

BOARD OF HEALTH MINUTES May 15, 2018

The Board of Health held a meeting in Room 9 at the Town Hall, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA. The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. Present were, Elizabeth Sabounjian, Dr. Daniel King and Shelly Newhouse, Director of Public Health. The next regularly scheduled Board of Health meeting will be June 5, 2018 at 5:35 p.m. in Room 9 at the Town Hall, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA.

The Board reviewed and approved the May 1, 2018 minutes.

The Board reviewed the most recent food inspection reports.

New Business

43 Mill Road, public hearing application for 6 chickens

Christine Alpers is applying for a temporary animal permit for 6 chickens. The animal control officer gave a favorable recommendation. One abutter at 36 Mill Road submitted comments objecting to the chickens. This property is 300 + feet across from 43 Mill Road and the chickens are proposed to be in the backyard. Ms. Sabounjian reminded the applicant that these permits are annual permits. Dr. King motioned to approve the application, Ms. Sabounjian, seconded, voted 2-0. Public hearing was closed.

Department business

At the Annual Town meeting the plastic bag article was passed. This will go into effect May 5, 2019. The Director will do some public outreach next year to both residents and retailers. The zoning change for cosmetic tattooing was passed. Zoning articles still have to be approved by the Attorney General.

The Town, EPA and the consultants on the Olin Superfund Site have until the end of the month to submit comments on the work plan.

Discussion relative to the smoking regulations-Section 8 will be tabled until a future meeting date TBD.

Dr. King motioned to adjourn at 6:05 p.m., voted 2-0.

Recording: Shelly Newhouse, Director of Public Health