

The Board of Health meeting was held on, Monday, December 20, 2021, at 5:00 p.m.

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MEMBERS PRESENT: Robert Lyons, Matt Foster, and Lisa Lesogor. Staff in attendance: Susan Mulloy, Adm. Assts, Jeanmarie Joyce, Health agent.

NO APPOINTMENTS OR HEARINGS SCHEDULED

M/Foster, s/Lesogor a unanimous vote to approve Disposal Works Permits for 3 Daisy Lane, 4 Daisy Lane and 2 Camryn Way.

M/Foster, s/Lesogor a unanimous vote to pay invoices for: MHOA (Health Agent Ad), Crystal Rock and Commissioners quarterly payroll.

M/Lyons, s/Foster a unanimous vote to approve the minutes for 11/15/21 and 12/6/21.

M/Lyons, s/Foster a unanimous vote to issue 2022 permit renewals (attached).

Jeanmarie updated the Board on the COVID-19 home test kits that have been ordered with CARES ACT funds. Jeanmarie and Charlie worked together to order the kits. A total of 2,250 kits are expected this week and we anticipate handing them out on 12/22 in the evening in the parking lot of Town Hall. Kits will be set aside for town departments.

Jeanmarie gave a COVID update to include discussions about mask recommendations. At this time 90% of the visitors here at town hall are wearing masks. The Board is concerned about how we would enforce any potential mandate. At this time the Board will continue with a "recommendation" to wear masks as outlined in the CDC and DPH advisories. Lisa feels we should be looking at recommending the vaccine at this time.

There was a brief discussion on the FY23 budget. Rob will come in to the office to go over the numbers this week.

Susan and Jeanmarie asked the Board to discuss what they should do with "delinquent" applicants. We have several applications that have not been submitted by the deadline for 2022 and will expire and NONE of the applications for Sacred Addition have been submitted. This has been a problem in the past with the same establishment which resulted in a daily fine. The Board asked that a letter be sent to Sacred Addition notifying them that their permit will expire on December 31, 2021 and they will not have a permit to operate on January 1, 2022. They also request that the owners come to our next meeting to discuss this matter.

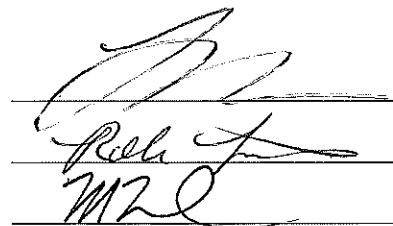
There was a brief discussion about the need for Food Service Permits for Non-Profit Food Vendors. The issue is that most of the "snack bars" and clubs utilize volunteers that rotate. They already have a difficult time finding volunteers to man the operation and the requirements that go with a Food Service Permit may make it even more difficult. We will look into this further and discuss it at a future meeting.

Susan provided the Board with updated COVID case information (161 cases since Thanksgiving).

There was discussion on plan reviews and approvals. Jeanmarie asked the Board if she could approve repairs that did not require any variances outside of a meeting. After some discussion:

M/Lyons, s/Lesogor a unanimous vote to allow the Health Agent to approve repairs requiring NO variances.

M/Lesogor, s/Foster a unanimous vote to adjourn at 5:40 p.m.



Rob Lyons
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2022 License Renewals 12/6/2021

Food Service Permits:

Cumberland Farms(2)
E.Bridgewater Cinema
Gillians Sweets and Treats
Ms. Better Nutrition
E.B. Food Pantry
Amante Pizza
Subway
Sachem Center
Dengs Garden
Rustic Crumb
Homestead Harvest
Restoration Coffee
Septic Haulers:
Baystate
DIRK Mobile Toilets
Avery's's Pumping

Milk and Cream Permits: Cumberland
Farms (2)

Tobacco Permits:

Cumberland Farms (2)

Rubbish and Recyclables:

ABC Disposal
South Shore Disposal

Body Art:

Mass Ink
Stephen D'Asti
Brian Beckwith
Luis Gomes

Septic Installers:

New Heights Const.
DanDel Const.