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BOARD OF HEALTH

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MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING OF MAY 12, 2008

The Board of Health held a public meeting on May 12, 2008. Sean P. Grady, Sandra Lee Tompkins and Rebecca Lovell Scott were the Board members in attendance. David B. Mason, Health Agent was also present.

Cape & Islands Board of Health Emergency Operation Plans

Deborah Patellos, R.N. and Lynda C. Costa of the Medical Reserve Corp, Volunteer Coordinator were present.

Ms. Patellos made a Power Point Presentation, which encompassed the Town of Sandwich Public Health Emergency Plans. Ms. Patellos will burn a CD for each of the Board Members. Mr. Mason will make arrangements for Ms. Patellos to make her presentation before the Board of Selectmen.

After the presentation, a discussion ensued.

James Silva, Director of Emergency Management arrived @ 7:40 p.m. He commended Mr. Mason for his dedication and hard work during the last five years.

Review/Approval of Minutes

The Board members unanimously approved, as written, the minutes of the Board of Health meeting of April 14, 2008. The motion was made by Ms. Scott and seconded by Mr. Grady.

Barn Book

Mr. Mason informed the Board members that work on the Barn Book is in progress.

Animal Inspector

Mr. Mason informed the Board members that he had to quarantine 3 animals because of dog bites.

Tedeschi Food Shop, Inc., 111 Route 6A

Mr. Mason advised the Board members that Darren Meyer paid a visit to this establishment and the new procedure has been implemented to ensure the valid age of the purchaser of any and all tobacco products.

West Nile Virus

Mr. Mason advised the Board members that the State will again be conducting testing of dead blue jays and crows for West Nile Virus.

Reorganization of the Board

The Board members voted to reorganize.

Ms. Tompkins is the new chair. The motion was made by Mr. Grady and seconded by Ms. Scott.

Ms. Scott is the clerk. The motion was made by Mr. Grady and seconded by Ms. Tompkins.

Cape Cod Commission

Mr. Mason informed the Board members that he has resigned his temporary appointment to the Cape Cod Commission because of an implied conflict of interest. Mr. Mason informed Mr. Dunham by email.

Roos Road/Peter Wild

Mr. Wild is proposing a commercial/agricultural composting operation. This item will be placed on the next Board of Health Agenda on June 09th for discussion.

Meeting adjourned @ 8:30 p.m. The motion was made by Ms. Scott, seconded by Ms. Tompkins and the vote was unanimous.

Respectfully submitted,

Katherine D. Walter, Secretary
Sandwich Board of Health