The Meeting of the Board of Selectmen held on Tuesday, May 18, 2021 began at 5:30 p.m. Remote participation due to COVID-19.

Members Present: William Rosenblum, Chairman, Derek Debarge, James Gennette, Antonio Goncalves, and Manny Silva.

First Order of Business: The Pledge of Allegiance

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Visitations:

5:45 p.m. – Blue Water Sushi – Alteration of Premises Hearing

Mr. Rosenblum: How are you? Thank you for coming in.

Mr. Debarge: Welcome.

Mr. Rosenblum: Thank you for coming in this evening. If you could introduce yourselves.

Attorney Caruso: Yes, my name is Frank Caruso I'm the attorney representing Blue Water Sushi, Inc. Helen is the owner. Many of you probably know her already. I hope you know the restaurant.

Mr. Rosenblum: Yes. Very Well.

Mr. Debarge: Yes, intimately.

Mr. Rosenblum: Well, if you have any, anything you'd like to say? I mean I have...

Attorney Caruso: Well, I have, let me, first this is our affidavit and notice of mailing to abutters which was required under the act.

Mr. Rosenblum: Okay.

Attorney Caruso: I do have one green card back from the Roman Catholic Church. We also sent one to Greater Love and Devine Church, have not seen that back. The only other abutter was actually Helen who said she received my abutter but I can't get the green card back. So, there is the evidence of the a and the signed affidavit.

Mr. Rosenblum: Thank you.

Attorney Caruso: We are actually doing two things tonight. As you may recall we came in last summer to do the temporary outside seating. A lot of her customers liked it and would like to make it permanent. We understand in order to make it permanent we have to go through not only the Town but through the ABCC. Also, for the outside part, I know we need a site plan. We've hired a surveyor, Sherman and Frydryk out of Monson. They will be in touch with the Town to make sure they did the site plan right. We also understand that even if you approve this tonight, nothing happens until the state approves it and you approve the site plan. In addition, we are trying to, we'd like to expand the inside and if are familiar with the building; it's triangular shape and there was a business on the other side, Helen has actually rented it out to three or four different tenants, it never worked. So, what she's decided to do was expand her business into that and I did file a copy of the plan of building with the application. What she plans to do, she's made a doorway between the two sides so people can enter through the old restaurant, but there's an exit through the other side also available.

Mr. Debarge: Good idea.

Attorney Caruso: But she's going to try to keep everyone coming through the same way. So, she's been in business, as you know, for a long time now. She's never had any issues. We are hoping that everyone is happy with the plan and we can try and move forward with that.

Mr. Silva: Mr. Chairman.

Mr. Rosenblum: Mr. Silva.

Mr. Silva: Yeah, I have no issue at all with the expansion of the restaurant as far as you know the building itself. The outdoor facility, as you well know I'm sure, you have to go to the Planning Board and have their site approval.

Attorney Caruso: We need the site, yes.

Mr. Silva: So, they will have to approve first before we actually have any, I would say vote or anything we should do.

Attorney Caruso: I could be wrong; I was under the impression you could approve it subject to the site plan approval.

Mr. Silva: That's true, the only problem is if there is a problem with the Planning Board then we'd have to come back and revisit the issue. So, umm okay I just want to clarify that we do need the Planning Board to actually you know approve that site plan,

Attorney Caruso: Yup.

Mr. Silva: for parking and so on and so forth. So, I don't know they have some regulations on parking. You know so many spots per square footage and all that.

Attorney Caruso: Yeah, they passed along everything to us and we've given it to the,

Mr. Silva: Okay.

Attorney Caruso: it actually was a little more difficult, the first two surveyors aren't doing this anymore. Umm, things have changed in the last year. So, it has taken us a little while to get everything in process. Hopefully, we will have everything to the city soon and he's going to talk directly with the building foreman and make sure he has everything in the site plan that the city requires.

Mr. Debarge: Okay.

Mr. Goncalves: Yeah, my understanding with surveyors right now is the mortgage industry. The mortgage surveys are out of control, they can't keep up with them. So, they're going in that direction.

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Attorney Caruso: Yeah, they've all stopped doing site plans because they're all doing the mortgage inspections, correct.

Mr. Debarge: Okay.

Mr. Gennette: Mr. Chairman.

