

Hubbardston Board of Health

March 24, 2015

Minutes

Library Basement

Board of Health meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. in the Hubbardston Library Conference Room located in the Library Basement.

Present: Tomas Larson, Chariman
Steve Mossey, Member
Randy Mizereck, Vice Chairman
Hayden Duggan, Member
Toni Walker, Admin. Assistant

Absent: Lucinda Oates, Member

First order of Business, Landfill Testing:

Mark Popham sent us his proposal for the Landfill Testing. Mr. Popham has done a great job at getting the testing done and getting the correct reports to the State for us. Discussion ensued regarding Mr. Popham and the acceptance of his proposal.

Motion: Steve Mossey

Second: Randy Mizereck

Motion made to approve Mark Popham's proposal for landfill testing. All in favor. Motion carries.

Cauldron Farms:

Bella Kaldera had called the office earlier in the day to see if they still needed to get a plumbing inspector to inspect the composting toilet they put in at the campground. Randy Mizereck stated that they need to do that per state regulations. Board members agreed.

POA: Toni will email Bella to let her know that she does in fact need to get a plumbing inspector to inspect the composting toilet.

Quabbin Regional Coalition:

The Board was invited by the Quabbin Regional Emergency Health Coalition to rejoin the group. The group was developed about 10 years ago and Hubbardston was involved. At some point a few years ago, Hubbardston pulled out of the group. Sara Darlagiannis, Public Health Emergency Planner, contacted the office recently to state that the Coalition would like to invite Hubbardston to rejoin. The BOH did ask the Town Administrator what she thought. There is no fee to join this and we get the ability to utilize additional resources during a Public Health Emergency. Mrs. Scheipers thought this was a great idea. The BOH also discussed this at the meeting and determined this would be a huge benefit for the community. The Coalition meets the third Wednesday of every month. The Board discussed taking turns to go to the monthly meeting.

POA: Toni will call Sara and accept joining the Coalition.

Motion: Steve Mossey

Second: Hayden Duggan

Motion made to accept minutes of January 13, 2015 as written. All in favor. Motion carries.

Title 5's:

Title 5 for 15 Mt. Jefferson Rd was reviewed.

Permits:

Permits signed for Caldron Farm Campground, Hakala Brothers, Sons of Kristoff, Ron Burton Training Village, Camp Miracles and Magic, Country Salon, Lawrence Septic, Mercurio & Sons

Sweet Pumpkin Farm:

It was brought to the attention of the BOH that Sweet Pumpkins Farm on George Howard Road was selling syrup, honey, jams, jellies and bread which were supposedly made on the premises and there is no permit for them on file. More research needs to be done and a letter will be sent out to see if Sweet Pumpkins Farm would like to come to the next meeting and/or just apply for the permit that they need. Discussion will resume at the next BOH meeting.

ServeSafe:

Mike Sarasin is putting on a class at the Henry Woods Building in Barre and we are promoting it here as well so anyone who is interested can go. The class will be April 15, 2015 at 3:30p.m

Update:

The Board updated member Hayden Duggan as to what has been going on. The Board also discussed going to do an inspection on Cauldron Farm Campground so that they can be sure the numbers are on the campsites and all the necessary items that were given to the Kaldera's last year have been done at the start of this camping season. Also, the bronze statue has gone out to the Public Surplus Auction with a starting bid of \$50.00.

Motion: Hayden Duggan

Second: Steve Mossey

Motion made to adjourn meeting at 7:55PM as there was no further discussion. All in favor. Motion carried.

Approved: _____

Date: _____

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