

"WHY THEY WANT ME GONE"

Here is yet another example of why they want me gone:

Among the many things that go on in your town hall, the following was a revelation regarding Mr Alan Pease (who until recently was the chairman of the planning board of Ashby). A complaint from a resident which exposes the fact that there is strong reason to believe that Alan and Lorraine (Ashby Town Clerk) Pease have been conducting a furniture manufacturing business, since 1986, in a R/A zone illegally and in violation of the very zoning bylaws that Mr. Pease, as Planning Chairman, had no problem enforcing when it came to Ashby residents who submitted applications for approval/denial for various activities within the boundaries of Ashby. To further add insult to injury the Town Manager and 2 other selectmen have refused to investigate this obvious potential conflict of interest due to the fact that the complainant wishes to remain anonymous. This is for good reason as the history will prove that any person who dares to go against the present powers at town hall have suffered one or more of the following:

- Slashed tires
- Vandalism and trespass to posted real estate
- Destroyed mailboxes
- Harassment by neighbors until forced to leave town
- Illegal selective enforcement by Building Inspector
- Property taxes mysteriously doubled by assessor after raising questions as a Finance Committee Board member
- Threats of physical harm by members of the Zoning Board at open Selectman's meetings

Folks, please understand that this is just a partial list and can be verified in police records. Perhaps you have already experienced some form of this yourself? In any event, these are the reasons why these people feel the need to consolidate power in an almost incestuous manner, to protect their own interests.

Please visit www.ashbyyouneedtoknow.com for more examples of special treatment enjoyed by your town officials at your expense.

Then ask yourself, is it not time to clean house and start treating the taxpaying Ashby residents with respect and transparency?

Town of Ashby
895 Main Street
Ashby, Ma. 01431

February 18,2015

To: Building Inspector, Board of Selectmen (together zoning code enforcement agents).

This is a complaint / request for the above mentioned authorities to investigate the ongoing activities at 328 Richardson Road Ashby, Ma. 01431, owner Alan Pease, Loraine Pease for the following reasons:

The Records show the property is in a residential / agricultural district. The owner is operating an illegal commercial furniture manufacturing company on the premises. This activity is not allowed in a residential / agricultural district and constitutes an ongoing zoning violation in the Town Of Ashby.

Ashby adopted zoning in 1979. The present owner states he relocated his business (Country Bed Company) to this location in 1985- this eliminated any grand fathering protection as he established this business at this location post zoning implementation (1979). The zoning by laws of Ashby makes no provisions either by special permit or by variance for this activity in this zoning district. The owner has no right to conduct this activity at this address. A cease and desist should be served.

The building inspector is obligated to respond, and issue a written response in 15 days.

Note: The zoning map at that location has not changed from its original designation of residential / agricultural since 1979. Alan Loraine Pease did not officially purchase the property until 1995.

The assessors map describes this property as residential / Agricultural today and uses by right in this district do not include manufacturing.

Sincerely,

Ashby Citizen.