



Town Of Medway Board of Health

**September 26, 2016
Medway Board of Health
26 High Street
Conference Room
Medway, MA 02053**

PRESENT: Mike Heavey and Jack Mill

ALSO PRESENT: Health Agent, Beth Hallal
Amy Sutherland, Recording Secretary

The Chairman called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

Meeting Minutes Acceptance:

September 12, 2016:

On a motion made by Jack Mill and seconded by Michael Heavey, the Board of Health voted unanimously to approve the minutes from September 12, 2016 with revisions.

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Solid Waste Regulations:

The members are in receipt of the updated solid waste regulations.

On a motion made by Michael Heavey and seconded by Jack Mill, the Board of Health voted unanimously to approve the solid waste regulations as presented. The members signed the regulations.

S.A.F.E Coalition Updates:

Jordan Warnick was present at the meeting to provide an update on the S.A.F.E Coalition. The two drop in centers are not in operation. It was decided that this type of model did not work. The coalition is looking to develop resource centers in Medway and the Franklin area with a mobile response team. The coalition is setting up a board of advisors who will then establish working committees within the communities.

The S.A.F.E Coalition is sponsoring the following events:

- COAST production of “Four Legs to Stand On.” The performances will be held at Tri-County Regional Vocational High School Thursday, October 27, 2016 at 7:00 pm.
- The Black Box Friday, October 28, 2016 at 7:00 pm.

The S.A.F.E. Coalition is looking for donations. The Board of Health would like these events posted on the town website.

Other towns such as Natick and Framingham have funded a response officer who has the training and experience to handle the issues regarding abuse of drug.

Permits/Plans:

Well Pump Application:

The Board of Health is in receipt of a well permit application for Betty McCall who resides at 128 Lovering Street. The resident is seeking approval for a portable drinking well. The work will be performed by Richardson Wells and Pumps. The plans were done by Land Planning and dated September 8, 2016.

On a motion made by Mike Heavey and seconded by Jack Mill, the Board of Health voted unanimously to sign the well permit application for 128 Lovering Street as presented.

Septage Haulers Permit

The Board of Health is in receipt of a septage haulers permit Northboro Septic Service – Curtis Septic Service for 124 Main Street. Prior to signing the permit, the Board of Health would like to know where the discharge location is?

Massachusetts Arbovirus Daily Updated.

The following information is dated September 26, 2016.

- 185 positive West Nile cases in MA.
- 3 EEE Cases
- 5 positive cases of West Nile.

Correspondence:

- A letter was received from Cheryl Sbarra about legal authority of Boards of Health and information relative to private wells during droughts.
- An order to correct for the property at 90 Oakland Street. This document was dated September 7, 2016. There was a recommendation to put a deadline for actions on the order to correct.

Good and Welfare Public:

Resident Warnick was present to discuss two issues:

Mr. Warnick noted that Fox News did a story in Framingham on the turf temperature levels. This turf was tested and the field degree level was 169. He

wants to bring it up since he was under the impression that last spring the Board of Health has asked for signage to address the heat concerns on the field.

The second issue he wanted to discuss was in relation to lead in the water. Some communities have started to test lead at the end points in the drinking faucets at schools. It was communicated that the State is requiring that this be reported.

Adjourn:

On a motion made by Jack Mill and seconded by Michael Heavey, the Board of Health voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting at 7:27 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Amy Sutherland
Meeting Recorder
Approved October 17, 2016