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## Selectmen Minutes 05-21-2001

### TOWN OF ARLINGTON BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Meeting Agenda  
 Monday, May 21, 2001  
 7:00 p.m.

Present: Mr. Lyons - Chair, Mrs. Mahon - Vice Chairman, Mrs. Dias, Mr. Hurd  
 Also Present: Mr. Farrington, Mr. Maher, Ms. Cove

### FOR APPROVAL

**Minutes of Meeting:** May 7, 2001  
 Mrs. Mahon moved approval as amended. (4-0) SO VOTED

### Proclamation

Arlington Emergency Management Agency  
 The Chairman presented the group with a proclamation acknowledging the outstanding efforts of the Arlington Explorer Post during the rain events of March 22 through March 30th 2001.

### APPOINTMENTS & REAPPOINTMENTS

#### Appointment – Zoning Board of Appeals (full member)

Susan M. McShane  
 (term to expire 5/04)  
 Mr. Hurd moved approval. (4-0) SO VOTED

#### Appointment – Affirmative Action Advisory Committee

Christopher Ryan  
 (term to expire 4/04)  
 Mrs. Dias moved approval. (4-0) SO VOTED

#### Appointment – Conservation Commission

Christine Wallace, P.E.  
 (term to expire 5/21/03)  
 Mr. Hurd moved approval. (4-0) SO VOTED

### LICENSES & PERMITS

Request to Lift Resident Only Parking Ban on Tufts Street. 6/2/01, 12:30-4:00 p.m.  
 Judith Sagan for Children's Dance Party Fund Raiser for Grizzly Bear Wildlife Refuge  
 Mr. Hurd moved approval. (4-0) SO VOTED

Request for Multiple Public Entertainment Licenses, every Sunday, 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.,6/3, through 9/23

Gary Adelson

Mr. Hurd moved approval subject to the review of Town Counsel. (4-0) SO VOTED

Request for Multiple Public Entertainment Licenses, Robbins Garden, 7 p.m. – 8:30 p.m., 5/29, 6/12, 6/19, 6/26

Marjorie Brown

Mr. Hurd moved approval subject to the review of Town Counsel. (4-0) SO VOTED

Non-Premise Car Dealer License

Phillip Ibrahim, 826 Massachusetts Ave.

Mr. Hurd moved approval subject to the review of Town Counsel. (4-0) SO VOTED

**TRAFFIC RULES & ORDERS/OTHER BUSINESS**Request for Proclamation – Italian Heritage Month

Jeanine Privitera, Esq.

Mrs. Dias moved approval. (4-0) SO VOTED

For Approval: Request for Payment of Bills

Cyrus E. Dallin Art Museum

Mrs. Mahon moved approval. (4-0) SO VOTED

William Burke, 2 Old Colony Lane, was present to request a crosswalk in the area of Robbins Road and Old Colony Lane. Mr. Hurd moved approval subject to the approval of the engineering, public works, and police departments, he moved further that the matter be referred to the Transportation Advisory Committee for other safety recommendations. (4-0) SO VOTED

For Consideration: Town Meeting Substitute Motion

Article 36 – Community Preservation Act

Mrs. Mahon moved approval of the substitute motion as presented. (4-0) SO VOTED

For Consideration: Draft Motion

Article 77 – Land Acquisition/Symmes Hospital

Mr. Hurd moved approval of the motion as presented. (4-0) SO VOTED

Addendum – Tree Removal @ 1452 Massachusetts Avenue

Request of the Director of Public Works

Mrs. Mahon moved approval. (4-0) SO VOTED

The Chairman explained that the tree has to be removed in order to construct handicapped ramps on sidewalks in Arlington Heights.

**Correspondence Received**

ABCC 2000 Federal Census Figures Be Rec'd

Melanie Coe Rooftop air handler, Arlington Post Office Be Rec'd  
23 Court St.

Mr. Hurd requested the manager look into the noise pollution in the area.

Bob Bartholomew Concerns relative to playing fields throughout the Town Be Rec'd  
51 Newport St.

The Chairman asked that the manager report to the Board on the conditions of the parks and fields at the next meeting.

The Chairman exited the meeting at 8:02 p.m. to attend Town Meeting.

Mrs. Dias moved that the Board recess to join Town Meeting and that the Board adjourn in conjunction with the closing of Town Meeting that evening. (3-0) SO VOTED

A true record.

Attest:

Caryn E. Cove  
Board Administrator