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TOWN CLERK

BROOKFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS 01506

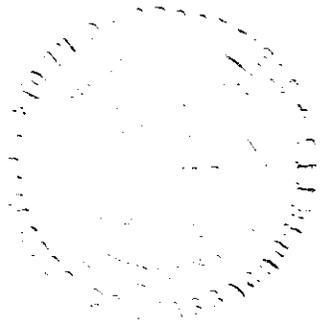
November 3, 1976

OUTLINE OF THE NECESSARY PAPERS TO BE FURNISHED TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL WHEN BY LAWS ARE SUBMITTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF G.L. (TER. ED) CHAPTER 40, SECTION 32.

1. All papers must be attested or certified by the Town Clerk under Seal of the Town. This has been done.
2. By-Laws submitted in duplicate. Attached
3. Notice of Warrant mailed to citizens or given to voters at Town Meeting  
Warrant posted at Town Hall  
Fraziers News  
Post Office  
By Douglas D. Gadaire, Constable of Brookfield
4. The Vote on Article 2 was a majority vote  
The Vote on Article 5 was unanimous
5. 110 voters present at the meeting. A quorum is 30.

A true copy Attest

*Leamana Terry*  
Leamana Terry  
Town Clerk  
Town of Brookfield





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November 3, 1976

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Department of the Attorney General  
Francis X. Bellotti, Attorney General  
State House, Boston, Ma. 02133

Dear Sir,

At a Special Town Meeting held on October 12, 1976, the following By-Law was voted subject to your approval:

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following by-law, "Article XI, Section 7. " No person shall consume any alcoholic beverage as defined by the General Laws upon any public way, Town Park, Town common, Town cemetery, public school building, school land, or Town recreational area, except during such times as a special license is in effect for such places, or take any action relative thereto.

It was voted to adopt the following by-law, "Article XI, Section 7." No person shall consume any alcoholic beverage as defined by the General Laws upon any public way, Town park, Town common, Town cemetery, public school building, school land, or Town recreational area, except during such times as a special license is in effect for such places.

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Dear Sir,

At a Special Town Meeting held on October 12, 1976, the following By-Law was voted subject to your approval:

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to enact a by-law for the establishment of a Council for the Aging for the purpose of coordinating or carrying out programs designed to meet the problems of the aging in coordination with programs of the Department of Elder Affairs, or take any action relative thereto.

It was voted that the Town adopt the following by-law under Chapter 12, Section 7. Pursuant to the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8B, there is hereby established a Council on Aging, consisting of five (5) members appointed by the Selectmen annually as provided herein, initial terms to be as follows: Two (2) to be appointed for three (3) years, two (2) to be appointed for two (2) years and one (1) to be appointed for one year and thereafter their successors for terms of three (3) years each. The Council shall annually elect its' Chairman and other officers as it deems appropriate.

The duties of said Council on Aging shall be to

1. Identify the total needs of the community's elderly population.
  2. Educate the community and enlist the support and participation of all citizens concerning these needs.
  3. Design, promote or implement services to fill these needs, or coordinate present existing services in the community.
  4. Promote and support any other programs in the community.
- Said Council on Aging shall give an annual report to the Board of Selectmen with a copy of that report directed to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Elder Affairs.

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Town of Brookfield



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

JOHN W. MC CORMACK STATE OFFICE BUILDING  
ONE ASHBURTON PLACE, BOSTON 02108

FRANCIS X. BELLOTTI  
ATTORNEY GENERAL

February 1, 1977

Leamana Terry  
Town Clerk  
Town Hall  
Brookfield, Massachusetts 01506

Dear Ms. Leamana:

I regret that I must enclose the amendments to general by-laws adopted under Articles 2 and 5 of the warrant for the Special Town Meeting held October 12, 1976, with the disapproval of the Attorney General endorsed thereon.

The warrant was dated September 28, 1976 and was posted on September 30, 1976, for a meeting to be held on October 12, 1976. The posting was only twelve days before the meeting.

Chapter 272 of the Acts of 1976 states that notice of a Special Town Meeting shall be given at least fourteen days before said Special Town Meeting. Chapter 272 was approved by the Governor on August 4, 1976 and was declared to be an emergency law by the Acting Governor in a statement filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth at 10:47 A.M. on September 27, 1976.

Since the notice of the Town Meeting of October 12, 1976, did not comply with Chapter 262 of the Acts of 1976, the by-law action thereat, although otherwise approvable, is disapproved.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Henry F. O'Connell".

Henry F. O'Connell  
Assistant Attorney General

HFO'C:mg

Enclosure

cc: Town Counsel

*validated -  
Chapt 14. Acts of 1977  
approved 3-1-77*



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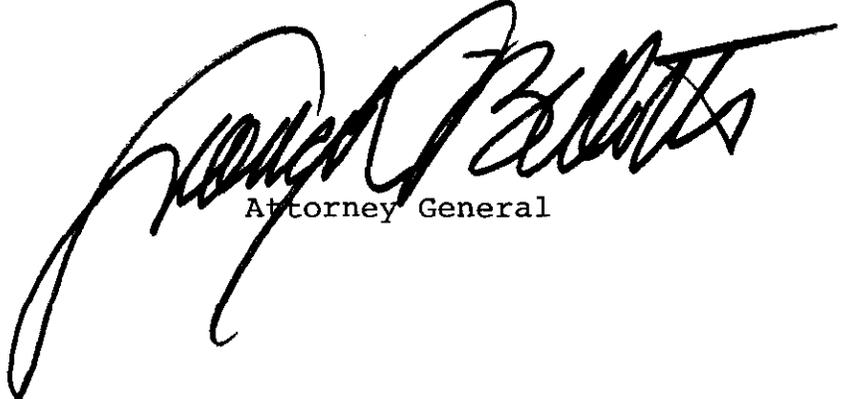
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*Leannana Terry*  
Leannana Terry  
Town Clerk  
Town of Brookfield

April 26, 1977

Boston, Massachusetts

The foregoing amendments to general by-laws adopted under Articles 2 and 5 of the warrant for the Brookfield Special Town Meeting held October 12, 1976 is hereby approved.



Attorney General



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL  
JOHN W. MC CORMACK STATE OFFICE BUILDING  
ONE ASHBURTON PLACE, BOSTON 02108

FRANCIS X. BELLOTTI  
ATTORNEY GENERAL

April 26, 1977

Town Clerk  
Town Hall  
Brookfield,  
Massachusetts 01821

Dear Ms. Leamana:

I enclose the amendments to general by-laws adopted under Articles 2 and 5 of the warrant for the Special Town Meeting held October 12, 1976, with the approval of the Attorney General endorsed thereon.

Since Chapter 14 of the Acts of 1977, approved on March 1, 1977, and given an emergency declaration effective on March 7, 1977, has validated the proceedings of your Town Meeting this by-law is now approved.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Henry F. O'Connell".

Henry F. O'Connell  
Assistant Attorney General

HFO'C:mg

Enclosures