

Regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen convened at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, November 13, 2018 in Room 34, the Harry B. Butters Chambers, Norwood Memorial Municipal Building, with the Pledge of Allegiance, and a silent moment of prayer and reflection. Meeting is Recorded.

Present: Chairman Thomas F. Maloney, Selectmen William J. Plasko, Selectmen Helen Abdallah Donohue, Selectman Paul A. Bishop and Allan D. Howard. Also present General Manager Tony Mazzucco, Clerk Frances L. Jessoe and Assistant Christina K. Mulvehill.

Appointments

7:00 P.M.- (cont'd) Show Cause Hearing, Outback Steakhouse of Florida, LLC, dba Outback Steakhouse

RE: Failure to provide the public with the services contemplated by the license. Outback closed effective January 16, 2018. (continued from August 7, 2018)

Atty. Andrew Upton from the law office of Atty. Joseph Devlin and Dan Newcomb of Liquor License Advisors were present. Mr. Upton said the only remaining asset is the license and they have an obligation to sell the license. They have finally reached an agreement with Mr. Spiegel who will take it over and assign it to a tenant. This is a good sign but not completed. In the offer it says he has 120 days to find a tenant. Mr. Newcomb spoke to the difficulty brokering the license and the progress they have made. There is an offer and acceptance and the buyer wants 120 days from acceptance of the offer – November 6. Mr. Newcomb said the challenge is the additions of Legacy Place, Patriot Place, and Westwood station. There will be a Purchase and Sales agreement with him within thirty days of the acceptance.

Selectman Donohue asked if Mr. Newcomb new Eliot Ravech. Mr. Spiegel's word is as good as gold. You are on the right track here. Selectman Plasko said there is nothing before this body. You want to continue tonight until you complete a deal with Mr. Spiegel. This license has not been used since January. Mr. Upton said Outback has no incentive to sit on this license. They have been trying to sell.

Chairman Maloney inquired if anyone would like to speak in favor or against the applicant. Selectman Howard made a motion to allow 60 days. The motion failed for lack of a second. On motion of Selectman Donohue, seconded by Selectman Bishop, voted to continue for 120 days. The vote carried and was 3-2. Selectman Plasko and Howard opposed.

7:15 P.M.-Jack Tolman, Brian McDonough, Norwood High School Hall of Fame

Norwood High School 2018 Alumni Weekend and Hall of Fame Inductions

Jack Tolman, introduced himself and gave an overview of the program. One display case will be named for John Howard. He saved everything including his 1934 graduation program. One of the inductees of the hall of fame is Cory Ferris who is John Howard's granddaughter.

Brian McDonough spoke about the actual induction and ceremony and the people who will be inducted. Selectman Howard spoke about his uncle John Howard. Selectman Donohue thanked everyone for all the effort that goes into this. Selectman Plasko urged everyone to attend.

7:300 P.M. – Colonial Boys, James Grover and John Lydon

Colonial Boys 65th Anniversary

Selectman Bishop introduced the group and gave some of their history. Brian Murphy had spoken to Selectman Bishop regarding coming before the Board. The Board presented a commendation and congratulations to the members. All the members went over their years of membership. Some have been members for 60 years and now Tom Shields, who is Mr. Grover's grandson is in the Colonial Boys now. John Lydon, former selectmen, has been active for many years. The Board mentioned how much the Colonial Boys mean to the Town and how they have played all over the country and in Europe. The mentioned former Chair of the Board of Assessors Paul Wanacek who was a member who passed away-he did so much for the Colonial Boys. Selectman Bishop read the commendation and congratulations.

7:40 P.M.- Supt. Travis Farley, Norwood Recreation Department:

Holiday Extravaganza. Mr. Farley announced the extravaganza on November 24th and it is an all-day event. He listed some of the events that will occur during the day. Mrs. Donohue will do the Night Before Christmas. It is all on small business Saturday and they are partnering with friends of Norwood Center. If you have any questions, please call the Recreation Department. Chairman Maloney said the entire town and the Board look forward to all the events.

New Business

Mass DOT:

On motion of Selectman Howard, seconded by Selectman Bishop, voted to file small bridge inspection report on Hawes Brook and Dean Street/Meadow Brook. (Has been sent to Supt. Mark Ryan). (For perusal)

Portuguese Club of Norwood, 1090 Washington Street:

On motion of Selectman Donohue, seconded by Selectman Bishop, voted to approve request for one day wine and malt beverage license for Saturday, November 17 from 4 p.m. to midnight.

Chief William G. Brooks, III, NPD:

On motion of Selectman Donohue, seconded by Selectman Bishop, voted to file liquor incident report for Shamrock Pub. Detective Greene investigated the incident and did not find any evidence of a violation.

Comcast:

On motion of Selectman Bishop, seconded by Selectman Howard, voted Submitting quarterly franchise fee for period ending 9/30/2018 in the amount of \$48,049.63. Has been sent to Norwood Community Media.

Edward J. Kelliher, Cable Commission:

On motion of Selectman Donohue, seconded by Selectman Bishop, voted approve request to be reappointed to the Cable Commission for a 3 year term.

Cemetery Deeds:

On motion of Selectman Donohue, seconded by Selectman Howard, voted to sign the following:
Brianna Forget, 21 Purchase Street, Danvers, MA 01923, to Lot C3-70.
Daniel Corzilius, 75 Garfield Avenue, to Lot U-26.
Teresa J. Kanalski, 32 Church Street, Berkley, MA 02779, to Lot C3-80.

