

**BOARD OF SELECTMEN  
NOVEMBER 17, 2008  
6:30 P.M.  
COTTER ROOM**

**Members present: Bob Wing, Jerry Corcoran, Kathy Lavin, Tom Corbett**

Moments of Silence were held for Mr. Del Reynolds who was an Abington teacher for 30 years, Mr. William Hart, who was a guidance counselor at Abington High School for 35 years, and Richard Hammarstrom, who was a custodian; all will be deeply missed.

6:35 P.M. – Tax Classification Hearing, joint meeting with the Board of Assessors – Mr. Jack Pistorino, Interim Deputy Assessor, provided much detail and stated that the Board of Assessors has recommended a single tax rate.

M/Lavin to approve a single tax rate in an effort to entice new businesses

S/Corbett

Mr. Wing abstains as he owns a common victualer license

Voted 3-0-1

6:45 p.m. – Application of All Alcohol License, 123 Centre Avenue – Ms. Paula Demelo, Manager of Spencer's Pizza, addressed the Board requesting an all alcohol license.

Police Chief does not recommend issuance of this license due to type of establishment and location

M/Lavin to deny the all alcohol license based on the Chief's concerns

S/Corbett

Voted 3-0

1. Approval of Minutes – M/Lavin to approve October 20, 2008 open and executive session and October 27 open session minutes, and executive session not to be released until all matters are resolved

S/Corbett

Voted 4-0

2. Discussion on 500 Brockton Avenue – Town Manager states that we have been in touch with the license holder and expects to have the property sold by the renewal meeting on December 8, 2008.

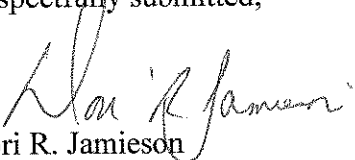
3. Aboveground storage permit, 400 Bedford Street, Lowes – Request to approve storage of up to 1800 gallons of Class I B flammable liquid and Storage of up to 17,000 gallons of Class III B combustible liquid

M/Corcoran to approve both storage licenses  
S/Corbett  
Voted 4-0

M/Lavin to adjourn  
S/Corcoran  
Corbett, aye; Lavin, aye; Corcoran, aye; Wing, aye  
Voted 4-0

Meeting adjourned: 7:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Dori R. Jamieson  
Assistant Town Manager