

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH
February 22, 2017

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Health was held at the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 22, 2017, at 6:30 p.m. The meeting was duly posted. Board members present: Jeannine Lopes, Lindsay Gordon and Peter DeTerra. Also present: Patricia Fowle, Health Agent and Paula Medeiros, Administrative Assistant.

Chairwoman Lopes called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. and asked for a motion to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting of January 25, 2017.

Motion to approve the minutes was made by Mr. DeTerra; seconded by Ms. Gordon. The vote was unanimous.

Before the Board:

The Board reviewed a septic system inspection for 118 New Boston Road, performed by Kevin Silva, S&K Engineering, LLC, Westport on January 27, 2017. The system passed the inspection. The health agent was present at the time of inspection. Motion to accept the septic system inspection report was made by Mr. DeTerra; seconded by Ms. Gordon. The vote was unanimous.

Health Agent's Report:

The Board reviewed and discussed the food establishment inspection log sheets.

The Health Agent presented a summary of a proposed curbside textiles recycling program. This program would provide curbside pickup for textiles such as shoes and clothing. The residents would be provided with two starter bags. These bags would be replaced for free once used. This is a free service to the residents and the town would receive \$20.00 per ton. Simple Recycling would provide communication and informational materials to the residents directly. The Town would need to sign a contract for this service. The Health Agent asked the Board if they are interested in this program, for permission for her to speak to Mr. Furtado at the BPW and the Town Administrator to move forward. The Board agreed. The Health Agent will work on having Waste Zero or Simple Recycling do a presentation.

The Board reviewed and signed invoices.

The next Board meeting will be March 29, 2017.

There being no other business before the Board, Mr. DeTerra motioned to adjourn; Ms. Gordon seconded. The vote was unanimous at 6:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Paula Medeiros, Administrative Assistant