeting**

VOTED: Schiffer, Jolly, Awad, Goldberg voted "Aye", Seppala abstained. to elect Carl Seppala as the Chair of the Select Board.

VOTED: Seppala, Jolly, Awad, Goldberg voted "Aye", Schiffer abstained, to elect Eva Schiffer as the Vice-Chair of the Select Board.

VOTED: Seppala, Schiffer, Awad, Goldberg voted "Aye", Jolly abstained, to elect Dolly Jolly as the Clerk of the Select Board.

**Citation**

VOTED unanimously to sign the citation for Bryan Harvey.

**Amity Shuttle**

VOTED unanimously to add 5:30, 6:30 and 7:30 p.m. run of the Amity Shuttle from April 23 through May 31, 2001.

**Lessey Street**

VOTED unanimously to close Lessey Street from the Clark House exit to Main Street.

**Approve Minutes**

VOTED: Seppala, Schiffer, Jolly, Awad voted "Aye", Goldberg abstained, to approve the Select Board minutes of April 2, 2001, as amended.

**WARRANT ARTICLES**

**Article 6 - Petition – Resolution – Annual Public Hearings (Wilson and Ditmore)**

VOTED unanimously to refer Article 6 to the Select Board.

**Article 44 - Petition – Resolution – Section 12.122 of the Zoning Bylaw: Family: "A group of unrelated individuals, not to exceed 4..."(Wilson and Ditmore)**

No action taken.

**Article 16 – Petition – Electric rates (BenEzra)**

No action taken.

**Article 26 – Petition – Additional Town Center Evening Bus Service (Kusner)**

No action taken.

**Article 23 – Petition – Public Transportation Funding (Turner)**

No action taken.

**Articles 27 – Petition – Main/Amity Street Intersection Design (Kaynor)**

No action taken.

**Articles 28 - Petition - Route 9/South Pleasant Street Intersection Design (Kaynor)**

No action taken.

**Articles 4 – Petition – Special Act - Amherst Town Government Act (O’Connor)**

No action taken.

**Article 8 – Petition – Voting Machines (O’Connor)**

No action taken.

**Article 45 – Petition - Affordable Housing (O’Connor)**

No action taken.

**Article 3 – Petition – Resolution – MCAS (Morales)**

No action taken.

**PERMITS AND LICENSES**

**Lunch Cart License – Dogs ‘n’ Such – Amend Hours**

VOTED unanimously to amend the hours of operation to 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. from January – April and October - December, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. from May – August and 8 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. in September, for the Lunch Cart License for William Snyder for Dogs ‘n’ Such, of 162 Kendall Street, Granby, MA.

**One-Day Wine and Malt License – Karuna Center for Peace Building**

VOTED unanimously to approve the One-Day Wine and Malt License for Karuna Center for Peace Building on May 12, 2001, from 6:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. at the Red Barn, Hampshire College for a benefit event.

**Taxi Driver License**

VOTED unanimously to approve the Taxi Driver License, for six months as recommended by the Police Chief, for Jesse F. Slatcher, Jr. of 33 K Gerald Way, Holyoke, MA for Community Transportation Services, Inc. d/b/a Red Cab of Amherst.

**GENERAL BUSINESS**

**Question period**

- Question about marijuana numbers in relationship to elections: where did “19” come from?
- A statement was made in support of message banners.

**ADJOURNMENT**

VOTED unanimously to adjourn at 11:10 p.m.