

**Hubbardston Board of Health**  
**April 24, 2011**  
**Minutes**  
**Library Basement**

Meeting opened at 7:00 pm in the Hubbardston Library Conference Room located in the Library basement.

Present: Tomas Larson, Chairman  
Randy Mizereck, Vice Chairman  
Hayden Duggan, Member  
Lucinda Oates, Clerk

Guests: Todd Fitzgerald

**First Order of Business:**

Todd Fitzgerald attended the meeting to register a complaint concerning his trash hauler Central Mass Disposal and their merge with Republic Services. Although Mr. Fitzgerald had a contract with Central Mass Disposal he did not continue that contract with the new hauler Republic Services. After a number of calls to the service department and the owner of Central Mass Disposal Mr. Fitzgerald felt the company's demeanor on the phone was "intimidating and threatening". He also expressed a concern that other families with a contract with Central Mass Disposal would experience the same results with the change over to the new company if they choose not to renew with Republic Services.

Mr. Fitzgerald made additional attempts to contact Central Mass Disposal with no results and then received a demand letter from Republic Services and a letter from their legal council. Written letter from Mr. Fitzgerald included with minutes.

The Board will request that Republic Services attend the next scheduled meeting with the board in May.

**Motion: Randy Mizereck**

**Second: Hayden Duggan**

Motion made to approved April 11, 2012 minutes with no correction all in favor motion carried.

**Motion: Randy Mizereck**

**Second: Hayden Duggan**

Motion made to grant L.U.A. (local upgrade approval) for 15 Williamsville Road, reduction in separation between SAS and high ground water all in favor motion carried.

Title 5 reports were reviewed for 148 New Westminster Road and 31 Bemis Road.

**Recycle Center**

The board granted authority to Bella Kaldera (supervisor of recycle center) to hire an electrician to complete electrical work needed at the recycle center.

**Voucher**

One voucher was signed for "C" batteries for the recycle center.

**Permit:**

Food permit were approved for Hubbardston Youth Baseball; septage hauler for Cove Construction and installer permit for Cove, Schulze and Gibson.

**New Business:**

One perc application was received and given to Randy Mizereck for testing.

**Municipal Lien**

The board reviewed and signed off on municipal lien against the property owned by Barbara Blyther, Map 5C / Parcel 24 registered with the Worcester Registry of Deeds at Book 4556 and Page 341 for the amount of \$1,160.00. The document will be forwarded to the Board of Selectmen to place the lien.

**Tobacco Letter**

Several retailers statewide have installed machines that manufacture cigarettes in their stores. Some of these machines can manufacture a carton of cigarettes within ten minutes. Smaller machines can manufacture a pack of cigarettes in less time. Efforts at both the federal and state level aim to further regulate or ban these machines. Those retailers with machines that manufacture cartons are being tracked by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, the Massachusetts Department of Revenue and the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives. Hayden will review the document sent to the board and reword the last paragraph before mailing to the town tobacco permit holders.

**Council on Ageing**

The COA is interested in five lots located on Ragged Hill

Road for a community/ senior center. Paul Hale requested that the board review the five perc'ed lots and give an assessment regarding their perc rates. The board was in agreement that the lots and the perc rates were acceptable and that although one perc rate was slower there were four additional lots on which to site the septic.

**Motion: Randy Mizereck**

**Second: Hayden Dugan**

Motion made to change the fee for First Parish Unitarian Church to a \$25.00 temporary food permit fee with a three year "Title 5 Scan" water test with the permit fee turned over to the inspection agent to cover yearly inspection. There was no further discussion motion carried.

**Motion: Randy Mizereck**

**Second: Hayden Duggan**

Motion made to close meeting as there was no further business. Meeting adjourned at 9:25 PM.

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_