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Board of Health

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Minutes of a public meeting held on **October 17, 2022**, by the **Sandwich Board of Health** at the Town Office Building, 16 Jan Sebastian Drive, Second floor meeting room, Sandwich.

Members Present: Rebecca Lovell Scott (via phone), David Liskowsky, Ronald Hurley

Health Agent Present: David Mason

Administrative Assistant: Jennifer Woodbury

Others Present: Erika Woods

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1. The meeting was brought to order by Rebecca Lovell Scott at 7:00 p.m.

2. Public Health Excellence Grant Presentation by Erika Woods, Deputy Director, Barnstable County Health Department. Mass Department of Public Health Grant to enhance public health services in Barnstable County. Vote of Support required. Requires signature by the Chair for Submission.

Erika Woods explained to the Board the Public Health Excellence Grant to assist town Health Department with statutory requirements, as well as, Public Health issues affecting our communities (hoarding, opioid crisis, etc.). The grant could award up to \$300,000.00 annually for three years and possibly renew three times. David Mason explained to the Board several health issues within the Town. Ronald Hurley made a motion to support the Chair's signature for submission for the Public Health Excellence Grant, seconded by David Liskowsky. The motion passed with a vote of 3-0-0.

3. Tobacco Control Violation; Violation of the Sale of Tobacco Products to a Minor at The Deli, 101 Route 6A, Sandwich, MA. Attendance at a Board of Health Meeting by owner/representative for Payment of Fines as outlined in the Board of Health's Tobacco Control Regulation. (No vote required)

Mr. Mason informed the Board that on August 1, 2022, the Barnstable County Tobacco Control performed a tobacco sting at The Deli, 101 Route 6A, where a minor was sold cigarettes. The owner of the establishment could not attend the meeting due to traveling but sent a letter to the Board and payment of the fine for the violation. David read the letter into record (see attached).

4. Tobacco Control Violation; Violation of the Sale of Tobacco Products to a Minor at Paradise Wine and Spirits, 65A Route 6A, Sandwich, MA. Attendance at a Board of Health Meeting by owner/representative for Payment of Fines as outlined in the Board of Health's Tobacco Control Regulation. (No vote required)

Also on August 1, 2022, the Barnstable County Tobacco Control performed another tobacco sting at Paradise Wine and Spirits, 65A Route 6A, where a minor was sold cigarettes. David Mason explained to Board that the owner/representative did not attend the meeting and did not pay the fine for the violation. David will follow up with hand deliver a letter to the establishment requesting their attendance at the next Board of Health meeting or possible suspension of their Tobacco License.



5. Health Director's update regarding the State of Massachusetts Department of Public Health Opioid Settlement. (No action or vote required)

David Mason updated the Board on the Public Health Opioid Settlement. He explained that the settlement would be distributed between several other departments within the Town, specifically Police, Fire, and School Department, and how it could be used for the community.

6. Health Director's discussion regarding the daily legal responsibilities and duties of the Health Department to educate the Board of Health.

David Mason gave the Board a brief orientation regarding his role with the Board and an overview of responsibilities as members.

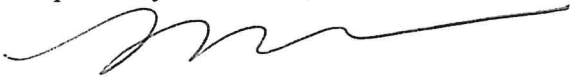
7. Approval of Minutes from July 11, 2022

Ronald Hurley made a motion to approve the minutes of the Board of Health Meeting from July 11, 2022 as written, seconded by David Liskowsky. The motion passed with a vote of 3-0-0.

8. Adjourn Meeting

David Liskowsky made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:39 p.m., seconded by Ronald Hurley. The motion passed with a vote 3-0-0.

Respectfully Submitted,



Michelle Y. Raymond
Office Manager, Board of Health

Date Approved: 12/12/22

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