

TOWN OF FRAMINGHAM
SELECTMEN'S RECORDS

NOVEMBER 14, 1988

The regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held at 7:30 P.M. Present: Philip B. Ernst, Chairman, Selectman Clerk John F. DelPrete and Selectman John F. King. Mrs. Eleanor Sebastian, Acting Executive Administrator, was also present.

WARRANTS:

#59 - November 14, 1988 - Bills - \$450,283.58
#60 - " " " - Miscellaneous - \$719,892.29
#61 - " " " - Salaries - \$585,832.28

SPECIAL ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSES:

Framingham State College - Ram's Den Pub - November 30, 1988 - 4:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.
Framingham State College - Ram's Den Pub - December 4, 1988 - 5:30 P.M. to 10:30 P.M.
Village Improvement Association - Village Hall - November 19, 1988 - 8:00 P.M. to 1:00 A.M.

SPECIAL MALT BEVERAGES & WINE LICENSE:

St. Tarcisius Church - Fr. Maschi Parish Center, 562 Waverly St., November 18 & 19, 1988 - Friday, 5:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M., Saturday, 12 Noon to 4:00 P.M.

AUCTION - SPECIAL PERMIT:

Joseph J. Valardi - 92 Main Street, Gardner, MA., 01440 - Tuesday, November 29, 1988 at the Days Inn from 7:00 P.M. - 11:00 P.M. Preview: 5:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. (COIN AUCTION)

RATIFICATIONS:

Permit to Open, Occupy and Obstruct a Street:

Dannella Company - Maple Street at Conrail Railroad Tracks - November 14 to November 28, 1988
Diamond M. Contractors - Between #92 & #108 Bethany Road - November 9 to November 10, 1988
Rosewood Excavation Company - 414-416 Brook Street - November 10 to November 16, 1988
Casaceli Trucking Inc. - 1380 Concord Street - November 14, 1988

PROCLAMATIONS

Joan Gay accepted the proclamations for Hospice Care Month for the month of November in recognition of the work done in this area. Also, for the Great American Smokeout Day of November 17, 1988.

HEARING - ASSESSORS

John Liberatore and Jim McCloskey appeared before the Board. The scheduled hearing on the issue of allocating the local property tax levy for fiscal year '89 was continued to November 21 due to the backlog of hearing abatements and computer breakdown.

CONFERENCE - PARKING GARAGE

Louise Masailo of the Planning Department appeared to discuss the Permanent Building Committee's memo stating that the Pearl Street Parking Garage has been substantially completed except for some minor punch list items that were being tended to. The committee felt that at this time, the Board accept the jurisdiction of the Parking Garage. A memo from the Finance Committee suggested that due to the Town's financial position, the garage could either be sold or leased. Chairman Ernst felt that selling the garage would be out of the question. The Selectmen voted to have the Superintendent of Town Owned Buildings, the Contractor and the Planning Director meet and make a recommendation to the Board stating that the facility is acceptable to the Town. It was also voted to have the Finance Committee reconsider their decision for funds in order to hire a management company for the garage. Also, the Board requested that the Planning Director investigate the low bidder for the management company to see if he can do the required work. Selectman King suggested that the Superintendent of Town Owned Buildings investigate the nuisance of pigeons in the facility with the Contractor.

CONFERENCE - LIQUOR LICENSE

Attorney John DelPrete, Jr. appeared before the Board for permission to make application on behalf of his client for an All Alcoholic Restaurant License at the rear of 50 Worcester Road. The name of the establishment was Bangkok Oriental, Inc. and that they were to serve ethnic Thai food. He stated, previously a restaurant had been at that location, and ample parking was available for patrons. Selectman King questioned the issuance of the prior Common Victualer license for the location in question and stated he wanted to investigate it further. The Board took the request under advisement. John DelPrete did not participate in the conference.

SWORN WEIGHER APPOINTMENT

Triram Corporation requested the Board to appoint two individuals as Sworn Weighers for the company. The Board referred the request to the Sealer of Weights and Measures, Mario Bartolini for his comments.

SAFETY OFFICER RECOMMENDATIONS

Upon the recommendation of the Safety Officer, the Board voted the installation of the following sign:

FIRE LANE - NO PARKING on both sides of the Turning Point Shelter, 73 Hollis Street.

CROSSING GUARD APPOINTMENTS

Upon the recommendation of the Safety Officer, the Board appointed Mrs. Jean Murphy, 73 Davidson Road, Framingham and Mrs. Mary Murray, 342 Summer Street, Framingham, as PERMANENT CROSSING GUARDS & SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS for a term of duration of employment with the Town of Framingham.

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FIREFIGHTER APPOINTMENT

The Board appointed William E. McLean, 12 Lindsay Street, Framingham, as a permanent Firefighter, effective November 28, 1988.

LIQUOR VIOLATION

The Board of Selectmen reviewed the Police Chief's correspondence regarding a liquor violation at Liam's Irish Tavern at 17 Edgell Road. The Board voted to send a letter of reprimand as requested by the Police Chief.

LIQUOR FEES

The Board voted to table the request of the Acting Executive Administrator to review the liquor fee structure.

CAPITAL BUDGET COMMITTEE

The Board reviewed correspondence from John McPhie of the Capital Budget Committee asking for follow-up on several matters that were voted on at Town Meeting. John King outlined the status of the flashing warning lights at the Industrial Park, the electric transformer at the Centros Office Building and the public way section of Beech Street (Framingham Union Hospital). John King asked that the Town Counsel respond to Mr. McPhie.

The Board noted receipt of the following items:

1. Correspondence from Town Counsel re: Alvin Love (MCI-Norfolk) vs. Framingham Police and Department of Corrections.
2. Correspondence from Town Counsel re: McLean Hospital vs. Hanna and Framingham School Committee
3. Correspondence from Town Counsel re: Hearing with Civil Service Commission - Peter Bianchi
4. Correspondence from Town of Southboro re: Meeting scheduled to discuss 9/90 Project.
5. Correspondence from Framingham Community Land Trust re: update on Land Trust.
6. Correspondence from Town of Duxbury re: seeking support to ban liquor commercials from television.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 P.M.



JOHN F. DELPRETE, CLERK