

Board of Health

Minute for 7/18/23, 19:00

In Attendance:

Allyson Pinkhover, Chair

Christina Lucci-McShain, Vice-chair

Chad Kaplan - Clerk

Christopher Nickerson - Member

Katie Goldrick - Member

Britney Jayne - Health Agent

Call to Order - 19:01, Chair Pinkhover

19:02 - Health agent update

- Fee schedule, review of updated fees for 2023, to be introduced to director of inspectional services.
- Church kitchen food event w/inspection by health agent completed, signed by board.
- Update to On The way, Agent supplied with weekly pest control records from store, improvements noted

19:06 - Draft on Body art facility regulations with interest in a shop opening by a local businessperson. Regulations determined Massachusetts general regulations for body art establishments. Concern for training on anatomy, shop owner vs all employees. Discussion to continue on recommended classes for anatomy knowledge and who in the shop must complete class. Concern for language of section 6 of Massachusetts recommendations. Concern that shop owner should be free and clear of debt owed to the town of Holbrook. Shop shall provide documentation of proper disposal of biohazard waste. Concern for single use instruments vs autoclave/ultrasonic sterilized equipment. Open to Public comment via posting.

19:24 - Scheduled Public comment on Tattoo regs 9/19/2023 at 19:00.

19:25 - TLA update

- Concerns about PFAS in water and environment as well as increased in population size and density with MBTA overlay update.
- Several letters sent to DEP to address concerns and seek guidance on application without success.
- Without DEP interventions, BOH required to manage concerns.
- Outside council hired and feedback obtained for concerns

Allyson Pinkhover *MPHCPH/CHO* *Christina Lucci-McShain*

1. Thorough compliance review and environmental audit for each condition of prior agreement with TLA and previous Board of Health as well as review the jurisdiction of DEP.
2. Under 310cmr11.0 - environmental impact report must be submitted but it has not been completed. DEP made aware
3. Application of environmental justice policy of 2021, ? Approved projects may not be subject to this policy but project may not have been approved yet due to lack of environmental impact study.
 - If the board feels there are sufficient threats to public health, public safety or environment, site assignment may be rescinded, suspended or modified pending public hearing
 - Enforcement of site assignment. If construction were to begin, any violations would move through enforcement via Health Agent, conservation agent, etc.

19:52 - feedback of board will be passed on to council while we await response from DEP about the above questions as well as further concern for compliance. Health agent to collect questions for future review.

17:57 - Citizen's concerns - none noted in zoom or in person.

17:58 - scheduling of next BOH Meeting, 8/8/2023 at 19:00

19:59 - Motion to Adjourn, Christina
Second Chris
Motion approved unanimously.