Mr. Rosenblum: Mr. Gennette.

Moved by Mr. Gennette, seconded by Mr. Goncalves to approve the expansion of Blue Water Sushi into the adjacent part of the building and for the outside seating pending the approval of the site plan from the Planning Board. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

Mr. Rosenblum: I do want to say that I'm extremely happy for you. My wife and kids, we've been going to your restaurant since it was at the old...we have been going there since it moved up to the corner. It's just awesome that you have been able to persevere over the past 14 months and umm I know that I have a lot of friends and citizens in the Town that love going there and umm so I'm very happy for you and best of luck too.

Attorney Caruso: I'm mostly retired now, I've been trying to, there's a few still represent. But of all the restaurants I have represented over the years, it's incredible how many are not coming back.

Mr. Debarge: Yes, it is.

Mr. Rosenblum: I know, I know, I mean it's you even saw it. Take out, you had to take out. It just, it really...obviously I mean it wasn't as optimal for your servers and yourself as well but I mean if there was really any place that we got take out from it was Blue Water so.

Attorney Caruso: Thank you.

Mr. Rosenblum: Yeah.

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Mr. Silva: Mr. Chairman just one more if I could. I didn't mean to say I didn't like the plan or anything. I meant to say I don't like the...before the Planning Board. I didn't mean to say I didn't like the whole idea of it because I do. I just wanted to clarify that.

Mr. Goncalves: Oh, trust me, he'll eat anything that doesn't eat him first.

Mr. Rosenblum: He eats every hour.

Mr. Silva: Unfortunately, sushi for me, I'm a little nervous about. My wife, my wife goes there all the time. When they bring it home; I have a little bit but.

Mr. Rosenblum: My kids love Connie's salad. Did you have anything that you want to say?

Talking over each other.

Mr. Goncalves: Okay guys, good luck to you.

Mr. Rosenblum: Good luck.

Mr. Goncalves: Bye. Bye.

Mr. Silva: Thank you.

Ms. Zhou: Hope to see you in there.

Mr. Rosenblum: You will.

Mr. Goncalves: I've already had this week, only once a week.

Mr. Rosenblum: Might be this weekend, you never know.

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6:00 p.m. – Board of Health – Andrea Crete, Health Agent, Adrienne DeSantis, Secretary & Kelly Lamas, Board of Health Member

1. **Reopening plan for Town offices to the public.**

Ms. Crete believes a good reopening date would be June 1st because the Governor will be opening everything at the end of May anyways. It does not appear there will be any mandates once Town Hall is open.

Mr. Silva is glad that the Town Hall will be opening. Some residents think we are giving special treatment to our employees but we are actually following the Governor's orders.

Mr. Debarge is also glad everything will be opening.

Mr. Rosenblum agrees with Mr. Silva.

Ms. Crete isolation and quarantine would be a little different for fully vaccinated employees and the Board of Health will work closely with Ms. Ribeiro, Human Resources Director to update these.

2. Town mosquito spraying

Ms. Crete explained that this will only be for emergencies like West Nile or EEE is detected through testing. The Board of Health does not want to opt out because it will only happen when it is needed, high risk. There is a website for residents to go on and opt out. The Town would be notified prior to the arial spraying and the Board of Health will send out a robo-call to let residents know.

Ms. DeSantis explained that the alternative would be that the Town have its own action plan and monitoring system to activate for an emergency, which would be a big undertaking. This is very costly and unnecessary because the DPH will do the job if it's emergent.

Mr. Silva wanted to clarify that this is the State not the Town doing this.

Ms. Villano explained that the DPH makes the recommendations and then the State Reclamation and Mosquito Control Board sends it out. If any residents opt out, they would have to do so every year.

3. Grant program to support and expand shared local public health services.

Ms. Lamas explained that this is a grant from the Baker administration that the Board of Health is looking into. They will be looking at what their level health services are and that we need to look at this more strategically. The RFP has not been released yet but it is on our radar to review.

6:45 p.m. – 292 Cady Street – Dog Hearing

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Mr. Rosenblum: Good evening. Why don't you, yeah, right there is fine. Thank you for coming in this evening. Could you just introduce yourselves, names?

Ms. Carnavale: Courtney Carnavale from 292 Cady Street, Akela's Owner.

