



## TOWN OF EASTHAM

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### MINUTES EASTHAM BOARD OF HEALTH HEARING THURSDAY, JULY 30, 2015 AT 3:00pm

**Present:** Jane Crowley, Dr. Joanna Buffington, Dr. Martin Haspel, Chair, Vicky Anderson, Susan Barker

**Absent:** Glenn Olsen

#### I. PUBLIC NOTIFICATION RE VIDEO AND/OR AUDIO TAPE

#### II. PUBLIC HEARING GROUND WATER PROTECTION & FLOOR DRAIN CONTROL REGULATION

##### 1. Discussion of proposed additions of the Ground Water Protection Regulations

Dr Martin Haspel gave a quick overview of the proposed Ground Water Protection regulations. He also explained that with a Municipal Water system we will need a way to protect the ground water being used for the wells. These regulations are a way to protect that ground water. Dr. Martin Haspel then went on to explain that there is affine associated with violations of these regulations.

- **Public Comment**

- There was no public comment

*Dr. Joanna Buffington motioned to accept the Ground Water Protection Regulations as presented and become effective January 1, 2016.*

*Vicky Anderson seconded the motion*

*3-0 Vote*

##### 2. Discussion of proposed addition of Discussion of proposed addition of Floor Drain Control Regulations.

A Brief overview of the Floor Drain Control Regulations was given. Floor drains are not allowed in commercial processing areas, where hazardous waste storage is conducted. Board will be advising commercial establishments of these new regulations and their requirement to get rid of floor drains.

- **Public Comment**

- Chris Wixon asked if a state permitted floor drain will also be prohibited. The board replied that if a valid state permit is obtained then the UIC registered floor drains will be allowed.

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*Dr. Joanna Buffington motioned to accept the addition of the Floor Drain Control Regulation and become effective January 1, 2016.*

*Vicky Anderson seconded the motion*

*3-0 Vote*

**3. Adoption Date / Effective Date**

*The Ground Water Protection Regulations and the Floor Drain Control Regulation were adopted on June 30, 2015 and will become effective January 1, 2016.*

**III. RE-ORGANIZATION**

- Dr. Martin Haspel will be acting as the in-term Chair and Dr. Joanna Buffington will be acting as the in-term Vice Chair

**IV. CLOSE OF HEARING**

*Dr Martin Haspel adjourned the hearing at 3:12pm*

*Vote 3-0*