

June 28, 2011
Board of Health Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:36 p.m. Present were Arnold Soslow, M.D., Chair, members Michael Bean, M.D., Michael Wegerbauer, Tom Klem, and Michael Neuman, M.D. Also present were Steven Calichman, Director of Public Health, Julia Junghanns, Health Agent/Sanitarian and Patti White, Department Assistant.

7:37 p.m. Public Comments

Mike Lowery, Lakeshore Drive- as a representative of the SWQC- thank you for helping with the water testing of Dudley Pond. Now that the water test for yesterday was over the safe limits, can you help the surface water quality committee in getting the water level back down to safe swimming levels?

Mike Lowery, as a resident, thanks you for helping to get the situation at 125 Dudley Rd. under control. He has presented the BOH some suggestions for minimalizing effects of troubled septic systems in Wayland.

7:40 p.m. **Interview with Julia Junghanns, for the position of Director of Public Health.** Julia and the Board have discussed her responsibilities and approval levels she would be able to use as Interim Director of Public Health.

AS: Motion that the Wayland BOH offer to Julia Junghanns the position of Director of Public Health Second MB all in favor Vote 5-0. Julia has accepted the position.

8:00 p.m. **Discussion regarding Innovative and Alternative technology for septic systems.**

Steve Calichman addressed the Board regarding the categories of systems: general use, remedial use, provisional use. Wayland presently has approximately 40 I/A systems in town. Provisional approval systems are not proven to do what they are being tested for, so they require more frequent testing to be sure that the technology is doing what it should. General approval technology had gone through the testing required during the pilot and provisional testing period and is considered a proven technology and usually had less frequent testing requirements and may be less costly for the maintenance and contract fees.

AS: The Board is asking Julia to provide to the board (in approximately 30 days) two recommendations regarding approved usages for I/A systems. This would give the board some guidance for possibly setting regulations for the town regarding the future use of I/A systems.

Motion that BOH (MW) Mike will prepare a motion to be circulated to the Board for refinement regarding preparation of regulations and/or a guidance document regarding I/A systems.

Meeting dates for July and August --July 19th August 16th

Motion to appoint Julia Junghanns as Inspector of Milk and Cream. second A.S. all in favor Vote 5-0

Update of 125 Dudley court hearing today. Steve and Julia reported to Framingham District Court. Mr. Pauplis did not appear in court. The court will be issuing papers for Mr. Pauplis to appear on July 22nd. The revised plans for the new septic system installation have been received and will be reviewed.

The water quality testing being done at Dudley pond has shown the levels at Mansion Beach have tested high for save swimming. This is not a town beach; we do not presently recommend swimming here. The water has been tested and will be tested again next week.

AS: Motion to approve a temporary sign that “this area is being sampled and on one occasion that the water is not within safe levels for e-coli”.

AS: is requesting staff to write up a one page document explaining the days and hours regarding the staffing for the office Department Assistant and Clerk position.

9:10 p.m. **Motion adjourn. All in favor 5-0**

Respectfully submitted
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