

Licenses & Franchises Committee
Meeting Minutes
April 6, 2026

The Chair called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Brasco, Logan, Tzioumis, and Vidal.

Absent: Katz.

Councillor Brasco moved approval of the minutes from 3/16/2026. The motion was approved by a voice vote.

Elizabeth Mehler of the Waltham Times was recording the meeting.

First agenda item: Grant of Location at 195 Bear Hill Road for Eversource

Joanne Callendnaer, representing Eversource spoke on the underground service needed for Extra Space expansion. Councillor Brasco asked if they would be digging up road or just sidewalk to building. It is just the sidewalk. Councillor Brasco moved approval of the grant of location. The motion was approved by a voice vote.

Second agenda item: Naming of Northeast Elementary

The Mayor spoke on the matter. She received a letter from Mrs. Margaret Cannon, a long-time Waltham educator/Assistant Principal at Plympton, about Mr. Daddona history with Waltham and how he had served in every aspect of the school system. Councillor Logan made a request to send the request to the School Committee for their input even though they are not responsible for naming any building and places within the city. It is more of being courteous. On request Councillor Brasco asked if Northeast was the appropriate building for him. Councillor Tzioumis said she has spoken to the Northeast community, and they were not aware of why they need to rename the school. The request was approved by a unanimous voice vote. President Logan moved to table the matter. The motion was approved by a voice vote.

Third agenda item: Lodging house renewal at 194 Adams St for AMG Beech Road LLC

President Logan moved to table this renewal. The motion was approved by a voice vote.

Fourth agenda item: Secondhand dealers renewal at 471 Main Street for the Tool Shed

Councillor Brasco spoke on the renewal and moved approval. The motion was approved by a voice vote.

With no further matters President Logan moved to adjourn.

Chairman Vidal declared the meeting adjourned at 7:31 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kara Wilson, Assistant City Clerk

April 10, 2026