

**TOWN OF WINCHENDON
BOARD OF SELECTMEN MINUTES
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2021 6:30 P.M.
Murdock/Middle High School Auditorium
3 Memorial Drive, Winchendon, MA**

Present:

Audrey LaBrie, Chair
Rick Ward, Vice-Chair
Barbara Anderson
Amy Salter
Danielle LaPointe

Justin Sultzbach, Town Manager
Linda Daigle, Executive Assistant

List of Documents Presented at Meeting:

- Christmas Tree Sales Permit Application – Little Anthony’s Seafood Emporium, Inc.
 - Entertainment Permit Application – Immaculate Heart of Marcy Church
 - Special Town Meeting Motions
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Chairwoman LaBrie called the meeting to order at 6:30PM.

1. SELECTMEN’S COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

There were no Selectmen’s comments or announcements this evening.

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

There were no public comments or announcements this evening.

3. PERMIT/LICENSE APPLICATIONS:

- 3.1. Christmas Tree Permit – Little Anthony’s Seafood Emporium, Inc., 678 Spring St. – The applicant, Marla LaGrassa was not able to attend this evening due to unforeseen circumstances. She is seeking from the Board their annual permit to sell Christmas Trees Nov. 18th through December 24th. There are no issues from Dept. Heads.

Ward moved the Board of Selectmen approve the Christmas Tree permit for Little Anthony’s Seafood Emporium, Inc. located at 678 Spring St. as presented this evening; LaPointe seconded. With a roll call vote of all aye, the motion carried unanimously.

- 3.2. Entertainment Permit – Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, 52 Spruce St. – Fall Fest Nov. 13th & 14th - Chip Downing came forward representing Immaculate Heart of Mary Church to hold their annual Fall Festival from 9AM to 9PM on Saturday, November 13th and 9AM to 12 Noon on Sunday, November, 14th.

Ward moved the Board of Selectmen approve the Entertainment Permit for the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church for their Fall Festival to be held on November 13th and November 14, 2021 as presented this evening; Salter seconded. By a vote of all aye, the motion carried unanimously.

- 3.3. Special One Day Wine License Nov. 19, 2021 – Stephanie Simone, Simply Grounded Yoga/Pilates, 5 Summer Drive – Stephanie Simone, owner of Simply Ground Yoga/Pilates is seeking to hold a Yoga class with in-studio holiday shopping to include wine tasting from Root Cellar Winery in Baldwinville. It is being planned for Friday, Nov. 19th from 6:00PM to 8:00PM. Mary Lee from Simply Grounded was present this evening on behalf of the applicant. She explained it will be a one hour yoga class and some

shopping after with offerings from local businesses. There is not a big emphasis on wine but they would like to do a little tasting for an hour.

Ward moved the Board of Selectmen approve the Special One Day Wine License for Stephanie Simone of Simply Grounded Yoga/Pilates located a 5 Summer Drive for Nov. 19, 2021 as presented this evening; LaPointe seconded. With a vote of all aye, the motion carried unanimously.

4. NEW BUSINESS:

- 4.1. Finalized Motions for Special Town Meeting – The Board received the finalized Motions for the Special Town Meeting to follow their meeting at 7:00PM this evening. LaBrie noted the Town Manager received confirmation that funding from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) could be used for Articles 7 and 8 related to the FY22 deficits of the Water and Wastewater budgets. Mr. Sultzbach confirmed that the change should be noted in the motions to use ARPA funds instead of free cash for the funding source.

5. OLD BUSINESS: There was no Old Business this evening.

6. ADJOURNMENT:

Ward moved to adjourn; Salter seconded. By a vote of all aye, the meeting adjourned at 6:39PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Linda Daigle
Executive Assistant