

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order by Ms. Awad at 6:15 p.m.

ATTENDANCE

Awad, Kusner, Weiss, Greeney, Hubley
Shaffer, Musante, Carlozzi

SELECT BOARD'S ACTION

Discussion Lincoln/Fearing/Sunset Traffic Calming

Voted unanimously to create a Lincoln/Fearing/Sunset Task Force Group with Town Manager Larry Shaffer, DPW Superintendent Guilford Mooring, Fire Chief Keith Hoyle, Police Chief Charlie Scherpa, Town Engineer Jason Skeels, Lincoln Street area neighbors, and a representative from the University of Massachusetts Police Department, Public Transportation Committee and the Public Works Committee to hold a joint meeting to resolve Lincoln/Fearing/Sunset traffic calming.

Multiple Override Ballot Questions

VOTED Awad, Hubley "Aye," Greeney, Weiss, "No," Kusner abstained to place the following levy limit override ballot questions on the May 1, 2007 Town ballot:

QUESTION 1a

Shall the Town of Amherst be allowed to assess an additional \$1,500,000 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purpose of funding the Town's Regional School District assessment and the operating and capital budgets of the Town, Public Schools, and Jones Library for the fiscal year beginning July first, two thousand and seven?

QUESTION 1b

Shall the Town of Amherst be allowed to assess an additional \$2,500,000 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purpose of funding the Town's Regional School District assessment and the operating and capital budgets of the Town, Public Schools, and Jones Library for the fiscal year beginning July first, two thousand and seven?

Multiple Override Ballot Questions

VOTED Awad, Hubley, Kusner "Aye," Weiss "No," Greeney abstained to place the following levy limit override ballot questions on the May 1, 2007 Town ballot:

QUESTION 1a

Shall the Town of Amherst be allowed to assess an additional \$1,700,000 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purpose of funding the Town's Regional School District assessment and the operating and capital budgets of the Town, Public Schools, and Jones Library for the fiscal year beginning July first, two thousand and seven?

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operating and capital budgets of the Town, Public Schools, and Jones Library for the fiscal year beginning July first, two thousand and seven?

Multiple Override Ballot Questions

VOTED Awad, Kusner, Weiss, Greeney “Aye,” Hubley “No” to reconsider placing the following levy limit override ballot questions on the May 1, 2007 Town ballot:

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Multiple Override Ballot Questions

VOTED Awad, Greeney, Weiss “Aye,” Hubley “No”, Kusner abstained to recind placing the following levy limit override ballot questions on the May 1, 2007 Town ballot:

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Single Override Ballot Question

VOTED unanimously to place the following levy limit override ballot question on the May 1, 2007 Town ballot:

QUESTION 1

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Consent Calendar

VOTED Awad, Kusner, Weiss, Hubley “Aye,” Greeney abstained to approve the following items on the March 19, 2007 Consent Calendar:

Approve Minutes

VOTED Awad, Kusner, Weiss, Hubley “Aye,” Greeney abstained to approve and not release the Executive Session minutes of March 12, 2007.

VOTED Awad, Kusner, Weiss, Hubley “Aye,” Greeney abstained to approve the minutes of March 12, 2007.

Committee Appointments

- VOTED unanimously to appoint Sylvia Cuomo, Public Art Commission, for a term to expire June 30, 2008.

LICENSES AND PERMITS

ADJOURNMENT

VOTED unanimously to adjourn at 9:20 p.m.