

Protection and License Committee

Chairman Infurna, Boisselle,
McAteer-Margolis, Brodeur, Forbes
Attending: Conn, Medeiros,
Mortimer, Seaboyer
In attendance: Police Chief Mike
Lyle

Protection and License called to order by Chairman Infurna at 7:34 p.m. Alderman McAteer-Margolis motions to open Public Participation, 2nd by Alderman Forbes. All in favor. No one comes forward. Alderman Forbes motions to close Public Participation, 2nd by Alderman Boisselle. All in favor.

Chairman Infurna recuses herself from the Chamber for Order No. 09-051.

Vice-Chairman Boisselle takes the chair. Order No. 09-051, Requesting that the Honorable Board of Aldermen accept a grant in the amount of \$2,500.00 from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety.

Alderman McAteer-Margolis moves to recommend, 2nd by Alderman Forbes.

Alderman Forbes motions to suspend the rules to have Police Chief Mike Lyle address the order, 2nd by Alderman McAteer-Margolis. All in favor.

Chief Lyle says this is the second part of the Child Safety grant which is used to purchase car seats that are then given away to residents that need them. He says Melrose is very fortunate to have it this year.

Alderman Seaboyer says this is the second part and asks if it is designed to have a third or fourth part. Chief Lyle says no; there are only two parts. Alderman Seaboyer asks how many car seats are given out; Chief Lyle says 24 seats which cost \$22.00 per seat.

Alderman Forbes asks if there is a good response to the program and how many families it has served. Chief Lyle says there records aren't kept; residents contact Officer Applegate and schedule an appointment with him.

Alderman McAteer-Margolis asks if the money may be used for anything else. Chief Lyle says no, just car seats. Alderman McAteer-Margolis asks if booster seats are included; Chief Lyle says yes.

Alderman Boisselle asks if Officer Applegate actually installs the seats into the cars. Chief Lyle says yes; Officer Applegate is a certified technician.

On the motion to recommend, All in favor.

Chairman Infurna returns to the Chamber and takes the gavel.

Order No. 09-059, Application for a Common Victualler License to Lisa S. Qu and Jianwei Guo d/b/a Feng Shui Restaurant located at 444 Main Street, Melrose, MA

Alderman McAteer-Margolis moves to recommend, 2nd by Alderman Forbes.

Lisa Qu says it's easier to call her husband Andy. They bought the business on July 1 and just opened a few days ago. They are happy to be in Melrose which they have found to be a nice city with respectful people. They are glad to be a part of Melrose.

Alderman McAteer-Margolis asks if they have been in the restaurant business before. Ms. Qu says it is the first business of their own, but they have prior restaurant experience. Alderman McAteer-Margolis asks if they live locally; Ms. Qu says they live in Quincy. Alderman McAteer-Margolis asks the hours of operation; Ms. Qu says Sunday through Thursday from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. and Friday and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.

Alderman Mortimer asks which type of food they will be serving. Ms. Qu says Chinese take-out food and they'll have only 7 seats because space is limited. Their goal is to be the best and they ask people to let them know what they like and don't like.

Chairman Infurna asks if it will be possible for someone to sit and eat lunch in the restaurant; Ms. Qu says yes. Chairman Infurna says she understands they have ordered a new sign to comply with the zoning ordinance. Ms. Qu says yes.

On the motion to recommend, All in favor.

Alderman McAteer-Margolis motions to adjourn, 2nd by Alderman Boisselle. All in favor.

Protection and License adjourns at 7:47.

Health, Education and Welfare Committee

Chairman McAteer-Margolis,
Forbes, Boisselle, Brodeur, Infurna
Attending: Conn, Medeiros,
Mortimer, Seaboyer

Health, Education and Welfare called to order by Chairman McAteer-Margolis at 7:48 p.m.

Order No. 09-054, REAPPOINTMENT Of: Edward R. Bradford, AIA, 90 Sargent St. Melrose, MA To: Historical Commission Expiration: last day of February, 2011

Alderman Brodeur moves to recommend, 2nd by Alderman Forbes. All in favor.

Alderman Infurna motions to adjourn, 2nd by Alderman Forbes. All in favor.

Health, Education and Welfare adjourns at 7:50 p.m.

There are no orders in Public Works to be acted on.

Maribeth Harrington
Clerk of Committees