

IN BOARD OF SELECTMEN
TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 1974

Present: Chairman John C. Powers, John E. Taft and William F. Toomey.

The statutory requirements as to notice having been complied with, the regular meeting was called to order at 7:15 p.m. by Chairman John C. Powers.

Jurors

Present: Betsey M. Powers, Town Clerk.

The Board drew the names of John I. Shaw, 21 Easy Street, to serve as juror at Lowell Court, commencing May 6, 1974, and Alyce I. Flionis, 317 Old Lancaster Road, to serve as juror at Cambridge Court, commencing May 6, 1974.

1974 Collective Bargaining Negotiations

The Executive Secretary reported that Richard Murphy, Labor Relations Counsel, had today met with the Sudbury Police Association in an attempt to resolve issues which would allow a continuation of negotiations. Mr. Thompson reported that it was Mr. Murphy's recommendation, following said meeting, to file for mediation immediately.

It was on motion unanimously

VOTED: To direct Richard Murphy, Labor Relations Counsel, to file for mediation immediately relative to negotiations with the Sudbury Police Association, and to report back immediately on all proceedings.

Sign Bylaw Revision Committee - Article 24, Signs

Present: Francis E. White, Chairman, William Hall, Leon Zola, and Richard Briden of the Sign Bylaw Revision Committee.

Mr. Briden, representative to the Sign Bylaw Revision Committee from P.R.I.D.E. reported that an amendment to Article 24 has been prepared which satisfies the concern of members of P.R.I.D.E., as to cooperation between the Sign Review Board and the Building Inspector/Zoning Enforcement Agent.

Mr. Hall reported that the remaining members of the Committee were in favor of the change.

Selectman Taft expressed his opinion that the Sign Review Board proposed by the article was not necessary and stated that he may speak to this issue at Town Meeting.

Discussion followed and it was generally agreed to establish a Sign Review Board for a trial period, which could then be dissolved if the work load proved it to be unnecessary.

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Also discussed was the possibility that the members of this new board be made up by appointment of members of the Board of Appeals or other committees.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was on motion unanimously

VOTED: To adjourn the meeting at 7:55 p.m.

Attest:


Richard E. Thompson
Executive Secretary-Clerk