Ms. Mamuska: Christa Mamuska.

Mr. Rosenblum: So, obviously we are here tonight because of some, several instances with the, with your dog. Umm, is there anything that you would like to start off saying before the Board asks you any questions.

Ms. Carnavale: Umm, yeah, yeah. I have taken a bunch of a bunch of steps with Christa's help. Umm, to try and rectify the situation. I have an appointment for Akela's physical and then she's going to get spade. So, that's starting June 2nd is her physical and then they'll schedule her spade for after. I also got her an electric fence collar that I just ordered a couple of days ago, it's on its way and then I ordered a GPS tracker and then I put locks on all the windows because she was learning how to open the windows and then she would bark through the screen and so I had, my boyfriend put locks on all the windows so now they only open about this much and then we switched out the screen door because she learned how to open that because it wouldn't lock.

Mr. Rosenblum: Okay.

Ms. Carnavale: So, we got one that locks now and the screens on top and the glass on the bottom. So, she won't bust through that anymore either. She rambunctious.

Mr. Rosenblum: Okay. Umm.

Mr. Gennette: Sounds like Houdini.

Ms. Carnavale: A little bit, yeah. Yeah, she's determined.

Mr. Silva: Does she get beer from the refrigerator at all?

Ms. Carnavale: She can pull down the car window.

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Ms. Carnavale: She can roll down the back seat window in the car.

Mr. Silva: Mr. Chairman.

Mr. Rosenblum: Mr. Silva.

Mr. Silva: Yeah, I was ready through, through some of this stuff here and usually we have dog complaints and issues with dogs that are biting dogs and there more viscous. This seems to be just a dog that's a good escape artist.

Ms. Carnavale: Yeah, she's happy go lucky.

Mr. Silva: It seems to me there was a lot of issues with personalities going on and I'm a little confused as to what our role is in this thing quite honestly. So, I'll just sit back and listen and hear.

Mr. Rosenblum: Thank you.

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Mr. Debarge: Mr. Chairman.

Mr. Rosenblum: Mr. Debarge.

Mr. Debarge: I think it's probably the husky in the dog that makes them a good escape artist as I've owned them before and yeah it took me probably three fences to keep that one in mine. So, I get that and I appreciate all of the steps you are taking now because that's obviously what we are concerned with. I would be remised if I didn't ask you about one of the reports umm saying that they located the dog and thinks that the dog is being abused.

Ms. Carnavale: Oaky, umm,

Mr. Debarge: There's two specifically.

Ms. Carnavale: yes, I have the second one is from a neighbor that we've never met. We honestly don't even know their names, but there's a male German Shepard at their house and Akela really seems to like him. So, she goes to their house a lot and they feed her, they give her water, they let her go inside, play in their house and they're the ones that have called, 90% of the calls on there are from them and I've gone there asking them to call me instead and I have you know her address and name tag and phone number. My name, my boyfriend's is on her collar and they just wouldn't do and I didn't understand why and then one day it came out that they said "umm, if she wasn't abused, she wouldn't want to run away all the time and come to their house and eat all their food". I go "well I have a bunch of chickens and ducks and she eats their shit so I mean she'll eat the food you offer her I promise you that". Umm, so I asked her to stop offering her food, letting her in the house to play, just ignore her because then she won't want to keep coming back. She thinks she's visiting her friend and that's where I found her every single time and that was their reasoning and then when we would show up, she does the, you know like she knows she was bad and they took that as she was scared. You know, but.

Mr. Debarge: What's been the interaction with them lately.

Ms. Carnavale: Umm, I actually sat down with them and really told them the whole situation, that Akela is just Akela and that's she's not abused. I've had her since she was a baby and she's very loved. We got her at 8 weeks old and it's just mine and my boyfriend's first dog ever and we're just kind of learning as we go and she, she understood more and we have had a good interaction ever since. Like when I see

them now, we wave and you know stuff like that. So, I don't think that they would call anymore and she has gotten out once since this all has happened and they did call me,

Mr. Debarge: Okay.

Ms. Carnavale: so, they were all good with that and they called me and I went and got her and everything was fine.

Mr. Debarge: Okay. You understand that we have the right to impose,

Ms. Carnavale: Whatever you want,

Mr. Debarge: certain sanctions and,

Ms. Carnavale: I know.

