

## Minutes of OLEC Meeting

2 July 2007

7:30 PM, Room 121 Town Hall.

Present: S. Feinstein, G. Green, H. Millett , B. Kosicki; John Coane, Tom McDonagh

1. The minutes for the 5 June 2007 meeting were accepted.
2. We discussed the upcoming Special Permit by the Recreation Department on 10 July. HM would attend to represent OLEC, and several other members also said they would attend. BK will send a note to Cathy Frochtman.
3. We discussed what to do about the measurements of the lights in the ABRHS parking lot in March with the high school students. The students talked to J.D.Head, but he did not seem to want to take any action. The lights that were turned around so that the shield side faced the parking lot and the bright side faced the adjacent lots were positioned that way on purpose, according to Mr. Head, to discourage groups of students from hanging around there at night. Also, the fact that the lot was overly bright (about 5x over the minimum levels recommended by the IESNA for parking lots) and costing perhaps about \$15K per year in excess electricity, apparently was not of interest either. BK will send SF (who lives in the neighborhood adjacent to the ABRHS lot) a copy of the measurement report, so he can see if there is any community interest in following this up.
4. We briefly discussed the need to decide on a strategy for light fixture test strips together with Dean Charter to prepare for our September meeting with the Board. This will be the main topic of discussion for the August meeting.
5. Next meeting: Tuesday, 7 August, 2007 at 7:30 in room 121.