

IN BOARD OF SELECTMEN
TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1981

Present: Chairman Anne W. Donald and William J. Cossart.

The statutory requirements as to notice having been fulfilled, the meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Chairman Donald in the library of the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School.

Conduit - Nobscot Road

On the request of the Sudbury Water District for emergency authorization from the Board of Selectmen to install conduit in the public way, Nobscot Road, by July 1, to allow for bringing on line the new pumping station #7 to help alleviate expected dry weather pumping problems, it was on motion by Chairman Donald unanimously

VOTED: To grant Boston Edison Company permission to proceed immediately with the installation of conduit for underground electrical service from a westerly point adjacent to Pole 15 on Nobscot Road and running easterly across Nobscot Road, approximately 40-50', subject to receipt of a formal petition from the Boston Edison Company, as an emergency measure to provide power for the new Water District pumping station #7.

Minutes

It was on motion unanimously

VOTED: To accept the minutes of the Regular Session of June 8, 1981, as amended.

Fitzgerald Grievance

Selectman Cossart referenced a communication dated June 10, 1981, from John R. MacLean, Jr., President, Local 315, International Brotherhood of Police Officers, to the Personnel Board appealing a grievance of Daniel T. Fitzgerald, indicating that there had been no response from the Police Chief to the May 26, 1981, grievance. Executive Secretary Richard E. Thompson confirmed that the Personnel Board is scheduled to meet with Officer Fitzgerald relative to his grievance, Monday, June 22. If the Personnel Board denies this grievance, it will come before the Selectmen.

Patruno Grievance

Relative to the grievance dated May 25, 1981, of Vincent J. Patruno and Charles R. Quinn concerning use of a private contractor to provide a trained police dog and handler, rather than regular officers, the Board directed the Executive Secretary to consult with Town Counsel and the Chief of Police to determine the status of the complaint; whereas, the Chief supposedly resolved the grievance by stating he would no longer use dogs, which may be contrary to the position of the Board if future incidents so required that we do so in the best interest of public safety.

Use of Town Signs

At the request of the Historical Commission received today, it was on motion unanimously

VOTED: To authorize the use of the Town signs at the Route 20 and Route 117 Fire Stations by the Historical Commission to advertise its July 4th yard sale at Heritage Park, to be installed as soon as the signs for the Annual Town Meeting can be removed.

The Board indicated its concurrence to the Historical Commission's use of the back side of the signs which had been constructed and used for the Town Clean-up.

As requested by the Board some time ago, Mr. Thompson commented that hopefully by July there would be a speed slogan painted on the community signs - a slogan has been suggested by Officer Carroll.

Police Department Future Collective Bargaining

Selectman Cossart reminded the Executive Secretary to include in the next police collective bargaining demand package, the matter relating to limiting holiday time off in lieu of pay and curtailing the practice of cash for vacation time.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 8:02 p.m.

Attest:

Richard E. Thompson
Executive Secretary-Clerk