

Commission on Motor Vehicles

Wednesday, March 17, 2010

Town Hall, Old Town Road

3:00 p.m.

Present: Chair Vincent McAloon, Members: Constance LaRue and Christopher McDonough. Members Bradford Marthens and Monica Hull Shea were absent. Terri Chmiel was present for the recording of the minutes.

Mr. McAloon called the meeting to order at 3:03 p.m.

Approve Minutes for February 23, 2010

Ms. LaRue made a motion to approve the minutes of February 23, 2010. Mr. McDonough seconded and the motion carried.

3 Ayes (McAloon, LaRue, McDonough) 0 Nays

2 Absent (Marthens, Hull Shea)

Act on fees for dirt roads

This item has been tabled to next month.

Act on Change to the Motor Vehicles for Hire Ordinance

a. Sec. 8-166 (d)

i. Reduction of number of drivers per taxi

ii. Acknowledgement of rules and regulations

Mr. McDonough made a motion to forward to the Town Council the following revisions to the Motor Vehicles for Hire Ordinance - Sec. 8-166 (d) “No more than three (3) persons holding valid New Shoreham chauffeur’s licenses shall drive, operate or be in charge of any taxi in addition to the owner of the taxi license for a total of four (4) drivers. The Town Clerk is hereby authorized to issue to any person who meets the criteria of 8-166(b), who is authorized by a taxi license holder and who has read, understands and signs an acknowledgement of the Town of New Shoreham’s Taxi, Limousine or Charter Bus rules and regulations, with no more than three (3) chauffeurs per license other than the license holder, a New Shoreham chauffeur’s license.” Ms. LaRue seconded and the motion carried.

3 Ayes (McAloon, LaRue, McDonough) 0 Nays

2 Absent (Marthens, Hull Shea)

Recommendation to Town Council regarding vacant bus license

Mr. McAloon reported that Kim Gaffett will not renew her bus license for the 2010/2011 year. Mr. McAloon suggested sending a letter along with the rules and regulations to Muriel Clark notifying her that she is the first person on the bus waiting list. Discussion ensued and the board agreed that if Muriel is not interested in the vacant bus license to notify Henry Peterson who is the second person on the waiting list.

New Business

With no other new business to attend to a motion was made by Ms. LaRue and seconded by Mr. McDonough to adjourn at 3:19 p.m. with all in favor.

3 Ayes (McAloon, LaRue, McDonough) 0 Nays

2 Absent (Marthens, Hull Shea)

Respectfully submitted,

Terri L. Chmiel

Minutes approved: