

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 6:18 p.m.

ATTENDANCE

Harvey, Schiffer, Jolly, Seppala, Awad
Del Castilho, Roberts

QUESTION PERIOD

No Questions

SELECT BOARD'S ACTION

Town Center Parking Permit System

VOTED unanimously to allow Amherst College to purchase sixteen (16) Town Center Parking Permits for one year.

Dog Hearing

- VOTED unanimously to find violations of the Town Bylaw involving dogs owned by Ann Bell as described in the information provided to the Select Board.
- MOTION made, no second, to remove the dogs from Town.
- MOTION made, no second, to order 2 of the 3 dogs removed from Town.
- VOTED unanimously to order the removal from the Town's borders of the 3 dogs owned by Ann Bell, "Sugar", "Spice", and "Mecca" and the dog known as "Mason."

Select Board's Position on Non-Local Petition Policy

VOTED unanimously to adopt the following policy on non-local advisory articles:

Advisory articles on foreign policy or other non-local issues provide an opportunity for the community as a whole, through its representative Town Meeting, to contribute to larger policy debates. The Select Board, as a body, does not typically argue for or against such articles before Town Meeting. The Select Board will meet with petitioners and discuss issues if that would be helpful in preparation for Town Meeting, and members of the Board may speak as individuals during Town Meeting debate.

Committee Appointment

VOTED unanimously to appoint Sonya Sofield, Alternate to the Zoning Board of Appeals, for a term to expire on June 30, 2001.

Approve minutes

VOTED unanimously to approve the Select Board minutes of August 28, 2000.

ADJOURNMENT

VOTED unanimously to adjourn at 8:02 p.m.