



BOARD OF HEALTH
MINUTES
January 2, 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 5:30 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 January 16, 2018 at 5:30 p.m. in Room 9 at the Town Hall, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA.

The Board reviewed and approved the minutes of the December 5, 2017. The Director informed the Board that the regulations approved at this meeting were published in the paper.

The Board reviewed the most recent food inspection reports.

New Business

The Director is proposing a change to the Zoning bylaws in the form of a warrant article at the upcoming May 5, 2018 Town Meeting relative to cosmetic tattooing as follows:

Zoning by law 6.9.3 Definition:

Body Art means the practice of physical body adornment using, but not limited to, the following techniques: body piercing, tattooing, ~~cosmetic tattooing~~, branding, and scarification. This definition includes piercing of the outer perimeter of the ear, but does not include piercing of the earlobe with pre-sterilized single use stud and clasp ear piercing systems. This definition does not include practices that are considered medical procedures by the Board of Registration in Medicine, such as implants under the skin.

Zoning by law 3.5.10 Personal Service Shop

Barber, beauty shop, ~~nail salon~~, ~~cosmetic tattooing~~, tailor or dressmaking, laundry or dry cleaning shop, self-service laundry or dry cleaning shop, catering, copy/blueprint store, rental service store and all other personal service shops.

Permanent makeup, or cosmetic tattooing is a fast growing part of the health and beauty industry. The Board of Health's current regulations pertaining to body art covers cosmetic tattooing, therefore, no additional changes to our regulations are needed. Dr. King motioned to endorse the warrant article proposing changes to zoning by laws 6.9.3 and 3.5.10, Ms. Sabounjian, seconded, voted 2-0.

362 Middlesex Ave-subdivision

The Director presented the Board with a subdivision plan for 362 Middlesex Avenue. The plan proposes dividing the one parcel into 2 lots with sufficient frontage. Soil testing for a new subsurface sewage disposal system has been completed. No plans have been submitted for review. Dr. King motioned to approve the subdivision, Ms. Sabounjian, seconded, voted 2-0.

Dr. King motioned to adjourn at 6:15 p.m., voted 2-0.


Recording: Shelly Newhouse, Director of Public Health