

Westhampton Board of Health
Minutes to May 2nd , 2019 Meeting

Present: David Blakesley (DB) Tom Martin (TM)

Also Present: Robbie Armenti, Michael Kelsey

- 1) Meeting opened at 4:06.
- 2) Board approved rewriting of April Meeting to better reflect items discussed and to approve them at June Meeting.
- 3) Board discussed Proposed Regulations for requiring well permits for new drinking water wells and witnessing requirements for some septic systems undergoing inspection. The purpose of the regulations are to cover these minor gaps in State regulations that have created some issues for the BOH in the past. DB moved the approve the regulations as written and TM seconded and passed unanimously. TM to ask the Selectboard if Town Counsel could review regulations before submitting to Attorneys' General Office.
- 4) Board welcomed Robbie Armenti to the meeting. RA will be sending a request to the Selectboard to serve on the BOH.
- 5) Mr. Kelsey (MK) before the Board to inform it about a property in Town that is providing camping accommodations through a website called "Tenter." MK notes from the site that the property owners will be providing a solar shower and wilderness bagging type toilet facilities. MK wonders how this fits into the State campground regulations that KOA is required to follow. MK notes that the perc test for new septic systems at KOA has been done and was witness by Borcier at DEP. TM notes that he and DB walked the campground on the 25th and did not any odors in the few places where ponding had occurred due to much rain previous few days.
- 6) TM shared with the Board the resumes of the two applicants that have applied for the Foothills Health District Health Agent position. TM explains they hope to conduct interviews on Tuesday and Wed.
- 7) Adjourned at 5:03.

Respectfully,
Tom Martin
David Blakesley



