

## Select Board

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## Select Board Special Meeting Minutes October 23, 2020 Via Zoom Meeting

Open Meeting

**Quorum present:** Roger Kavanagh, Select Board Chair, Eric Shimelonis, Select Board Member, Kathleen Keresey, Select Board Member, and Marie Ryan, Town Administrator.

Others Present: Amy Brentano, Owner of The Foundry

Roger called the meeting to order at 10:30 AM.

He asked the Board if they had reviewed the copy of the Entertainment License application for the Foundry. Eric and Kathleen both confirmed that they had.

Roger asked the Board if there was any discussion.

Eric said he was in favor of approving the license. He also spoke about lending his professional expertise in sound engineering to help Amy figure out how to address two excessive noise complaints sent to the Town Administrator by a downtown resident during outdoor performances at the Foundry. He believes the major source of the problem is bass tone amplification and that the problem can be addressed by changing the position of those amplifiers. He committed to work with Amy when she opens in the Spring of 2021 to help her determine the best locations for outdoor amplification equipment to reduce the risk of excessive noise from amplified outdoor events.

Kathleen stated she was also in favor of approving the license as long as the Foundry is willing to work with neighbors to address any issues that arise.

Roger made a motion to approve the Entertainment License application for the Foundry. A roll call vote was taken:

Roger Yes Eric Yes Kathleen Yes

Motion passed.

Amy thanked the Board for their support

Roger made a motion to adjourn. Roll call vote to adjourn:

Kathleen Yes Eric Yes Roger Yes

Meeting adjourned at 10:39 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

*Marie Y. Ryan* Town Administrator

Documents: Entertainment License Application from The Foundry