Mr. Debarge: things like that,

Ms. Carnavale: Of course.

Mr. Debarge: to include making sure that it's escape proof, if there is such a thing. Okay, okay as long as okay.

Ms. Carnavale: I did have an electric collar before and she did really well on it, she did. She did good on it but it ended up breaking and you know I just didn't have the money to replace it. So, I'm replacing it now. I already ordered it and I did bring in proof of that if you guys need it but hopefully, she'll do good on that again and I think she will. Of course, with the locks on the windows and we changed the doors and now we put the car lock on the window too when she's in the car.

Mr. Gennette: Mr. Chairman.

Mr. Rosenblum: Mr. Gennette.

Mr. Gennette: Has she gotten umm off the runs at all because I saw in here that you have two runs set up for her. Does she have room in back there, I mean,

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Ms. Carnavale: Umm, she has gotten off the run once. She snapped the string on it but we got one thicker, sturdier for her and she hasn't since and we've been using that since.

Mr. Gennette: And that back area is I mean decent for a dog.

Ms. Carnavale: Oh, it's huge,

Mr. Gennette: Okay.

Ms. Carnavale: yeah, it's huge we have like 20 ducks and chickens back there, a couple of boats. Yeah, we got a good size yard, a little bit more than an acre.

Mr. Goncalves: Mr. Chairman.

Mr. Rosenblum: Mr. Goncalves.

Mr. Goncalves: Looking at some of the citations and 290 Cady Street is that a familiar address to the dog as well or,

Ms. Carnavale: We're 292, it's one house but it's separated into three different apartments,

Mr. Goncalves: oh, okay.

Ms. Carnavale: so, I'm next door to 290. So, I'm technically 292.

Mr. Goncalves: Okay and who live on 12 Maple or 32 Maple, Rachael Loureiro?

Ms. Carnavale: That's my best friend.

Mr. Goncalves: Okay because she's in one of the citations. So, the dog doesn't live,

Ms. Carnavale: Umm, the citation wasn't for Rachael it's just she went and picked up the dog for me because I was not home to pick her up. So, they picked her up and then wrote the citation responsible to Michael Bailey, my boyfriend.

Mr. Goncalves: Yeah, it was Michael and then Rachael. Yeah, I just wished that it didn't take nine months for us to get to this point but again it's not a bite history so hopefully,

Ms. Carnavale: No, she's very friendly. Yeah,

Mr. Goncalves: hopefully you are able to rectify this and we won't have to,

Ms. Carnavale: yeah, she was good I mean I've had her since she was eight weeks, she was good for her first two years of life and now she's just a teenager I guess and so I think after I spay her, she'll be more then fine.

Mr. Debarge: Hopefully.

Ms. Carnavale: Yeah.

Mr. Debarge: It work's a little bit, I hear. Yup.

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Mr. Rosenblum: Umm, my Mr. Gennette actually kind of hit on mine because I noticed as I was reading through that you did have two dog runs and the question was going to be does she get off of it and do you use it? Umm, but my initial in going over this before you walked in and now that you've explained a lot of the precautions you have taken moving forward, is that these are kind of the things I was looking at because I mean there could be something we could impose a six-month probation on anything but these were kind of things that I was hoping that and I'm glad to see you did it prior to coming into the meeting instead,

Ms. Carnavale: Yeah, yeah,

Mr. Rosenblum: of us having to go ahead and say,

Ms. Carnavale: no, I didn't want you guys to take her from me,

Mr. Rosenblum: no, and I mean honestly my feeling is the last thing I would want to do is take an animal from somebody and have to have them go to a shelter or who knows what happens from there. So, me, myself, I'm happy that you've made those steps without us actually having to say to do them. Umm, besides that I really don't have anything else. Umm,

Mr. Silva: Mr. Chairman.

Mr. Rosenblum: Mr. Silva.

Mr. Silva: I agree, umm again if it was a biting dog, I don't take tolerance to biting dogs, especially to bite children or anything,

Ms. Carnavale: Me either.

Mr. Silva: but, umm, in this circumstance the dog just gets away and gets away and just doesn't seem to be a threat to the community. There is nobody else on the other side that's speaking against the dog, I want to say. So, I think that we should probably go and move or at least do a six-month probationary period. If these things continue then we would have you back again. If it doesn't work something else. That would be my motion to go six months out and see how the process that she's going through works.

