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Minutes of the Uxbridge Board of Health meeting held on Wednesday, August 16, 2017 in Selectmen's Meeting Room, 21 South Main Street, at 5:30 PM

Present: Chairman Michael Morrissette, Dr. David Tapscott, Dr. Joann Lindenmayer **Also present**, Health Agent Kristin Black and Denise Delannoy, Admin. Asst.

Meeting to order: The time being 5:33 pm and the meeting duly posted with a quorum present Chairman Morrissette called the meeting to order.

Announcement: Pout Pond will be closed on Friday 8/18/2017 for weed treatment and reopen on Saturday 8/19/17.

Soil Importation Application for 145/175 South Street

Attorney Lane is present for his client. Not sure of what the Town of Uxbridge, Board of Health, is looking for with this application.

Kristin Black analyses the Boards reasons for instituting a Soil Importation Regulation. Some of these are several failed soils testing's, infrequency of testing's and the fact that there has never been a site walk done at the South Street site with the Board and a third party LSP.

Discussions continued to third party (LSP'S) and the 53G account that applicants would be required to deposit monies to with their application.

The Board asked Attorney Lane/Owner of 145/175 South Street for a \$10,000 deposit to be made in ten business days to a 53G account in order to pay our LSP for his services and a mutually agreeable time for a site walk on either Tuesday August 29th or Thursday August 31st.

Recent Complaints

775 Millville Road, complaint of oil sheen in a puddle that formed in the imported soil and a creamy white substance oozing from a hill behind the water puddle.

200 Quaker Highway, McDonald's, by David Tapscott, several complaints, persons driving by or having lunch have been complaining about the order of septage. McDonalds has plans on hand and a date of next year to install a new system. Each time I went to the site I did not smell any odor.

Selection of third party reviewer, Clean Soils, Ipswich, MA, Tighe & Bond, Geo Insight, Beta Group, and Green Environmental.

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The Board will review all applicants and meet on Monday, August 21, 2017 and vote on a final decision.

Minutes: May 17, 2017

Motion: David Tapscott to accept the minutes of the BOH meeting 5/17/17. **Seconded:** Michael Morrissette. Joann Lindenmayer abstained she was not at the meeting. **Vote** 2 affirmative, 1 abstained.

Sharps disposal policy, Kristin Black updates the Board.

Request from the Sierra Club to send letter to Gov. Baker re: Comprehensive Health Impact Assessments for new/expanding natural gas pipelines.

Motion: Joann Lindenmayer, to send letter to Gov. Baker re: Comprehensive Health Impact Assessments for new/expanding natural gas pipelines. **Seconded**: Michael Morrissette. The vote was unanimous.

Well Drilling Regulations regarding use of water from streams for drilling activities was discussed. Dr. Tapscott will follow-up on this.

Warrant Article: Municipal Liens, is Board of Health interested in participating.

Motion: David Tapscott moves that the Board of Health be added to the warrant list to charge liens.

Seconded, Joann Lindenmayer. The vote was unanimous.

BOH Re-organization:

David Tapscott nominates Michael Morrissette as Chairman. **Seconded**, Joann Lindenmayer. The vote was unanimous.

Joann Lindenmayer nominates David Tapscott as Vice Chairman. **Seconded**, Michael Morrissette. The vote was unanimous.

Any other matter that may lawfully come before the Board,

Ed Martinson came in to complain of the extraction of gravels at the 145/175 South Street reclamation site believed to be below the water table. Board suggests Mr. Martinson make contact with the Planning Board who handles the Gravel Removal Permits.

Adjournment 7:30 PM, Motion, David Tapscott to adjourn tonight's meeting. Seconded, Joann Lindenmayer. The vote was unanimous.

Respectfully submitted, Denise Delannoy, Administrative Assistant

Michael Mofrissette, Chairman

Dr. David Tapscott, Vice Chairman

Joann Lindenmayer, Member

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