

AGENDA
WILLIAMSTOWN BOARD OF SELECTMEN
MONDAY, JULY 9, 2012
7:00 P.M.

1. **CHAIRMAN'S OPENING STATEMENT:**
2. **SELECTMEN'S MINUTES: June 25, 2012**
3. **LICENSES AND PERMITS:**
 - A. **Request from American Legion Post 152 for a One-Day All Alcoholic Beverage License on Saturday, July 28, 2012, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 midnight at 117 Latham Street (Lot next door) for the Sons of the American Legion Golf Tournament.**
 - B. **Request from President and Trustees of Williams College, 800 Main Street, Robert Volpi , Manager for Six One-Day Liquor Licenses:**
 1. **One-Day All Alcoholic Beverage License, Mt. Hope, Friday, July 27, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. for an Alumni Guest Golf.**
 2. **One-Day All Alcoholic Beverage License, Mt. Hope, Saturday, July 28, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. for an Alumni Guest Golf.**
 3. **One-Day All Alcoholic Beverage License, Dodd House Living Room and Bar, Sunday, August 5, 2012 from 9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. for MTA (Mass. Teachers Association) Open House.**
 4. **One Day All Alcoholic Beverage License, Mission Park, Monday, August 6, 2012 from 9:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight for MTA 1st Night Dance Party.**
 5. **One-Day All Alcoholic Beverage License, Under Tent between Sage and Williams Dorm (Freshman Quad) , Wednesday August 8, 2012 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. for MTA Political Dessert.**
 6. **One-Day Wine and Malt Beverage License, Mission Park Dining Hall, Wednesday, August 8, 2012 from 10:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. for the MTA's Yearly Bash.**

4. ITEMS FOR SELECTMEN'S CONSIDERATION:

- A. Alcoholic Beverage Compliance Check Failure – Hopes & Vines**
- B. Alcoholic Beverage Compliance Check Failure – Colonial Pizza**
- C. Hogs on the Farm – Charles Ransford**

5. TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT:

6. PETITIONER'S REQUEST:

7. OTHER BUSINESS:

8. ADJOURN:

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Present: David A. Rempell, Chair, Jane B. Allen, Tom Costley, Thomas Sheldon and Ronald Turbin

Others Present: Peter Fohlin, David Alcacoa, Constantine Anagnos, Robert Janes, Susan Schneski, Michelle Forth, Ted Anagnos

1. CHAIRMAN'S OPENING STATEMENT: None

2. SELECTMEN'S MINUTES: June 25, 2012 – Mr. Sheldon moved to approve the minutes. Ms. Allen seconded and the motion carried. Mr. Costley abstained.

3. LICENSES AND PERMITS

A. Request from American Legion Post 152 for a One-Day All Alcoholic Beverage License on Saturday, July 28, 2012, from 9:00 am to 12:00 midnight at 117 Latham Street (Lot next door) for the Sons of the American Legion Golf Tournament. Jane Allen moved and Tom Costley seconded. Passed unanimously.

B. Request from President and Trustees of William College, 800 Main Street, Robert Volpi, Manager for Six One-Day Liquor Licenses: July 27, 2012, July 28, 2012, August 5, 2012, August 6, 2012, August 8, 2012 and a second license on August 8, 2012 (See agenda for more detail). Tom Costley moved and Tom Sheldon seconded. Passed unanimously.

4. ITEMS FOR SELECTMEN'S CONSIDERATION

A. **Alcoholic Beverage Compliance Check Failure – Hops & Vines.** Michelle Forth, Front Manager, and owner David Aldacoa spoke before the Board of Selectmen. They reported that the bartender, who is highly regarded and experienced, failed to card the undercover agent. She was suspended for four days and removed as bartender. Since the incident, every staff member has been re-trained in TIPS. Carding procedures are now reviewed every day with the entire staff. It was proposed that a letter of warning be sent. Moved by Tom Sheldon and seconded by Ron Turbin. Motion passed unanimously.

B. **Alcoholic Beverage Compliance Check Failure – Colonial Pizza.** Ted Anagos and Constantine Anagnos, owners, spoke to the Board of Selectmen. Constantine stated that he failed to initially card the undercover agent. However, he would have requested to see his driver's license before actually serving him the beer. Colonial Pizza is a family run business and it only serves beer as a courtesy. It does not rely on the business. Constantine stated that he will take TIPS training. It was noted that Colonial Pizza had never previously failed a compliance check. It was decided that a letter of warning would be sent to Colonial Pizza. Moved by Ron Turbin and seconded by Tom Costley. Motion passed unanimously.

- C. **Water & Sewer Warrant - \$285,845.74.** Moved by Jane Allen and seconded by Tom Sheldon. Passed unanimously.
- D. **Hogs on the Farm – Charles Ransford.** Mr. Ransford did not appear. Mr. Fohlin reported that he received a letter from Mr. Ransford that the Snowford Foundation has withdrawn its support of the event, Hogs on the Farm. The Board of Selectmen requested that Mr. Fohlin ask town counsel several questions, including whether “donations” provided to Mr. Ransford by individuals who show up on the day of the event would constitute a “fee”, and whether individuals camping on the property would trigger a requirement that Mr. Ransford obtain a camping permit.

5. **TOWN MANAGER’S REPORT:** See attached.

6. **PETITIONER’S REQUEST:** None

7. **OTHER BUSINESS:** Mr. Sheldon reported that the town warrant authorizing the creation of the Affordable Housing Trust is awaiting the Attorney General’s approval of the by-law. When the by-law is approved, the trustees will be appointed by the Board of Selectmen.

8. **ADJOURN:** Moved by Tom Costley and seconded by Jane Allen, the meeting was adjourned at 8:43 pm. The next meeting of the Board of Selectmen is Monday, July 23, 2012 at 7 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,


Ronald Turbin, Secretary