

TOWN OF HOPEDALE

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Board of Selectmen Robert Burns Thomas A. Wesley Louis J. Arcudi, III

Town Administrator Steven A. Sette

Regular Meeting Minutes Tuesday, April 18, 2017

Selectman Burns called the meeting of the Board of Selectmen to order at 7:00 p.m. in the Draper Room at Town Hall.

Present: Selectmen Robert P. Burns, Selectman Thomas Wesley, Town Administrator Steven Sette, Executive Assistant Susan Brouwer, members of the public and Videographer Jeff Ellis were present.

Selectman Louis Arcudi was absent.

Chairman Burns began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

A. Public Comment on Agenda Items

B. Consent Items

- 1. Approval of March 20, 2017 Executive Minutes
 MSDV to approve the executive minutes of March 20, 2017
 Selectman Burns Aye; Selectmen Wesley Aye; Selectmen Arcudi Absent
- 2. Approval of April 3, 2017 Regular Minutes
 MSDV to approve the regular minutes of April 3, 2017
 Selectman Burns Aye; Selectmen Wesley Aye; Selectmen Arcudi Absent
- 3. Approval of April 3, 2017 Executive Session Minutes
 MSDV to approve the executive minutes of April 3, 2017
 Selectman Burns Aye; Selectmen Wesley Aye; Selectmen Arcudi Absent
- 4. Authorization of Warrants; FY17-39 approved by Selectman Wesley and FY17-40 and 17-40P approved by Selectmen Wesley and Burns
 MSDV to authorize the signing of the above listed warrants

Selectman Burns – Aye; Selectmen Wesley – Aye; Selectmen Arcudi – Absent

C. Appointments and Resignations

1. Appointment of Udel Gibler to the Conservation Commission
The Board received an email from Conservation Chair Vanessa
Desmaris who spoke in favor of Mr. Gibler's appointment to the
Conservation Commission. Board members thanked Mr. Gibler for
coming forward.

MSDV to appoint Udel Gibler to the Conservation Commission Selectman Burns – Aye; Selectmen Wesley – Aye; Selectmen Arcudi – Absent

D. New Business

1. Sara Robinson - The Cupcake Girl Request New Common Victualler License

Ms. Robinson presented her business stating that she is looking to open a bakery at 150 Hartford Ave. The Board welcomed Ms. Robinson to Hopedale stating they are looking forward to having a bakery in Town.

MSDV voted to approve the application for a Common Victualler License to Sara Robinson, The Cupcake Girl, LLC. Ms. Robinson's original plan contained seating however; the Health Inspector does not recommend seating unless a public bathroom is available. Sara removed the requested seating from her design plan and will only offer take out bakery items.

Selectman Burns – Aye; Selectmen Wesley – Aye; Selectmen Arcudi – Absent

E. Old Business

None

F. Public and Board Member Comments

None

G. Correspondence and Selectmen Informational Items

- FiOS TV Line-Up, Rate Card and Sample Customer Bill emailed dated March 15, 2017
- 2. FiOS TV Pricing Changes, Sports Pass, Spanish Language Package and HBO dated March 31, 2017
- 3. Hopedale Police Department Monthly Stats for February 2017
 Board members reviewed the Police Department monthly stats for February 2017 acknowledging the number and types of calls the department handled during the month.

H. <u>Requests for Future Agenda Items</u> None

I. Administrator News

- 1. Reminder candidate Forum Night is scheduled Tuesday, April 25 at 7:00 p.m. in the HS Auditorium
- 2. Reminder the Annual Town Meeting is scheduled May 23 at 7:00 p.m. in the HS Auditorium
- 3. Reminder the Annual Town Meeting Warrant closes on May 15, 2017 Administrator Sette wanted to remind the public of the above listed items. If anyone has a warrant article for the Annual Town Meeting, the warrant will closed on May 15.

J. Adjournment

With no further business before them, the Board of Selectmen adjourned their regular meeting at 7:22 p.m.

MSDV to adjourn the April 18 meeting.

Selectman Burns-Aye; Selectman Wesley-Aye; Selectman Arcudi- Absent

Robert P. Burns

Thomas A. Wesley

Louis J. Arcudi, III

*MSDV - Moved, Seconded, Discussed and Voted *RCV - Roll Call Vote