



Town of West Boylston
140 Worcester Street, West Boylston, Massachusetts 01583

Select Board/Sewer Commission Meeting Minutes

Date / Time / Location of Meeting
October 18, 2023; 6:00 p.m.
140 Worcester Street
West Boylston, MA 01583
Board Meeting Room 2nd Floor

Members Present:
Kristina Pedone, Chair
Patrick J. Crowley, Vice Chair
James Morrissey, Clerk
Marc Frieden
Barur R. Rajeshkumar

Members NOT Present:

Invited Guests:
Jennifer Warren-Dyment, Town Administrator
Faye Zukowski, Municipal Assistant

THIS MEETING WILL ALSO BE HELD VIRTUALLY IN A HYBRID SETTING VIRTUAL MEETING INFORMATION:

***To Join Zoom Meeting**

- <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87289496812?pwd=QUg2cHBMNmJid0ZlZk9BZTVGbXFzZz09>
- Meeting ID: 872 8949 6812
- Passcode: 01583

This meeting will be held in-person at the location provided on this notice. Members of the public are welcome to attend this in-person meeting. Please note that while an option for remote attendance and/or participation is being provided as a courtesy to the public, the meeting will not be suspended or terminated if technological problems interrupt the virtual broadcast, unless otherwise required by law. Members of the public with particular interest in any specific item on this agenda should make plans for in-person vs. virtual attendance accordingly.

CONVENE MEETING

- Roll call

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC COMMENT: This fifteen-minute period is an opportunity for the public to address their concerns and questions regarding town operations and programs to the Board. Except in urgent circumstances, any matter presented for consideration by the Board shall not be discussed in detail nor acted upon by the Board at this meeting. A scheduled time on a future agenda may be set at the Board's discretion.

REVIEW AND VOTE TO APPROVE WARRANTS FOR THE PERIOD COVERING OCTOBER 5, 2023 through OCTOBER 18, 2023: Town Payable Warrants FY2024-15, FY2024-16; Payroll Warrant FY2024-08; MLP FY2024-07; Sewer Warrant FY2024-SE08 and FY2024-SE09.

Motion Mr. Rajeshkumar moved to approve; seconded by Mr. Crowley.

Approved

6:05 PM PUBLIC HEARING: Consider the Application of Mamacitas, LLC doing business as (d.b.a.) Mamacitas, 184 West Boylston Street, Unit 10, West Boylston, MA 01583 for an On Premises, Restaurant, All Alcoholic Beverages license.

Mr. Morrissey read the public hearing notice.

Ms. Karla Adorna owner of Mamacitas LLC gave the Board an overview of her restaurant plans and restaurant background. She stated she plans to open breakfast, lunch and dinner and seven days a week. She is hoping to open in January or February of 2024.

Motion Mr. Crowley moved to close public hearing; seconded by Mr. Frieden.

Approved

Motion Mr. Crowley moved to approve the license; seconded by Mr. Morrissey.

Approved

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Consider voting Select Board designee(s) to serve on the Negotiation Committee on the Massachusetts Coalition of Police Local 172 (Police Union) Negotiating Team**

Motion Mr. Rajeshkumar moved to select Ms. Pedone and Mr. Rajeshkumar; seconded by Mr. Frieden.

Approved

- **Discussion on Holiday Schedule**

Ms. Warren-Dyment requested to close the building to the public on November 24, 2023 for the day after Thanksgiving Holiday. She explained the staff will need to use paid time off (vacation or personal day) if they chose to take the day off.

Motion Mr. Crowley moved to allow the Town Administrator to decide which buildings will be closed to the public the day after Thanksgiving; seconded by Mr. Morrissey.

Approved

TOWN ADMINISTRATORS REPORT (May contain Departmental updates, community reminders and announcements, project updates, etc. No votes will be taken).

1. Town Administrator thanked everyone that attended Town Meeting and the process.

MEETINGS INVITATIONS & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Fall Fest, Saturday, October 21, 2023, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Volunteers Needed and location has been moved to the Middle/High School all activities will still be taking place as scheduled.**

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS/SELECT BOARD REPORTS:

None

ADJOURN MEETING

***Motion** Mr. Rajeshkumar moved to adjourn 6:15 p.m.; Mr. Morrissey second.*

Approved

All in favor

Respectfully submitted,

Approved: _____

Faye D. Zukowski, Municipal Assistant

Kristina A. Pedone, Chair

Patrick J. Crowley, Vice Chair

James Morrissey, Clerk

Marc Frieden

Barur R. Rajeshkumar