



WAKEFIELD BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING

William J. Lee Memorial Town Hall
1 Lafayette St, Wakefield, MA. 01880
Wednesday, May 29, 2019 7:00 PM

PRESENT: Elaine Silva, Chair
Laurel Gourville, Secretary
Ruth L. Clay, Health Director

NOT PRESENT: Alison Mehlman

----- TOPICS OF DISCUSSION -----

The Wakefield Board of Health held their monthly meeting on Wednesday, May 29th, 2019 in the second floor meeting room of Wakefield Town Hall.

Call to Order Chairperson Silva called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm.

Approval of Minutes Gourville moved to approve the minutes of April 23, 2019, seconded by Silva. Motion passed 2- 0.

Reorganization of the Board of Health Gourville motions to appoint Mehlman the Chairperson for the Board of Health, Gourville the Vice Chair and Silva the Secretary. Silva seconded the motion, motion passed 2.0.

Health Directors Report

Ruth Clay held 2 chokesaver classes Thursday May 29th for Melrose and Wakefield with over 25 attending from Wakefield and 25 from Melrose.

Property owners with potable wells received a copy of the updated well regulations, information from Ma Department of Environmental Protection about private drinking water testing, and a tip sheet from the National Groundwater Association. The letter reminded homeowners to test their wells each spring.

Six communities in Mass have enacted the latest flavor ban, restricting mint, menthol and wintergreen flavored products to stores restricted to people 21 and older..

Clay will work on revisions to the Keeping of Animals regulations for review in the fall.

Diamond Fortune on Tuttle St is closing; new owners are going to open a breakfast restaurant.

Piece O Pizza is open.

127 Water St plans include a retail space for food establishment.

Tequila will be coming in for an administrative hearing due to the results of their last inspection.

Morena's is changing ownership on Saturday June 1st. The new owners plan to keep the menu the same.

**Business
which has
arisen since
the posting of
the meeting**

NONE

Handouts

1. Agenda
2. Minutes from April 23, 2019
3. Public Health Nurse Report
4. Report of the Special Commission on Local Public Health

Next meeting will be June 26th 2019 @ 7 PM

Meeting adjourned at 07:58 PM.

Respectfully submitted



Cindy Luongo
Clerk

