

TOWN OF FRANKLIN
Board of Health Minutes for June 2, 2015

Present at meeting:

Bruce J. Hunchard, Chairman
Philip Brunelli, Member
Donald Raneiri, Member

David McKearney, Health Director
Virginia McNeil, Health Agent
Liz Hoey, Health Inspector; absent
Mary Ellen Ficco, Administrative Asst.

A motion was made by Mr. Ranieri, seconded by Mr. Brunelli and voted unanimously by the board to accept the May 12, 2015 BOH meeting minutes.

OLD BUSINESS

Spectra Atlantic Pipeline is a moot issue as the proposal was killed.

The Health Director provided details on the progress of Camp Haiastan's septic updates. There was a 4 hour inspection the prior week at which Mike Weaver attended in addition to the Health Director, Liz Hoey, and the septic installer. Everything looked good; we're waiting for a final as-built from GZA. The Health Director proposed an annual start up inspection.

NEW BUSINESS

Visiting Nurses Association contract renewal for FY 2016.

Second item on the agenda for new business is a Site Plan for 400 East Central Street, Planet Automotive Sales, LLC. The Board chairman reviewed the site plan and determined no action was needed from the Board.

The final item for discussion is general discussion of possible opioid prevention protocols with Franklin police and other agencies. The Health Director informed the board that Chief Semerjian plans to have a meeting with State individuals to discuss the town's protocols regarding opioid prevention. The Health Director is not sure at this time what efforts the BOH would be responsible for; he will provide the Chief with his input.

HEALTH DIRECTOR REPORT FOR MAY

The Health Director provided details to the Board regarding activities of the Health Department for the month of May. He specifically mentioned Pour Richard's Snappy Dogs event which took place 5/27.

The Board Chairman as if there is was additional new business.

Mr. Raneiri questioned the Health Director about fertilizers commonly used on lawns that overspray onto common walkways. Does the Health Department have jurisdiction to ask the worker to clean the sidewalk of overspray? No, we do not.

There was no additional new business.

The Board chairman asked if there was any citizen's commentary.
There was no citizen's commentary.

A motion was made by Mr.Brunelli for adjournment, seconded by Mr.Raneiri and voted unanimously by the Board. The next Board of Health meeting will be held Tuesday, August 11, 2015 at 10:00 am.

Transcribed by Mary Ellen Ficco, Administrative Assistant for the Franklin Health Department.