

**Minutes**  
**Board of Selectmen Meeting**  
**June 30, 2017**

10:00 a.m. A meeting of the Board of Selectmen was convened by Chairman Marianne Cooley at the Needham Town Hall. Present were Mr. Daniel Matthews, Mr. John Bulian, Mr. Moe Handel, Mr. Matthew Borrelli, Support Services Manager Sandy Cincotta, and Town Manager Kate Fitzpatrick.

Guests included Brenda Budge, Needham Golf Club; Paul Turano, Cook Needham; Brian Anderson Hearth Pizzeria; Raymond So, New Garden; Steve Waller, Center Café; and Michael O'Connell, Needham Wine and Spirits.

Ms. Cooley outlined the Board's goals with respect to the service of alcohol and the Town's desire to allow a more "pub-type" atmosphere. Ms. Fitzpatrick outlined the proposed changes to the Regulations for the Sale of Alcoholic Beverages. Discussion included the appropriate use for pitchers of beer or drinks, the difficulty in operating within the 10% bar seating constraint, the definition of bar area, and possible amendments to the regulations. Ms. Cooley said that the Board will consider the bar service area definition in recognition that many customers now prefer to seat at "bar-type" seating.

10:40 a.m. **Motion: Mr. Handel moved that meeting be adjourned. The motion was seconded by Mr. Matthews. Unanimous: 5-0.**