Mr. Debarge: Second for discussion. That's where I was hoping you were going with this because I think and I don't, I get the part that she's not, she hasn't bitten anybody or anything like that but people react to dogs that are afraid of them, could run out into the road and all of that. So, again, you know I know you're taking steps but I, like I said there needs to be a period where you know, a probation period for sure. I agree with that.

Moved by Mr. Silva, seconded by Mr. Debarge to give Ms. Carnavale a six-month probationary period to see if the steps she is taking with her dog work. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

Mr. Rosenblum: Okay, you're all set, six months, hopefully, I mean I'm a dog owner myself so umm please, hopefully we won't see you back.

Ms. Carnavale: Yes, I will keep her in the house.

Mr. Goncalves: Anything to add?

Ms. Mamuska: She is taking the proper steps. She is taking every step you can imagine in all honesty and she has been doing so for the past month since I've been working with her and talking with her and discussing things. She, they're trying to find a proper trainer to maybe or a behavioralist to correct the behavior. That could be something that could be easily corrected that way too as well. They their very, the dog is loved. That's all I can say honestly. I watched the interactions; they are wonderful caretakers. I could recommend them for any dog honestly, both of them. They have wonderful interactions. There is no neglect, no abuse. The dog is well taken care of. I've been around a lot of other dogs and a lot of and I mean her nails are perfectly trimmed, everything. Her, she brushes her teeth even. I mean that's the extent of it, she brushes her teeth even, the dog is very friendly, very sweet. She has a kitten that the dog you know actually takes care of, how old is the kitten like,

Ms. Carnavale: Ten weeks now,

Ms. Mamuska: Yeah,

Ms. Carnavale: She carries it around the house.

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Ms. Mamuska: It's literally her baby, I've never seen that ever like a bid dog carrying around a little kitten like so carefully, so cautiously. She's, like I said, both very, very caring owners and that's the one thing I can 100% speak to umm, with no doubt in all honestly and they're doing everything they can and they have done all the steps and the run is good. The back yard is perfect for her. She has enough room to play. She has enough room interact. She has everything. I mean she has everything she needs in all honesty. She's better off than a lot of kids are, put it that way.

Ms. Carnavale: Thank you.

Ms. Mamuska: So, that's, that's my honest opinion.

Mr. Goncalves: Very good.

Mr. Rosenblum: Okay, thank you very much.

Mr. Goncalves: Okay guys, good luck.

Mr. Debarge: Thank you.

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Debarge to close the public dog hearing at 6:58 p.m. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

CORRESPONDENCE

96. Elizabeth Babinski – notifying the Board there is a section of fencing in need of repair that separates her property from the Trailer Park that exposes an abandoned trailer and is a safety

issue.

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Silva to advise the Building Inspector of this issue. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

97. John R. Maher, Director of Government Affairs, Charter Communications – informing the Board of rebranding in the channel line-up and programming information.

Moved by Mr. Gennette, seconded by Mr. Goncalves to file. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

97a. John R. Maher, Director of Government Affairs, Charter Communications – informing the Board of upcoming channel line-up changes.

Moved by Mr. Gennette, seconded by Mr. Goncalves to file. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

98. John R. Maher, Director of Government Affairs, Charter Communications – informing the Board of the 2020 Annual Financial Report for Massachusetts, which includes the MA CTV Form 200 (Financial Balance Sheet) and the MA CTV Form 400 (Statement of Ownership).

Moved by Mr. Gennette, seconded by Mr. Goncalves to file. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

99. Philip D'Arcangelo, Business Representative New England Joint Board RWDSU/UFCW – notifying the Board that the Union wants to modify the present labor agreement the Town of Ludlow and RWDSU/UFCW Local 566.

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Moved by Mr. Silva, seconded by Mr. Gennette to begin process of labor negotiations between the Town and RWDSU/UFCW Local 566. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

100. John R. Maher, Director of Government Affairs, Charter Communications – informing the Board of monthly pricing changes taking effect on or after June 2, 2021.

Moved by Mr. Gennette, seconded by Mr. Goncalves to file. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

101. Jean E. Christy, PE Senior Engineer, Tighe & Bond, Inc. – providing the Board the Quarterly Inspection Report for the Holyoke Street Landfill Post – Closure Use Permit.