Municipal Light Department:

Submitting for approval of the Board as Electric Light Commissioners, Contract for low bidder G&R Construction, Inc. for the Municipal Light Department Facility project by the Town of Norwood. On motion of Selectman Plasko, seconded by Selectman Donohue, acting in their capacity as Electric Light Commissioners, voted to accept the low bid of G&R Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$11,117,000.00 including the alternates.

Kate Sibbing-Dunn, 22 Howard Street:

On motion of Selectman Donohue, seconded by Selectman Bishop, voted to approve the request to be appointed to the Cultural Council.

Deborah S. Liu, 88 Alandale Parkway:

On motion of Selectman Donohue, seconded by Selectman Bishop, voted to approve the request to be appointed to the Cultural Council.
The Board discussed capping of the committee at nine members. Selectman Howard said we have very good resumes on these applicants.
On motion of Selectman Plasko, seconded by Selectman Howard, voted to cap the committee at nine members. Selectman Donohue said the Cultural Council is diverse and nice to have lots of opinions, so if people are willing to volunteer, we should be happy and draw them into service. Chairman Maloney said he does agree with capping this. The vote was 4-1. Selectman Donohue opposed

Manager's Update

Toys for tots-VFW at 7 p.m. Friday

Trash pickup is on regular schedule this week

We are currently going through trash and recycling audit and need to get the contamination rate down. The Manager said if you are in doubt you have to throw it out or call the DPW.

Selectman Howard spoke about people putting yard waste in the recycling bin. We want to avoid a trash fee.

Chairman Maloney asked the potential consequences of higher than allowable. The Manager said if we exceed our ten percent contamination rate we have to pay more. If you are not sure if something is recyclable, put in trash. Selectman Bishop asked if a display on this on cable would help. The Manager said yes they are working on a campaign and also will be doing more frequent audits.

Chairman Maloney asked if we got additional chapter 90 funds. The Manager said yes \$170,000 in additional Chapter 90 money for the roads and the state put more money into the CPA fund-we don't have an exact dollar amount on that yet. Selectman Donohue asked if we could put the funds toward roads only, not islands. The Manager said we pay for islands, etc. out of our regular DPW budget unless they are large projects.

Selectmen's Addenda

Selectman Plasko

Forbes Hill

Selectman Plasko said that the Task Force Members are willing to help going forward if the Board wants. He said the technical writing of the overlay we did by a small working committee with guidance from the Task Force. He said that in doing the RFP, it should be done with the same working group and maybe expands a little more with Cathy Carney and Town Counsel for some advice and set down with the Task Force. Also use them to assist in marketing and helping in the evaluation. On motion of Selectman Donohue, seconded by Selectman Howard, voted to use the Task Force as needed and the minority group as needed. Selectman Plasko said they hope by mid-January they may be able to be on the street.

Borrowing for 136 Access Road Program

There is a good working group and should we add a member of Board to that group and a liaison to the group and include a monthly report to the Board and this would bring the public and the Board up to date. He said that the working group is Supt. Jim Collins, Dept. Supts. Morrissey, Shaughnessy, the General Manager, the Project Manager-compass and our architects. On motion of Selectman Bishop, seconded by Selectman Howard, voted to nominate Selectman Plasko to be on the working group for Access Road project.

Selectman Donohue

Veterans Day

Thank you to Mr. Mulvehill and all who participated in the event.

Norfolk County Veterans Treatment Court

Today in Memorial Hall. The court moved to Memorial Hall and five veterans who completed the program graduated. Officer Tom Stapleton, NPD has been working on this program over the years. The event was recorded on cable tv.

Memorial Hall

Historical Display was still up during court ceremony and judges made reference to the beautiful display. This was put up by Mrs. Dolly Parker and thank you.

Selectman Howard:

Display will be there through this Thursday.

Winter street landfill 8-1:30 as of December 1

Tics

In cold weather they are more subdued when temperature is less than 40 degrees but they can wake up in warmer weather. So you still have to be careful.

Thanksgiving

Happy thanksgiving.

Selectman Bishop

One day license

Knights of Columbus for the Norwood Irish Music Club- of AAB November 17 the 7-11 p.m. for Norwood Irish music. On motion of Selectman Bishop, seconded by Selectman Howard, voted to approve.

All night parking

Starts at midnight on the 14th of November.

Kerry McCarthy Senior meals.

Lombardo family for seniors and people who live alone to go to Randolph

Hessco will be delivering meals to homes.

Contact senior center for information

Chairman Maloney

Norwood Diamond Club

Thank you from Ed hickey for Boch Fund and also thanking Supt. Mark Ryan and the DPW crew for keeping the Norwood Baseball diamonds in top shape. He also thanked Travis Farley and Howie Weinstein for handling the scheduling.

Next meeting is November 27th.

Application for Executive Administrative Position has ended and we have two applications. He asked Selectman Bishop and Ms. Pizzi and Mr. Mazzucco to prepare the questions. Selectman Bishop said they will be having the interviews on November 29th or 30th. On motion of Selectman Howard, seconded by Selectman Plasko, voted the above.

Adjournment

No other business being presented for consideration, on motion of Selectman Donohue, seconded by Selectman Plasko, voted to adjourn and the meeting was adjourned accordingly at 8:20 p.m.

A True Record.

ATTEST: _____
Clerk