



Light Air Noise Bylaw Committee
Remote Meeting Minutes
April 11, 2022
7:00 - 9:00 PM

Meeting came to order at 7:05 PM

Attending: April Healey, Ron Karr, Renee D'Argento, Sherrill Rosoff, Mark Little

No minutes to approve.

Committee reviewed Town Counsel's edits to review. Noted consistency with italics. Compliance and Enforcement clause 3.8 - Building Inspector's designee can confirm non-compliance but it is the Building Inspector who enforces it. Clause 3.10 - Town Counsel offered question about businesses that are open after 11 PM. The committee's concern is that if a business closes at 8 PM we don't want them to keep their lights on throughout the night. The lighting bylaw doesn't have the right to restrict operation by shutting lights off. What we want to say is that once a business closes, an hour after it closes, lights have to be out - that's what we're talking about. The committee looked at exemptions under the section and determined it could edit clause 3.10.1 by eliminating "normal" and "legal" so the clause reads "Retail businesses serving the public." Committee concluded no further edits were needed to the After Hours of Operation section. Clause 5.2: Violations section. Town Counsel's corrections noted.

Sherrill Rosoff sent the presentation pdf slides and script for members for one final review. She would appreciate any further committee comments and script edits as the deadline is the 14th for the slides to be sent to Town Hall.

Town meeting is May 9th and 10th. Sherrill will do the presentation - would appreciate Q&A is done by the team. Come up with a list of anticipated questions for next meeting and who might be lead person on certain topics.

Motion to adjourn: Mark Little motioned, April Healey seconded. Meeting adjourned at 7:52 PM.