

BOARD OF HEALTH AGENDA
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2018 @6:00 PM
RICHMOND TOWN HALL
1529 STATE ROAD

SEPTEMBER 6, 2018 MEETING

Present: Ms. Louise Maron, Chair; Mr. Peter Cohen; Mr. Andrew Fisher;
Mr. Anthony Segal; Mr. Fred Schubert; Mr. John Olander, Agent;
Ms. Phyllis LeBeau, Recording Secretary.

Absent:

Guests: Mr. Carl Foote, Richmond Pond Association; Mr. Neal Pilson, Selectman;
Mr. Peter Beckwith, Highway Superintendent; Mr. Mark Pruhenski,
Town Administrator; Mr. Nick Bruzzi, Housatonic Basin Testing Facility

REVIEW MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 6th

ACTION ITEMS

- 1) Ongoing review of September minutes and continued discussion of procedures for water testing, closure and reopening of beaches, chains of notification and timing, etc. The goal is to develop a clear protocol for an inclusive, predictable and verifiably safe program to protect our beaches. Fred volunteered to create an algorithm that would dictate and codify necessary procedures.
- 2) Louise agreed to contact Jayne Smith to assist in the preparation of a letter to Camp Russell directors, informing them that we have received the results of the State inspection of the Camp, and that the Richmond BOH is concerned about their plans to correct the many missing or failed requirements. Jayne will attend this meeting.
- 3) Plan to implement notification of town residents that programs are available for testing and reports on their well water.

OLD BUSINESS

Camp Russell: Review of State inspection of camp, and plans going forward. Jayne Smith and John Olander. Letter to Camp directors.

Plan for Emergencies and Disasters During Preparedness Month

MAHB September Newsletter

NEW BUSINESS

BRPC awarded \$200,000 Grant Award for Berkshire Opioid Prevention Coalition

Team Hinds Staff Office Hours – 9/26 in Richmond and Williamsburg

Richmond Pond: Forward from Neal Pilson, from Berkshire Eagle by Stockbridge BOH Chair, Dr.Charles Kenny; RBOH discussion and comments requested by Mr. Pilson; Clarence Fanto – The Bottom Line: Collaboration Best option for warding off algae bloom threat.
Berkshire Eagle OpEd

2018 Massachusetts Arbovirus Daily Update

Alliance and BCBOHA sponsored focus groups with Boards of Health

Amendments to State Tobacco Laws

AGENTS REPORT AND MAIL

TOPICS NOT ANTICIPATED 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE

NEXT MEETING: NOVEMBER 6, 2018