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Silva to file. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

102. Board to approve a request to charge off medical expenses and lost wages to Chapter 41, Section 111F for an injury sustained by a Police Officer as a result of an incident that occurred on May 3, 2021.

Moved by Mr. Silva, seconded by Mr. Gennette to approve the request to charge off medical expenses and lost wages to Chapter 41, Section 111F for an injury sustained by a Police Officer as a result of an incident that occurred on May 3, 2021. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

103. Brona Simon, Massachusetts Historical Commission – comments submitted to Veteran Services regarding the Ludlow Center Cemetery and Monument Revitalization project.

Moved by Mr. Silva, seconded by Mr. Debarge to file. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

104. John P. DaCruz – Application for a Class II Motor Vehicle License.

Moved by Mr. Silva, seconded by Mr. Debarge to schedule a public hearing with John P. DaCruz on behalf of Autohause. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Gennette to sign the Licensing Authority Certification and Alteration of Licensed Premises for indoor and outdoor for Blue Water Sushi Inc., 221 East Street. Vote

5-0. All in favor.

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Gennette to approve and sign the Right of Refusal for 0 East Street and not to exercise the option to purchase the described premises. Vote 4-0-1. One Abstention.

Moved by Mr. Silva, seconded by Mr. Goncalves to approve and sign the First Amendment for Grant Administrator Services. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

Moved by Mr. Silva, seconded by Mr. Debarge to schedule interviews for the two applicants for the Golf Commission. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

Moved by Mr. Silva, seconded by Mr. Gennette to extend the time frame to accept applications and allow Ms. Barry the opportunity to vet the qualified applicants for the Commission on Disability. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

NEW BUSINESS

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Debarge for the Board to approve and the Chairman to sign the consent letter for Winn Solar SMART LLC to install a solar facility at Mill 10. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

Moved by Mr. Debarge, seconded by Mr. Silva to accept and approve the retirement of Detective Sergeant Louis E. Tulik effective May 15, 2021. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

Moved by Mr. Silva, seconded by Mr. Gennette to approve and acknowledge the Citation for the upcoming 100th birthday for Mario D. Arcobello. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Silva to approve and sign the contract between HB Communications and the Town of Ludlow. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Debarge to approve and sign the Emergency Medical Dispatch Oversight Affiliation Agreement. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

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Board perused Executive Session Meeting Minutes of March 30, 2021.

BOARD UPDATES/MISCELLANEOUS

Mr. Debarge stated the Civil War Monument on Center Street has toppled over due to a motor vehicle accident and Eric Segundo; Veterans Services Director is getting assessments on how to resurrect the monument. This will take some time, in order to do it the correct way. It is the second oldest Civil War monument in Hampden County and you have to have a specific certified conservator to do this. The DPW and Mr. Segundo have been great. A lot of residents have been reaching out to give donations and/or time to landscape, etc. and that is great to see. It will be fixed as soon as possible.

Mr. Gennette asked about possibly reaching out to the 250th anniversary committee to get donations to redo that entire quad.

Chairman approved and signed all bills, warrants and abatements. A record of all warrants is in the Selectmen's office for perusal until provided to the Town Accountant's office.

CLOSING COMMENTS

Mr. Gennette stated that the accident involving the Civil War Monument was very surprising and the other vehicle was actually his boss. Please be safe driving out there.

Mr. Debarge is very happy to hear the Governor is going to reopen the state. We are moving in the right direction.

Mr. Goncalves agrees with Mr. Debarge and it is great to see we are moving in the right direction. Wanted to remind everyone of the scams going on. Please be extra careful with tax season behind us. The IRS will never text you requesting more information and Amazon will never offer you free money.

Mr. Rosenblum congratulated Sgt. Tulik on his retirement. He's a very caring and nice person. Wish him the best. Mr. Rosenblum is also happy about the state reopening on May 29th. Be respectful of other who aren't as comfortable. Also, please drive safely.

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Debarge to take a 20-minute recess while they wait for the 6:45 p.m. public hearing. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

Moved by Mr. Goncalves, seconded by Mr. Silva to adjourn this meeting at 7:01 p.m. and not return to open meeting. Vote 5-0. All in favor.

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