

HARVARD BOARD OF HEALTH

MINUTES OF MEETING APRIL 12, 2011

HELD IN HILDRETH HOUSE AT 7:00 PM

Members Present: Jack Spero, Chairman
Lorin Johnson
Tom Philippou

Also Present: Linda Cantillon, Clerk
Ira Grossman, NABOH

The Chairman called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

231 Ayer Road/Owner: Watjus – Jill Realty Trust/Eng: Goldsmith, Prest Ringwall, Bruce Ringwall

Bruce Ringwall was present for the applicant, Gary Watjus. Mr. Watjus was also present.

Mr. Ringwall reviewed the history of the project at this site. Various components have been installed (grease trap, 1500 gallon tank) at the direction of the board, improving the system. Mr. Watjus has been submitting water meter readings for months and had requested to utilize water usage as a method to size the system, but the request was denied by DEP.

After a very lengthy discussion, the Board agreed that this increase in flow will fall under new construction standards. Mr. Watjus asked for additional time to bring the system into full compliance.

Tom Philippou moved to craft an agreement which contains a timeframe and meets full compliance with the Code. The Board will allow the existing operation of Pizza Bella and the medical facility; motion seconded by Lorin Johnson. Vote: aye – Philippou, Johnson; no – Spero.

Deer Management Seminar (Sponsored by Sudbury Valley Trustees)

Lorin Johnson attended this meeting held on March 29. There were approximately forty people in attendance from various communities. The seminar focused on the white tail deer population. The general feeling and message was that hunting seems to be the only answer for the over-

population of deer. Lorin will contact the Town of Boxborough to inquire on any measures they are proposing toward hunting.

Lyme Light – Kurt Hayes

Mr. Hayes had contacted several board members about re-presenting “Under Your Skin”, a movie about Lyme disease. The Board agreed that when this movie was shown, it was very well attended and effective. Jack Spero suggested that this movie could be shown on the local cable station. Tom will respond to Mr. Hayes and Jack will contact the cable station.

Minutes

Tom Philippou moved to approve the minutes of March 23, 2011, with edits as noted; motion seconded by Jack Spero; vote: aye, unanimous.

Permits

81 Slough Road/Owner Putman Nominee Trust - Upgrade to existing system; permit signed.
South Shaker Road Map 4, Parcel 4/Owner: GFA Federal Credit Union - Permit Transfer/One Year Extension (original permit issued to P&E Trust 3/25/08); permit signed.

Tom Philippou moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:15 pm; motion seconded by Lorin Johnson; vote: aye, unanimous.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 26, 2011.

Minutes submitted by Linda Cantillon