

**MINUTES OF BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING
MAY 2, 2011 – 6:00 P.M.
MARY CONNOLLY MEETING ROOM
136 Elm St., N. Easton, MA**

In attendance: Members Gil Heino and Dr. Scott Aronson, Agent Mark Taylor and Office Asst. Teresa Wooding. Chairperson Jennifer Nichols was unable to attend.

Meeting opened: 6:00 p.m.

Approval of Minutes

Minutes tabled until next meeting.

Variance

456 Bay Rd. (1)

Engineer George Collins of Collins Civil Engineering Group, Inc. was present. Mr. Taylor recommended approval. Dr. Aronson motioned to grant the variance to allow a three-foot separation to maximum groundwater and to allow the use of a Sieve/Hydrometer Analysis to determine the percolation rate. Mr. Heino seconded. Unanimous vote.

105 Prospect St. (1)

Don Quinn of Crystal Clear Pools and Joseph Clark, Homeowner was present. Mr. Taylor recommended approval. Dr. Aronson motioned to grant the variance to allow a reduction of the distance from a leaching facility to a pool from the required 20' to 10'. Mr. Heino seconded. Unanimous vote.

169 Purchase St. (1)

Engineer Todd Pilling of Pilling Engineering Group, Inc. was present. Mr. Taylor recommended approval. Dr. Aronson motioned to grant the variance to allow a reduction of the distance from a leaching facility to a cellar wall from the required 20' to 12', to allow a three-foot separation to maximum

groundwater and to allow the use of a Sieve/Hydrometer analysis to determine the percolation rate. Mr. Heino seconded. Unanimous vote.

7 Tyson Rd. (1)

Engineer Todd Pilling of Pilling Engineering Group, Inc. was present. Mr. Taylor recommended approval. Dr. Aronson motioned to grant the variance to allow a reduction of the distance from a leaching facility to a property line from the required 10' to 6'. Mr. Heino seconded. Unanimous vote.

414 Center St. (1)

Engineer Todd Pilling of Pilling Engineering Group, Inc. was present. Mr. Taylor recommended approval. Dr. Aronson motioned to grant the variance to allow a three-foot separation to maximum groundwater. Mr. Heino seconded. Unanimous vote.

62 Allen Rd. (1)

Todd Pilling of Pilling Engineering Group, Inc. was present. Mr. Taylor recommended approval. Dr. Aronson motioned to grant the variance to allow a three-foot separation to maximum groundwater. Mr. Heino seconded. Unanimous vote.

Action/Discussion

Ann Agurkis-Activate Easton Program

Ann Agurkis and Mrs. Dennett were present. After some discussion the Board recommended that Ms. Agurkis talk with the chairperson, Mrs. Nichols who was not present. The Board will discuss further at the next meeting.

Septic Betterment Update

Mrs. Kennedy will attend the town meeting and present the information for the new Septic Betterment Program to the residents of the town for approval.

Cape Cod Tobacco Collaborative Program – Bob Collett Update

Mr. Collett inquired about the regulations the town has regarding working with the youth.

Agent's Report

Mr. Taylor informed the Board that business is picking up now that groundwater season is over.

Agent's Report (cont'd)

Mr. Taylor informed the Board that he had a conflict with the next meeting scheduled. Mr. Heino suggested that Mrs. Kennedy is asked to attend the meeting.

Recess 6:44pm

Resume 6:45pm

Members' Notes

Mr. Heino informed the Board that the rubbish removal company J. F. McNamara is picking up trash early. They are traveling King Ave and Linden St. at 6:15am. Mr. Heino requested that the rubbish removal regulations are reviewed to confirm start time in residential areas.

Dr. Aronson motioned to adjourn. Mr. Heino seconded. Unanimous vote.

Meeting adjourned 7:09 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Teressa Wooding

(1) All plans used in meeting on file in office.