

Edgartown Board of Health
Minutes of August 26, 2014

Harold T. Zadeh, Chair.

Kathie N. Case

The meeting was called to order at 6:30PM. Payrolls and permits were signed. Minutes of August 12, 2014 were approved as written.

The Board reviewed two letters of interest submitted for the remainder of the term vacated by Kevin Searle from Garrett Orazem, DMD and Benjamin Lambert Hall, Jr., Esq. A brief discussion a motion was made and voted unanimously to recommend to the Board of selectmen, Garrett Orazem.

Plans were received from the Planning Board for a Form B subdivision of land located at Oyster Pond Rd. for Keith & Anne Rogal.

Agents Report/New Business

An update was provided of the on-going food inspections conducted by M. Costonis. Mr. Costonis will finish his term of work the second week of September. No action was taken by the Board.

Information was provided to the Board concerning the most recent notice from Dept. of Public Health and Division of Marine Fisheries of a *Vibrio parahaemolyticus* (*Vibrio*) case reported on August 12th. The oyster linked to the outbreak was harvested from Katama Bay with an audit conducted of the harvester, seafood dealer and food establishment practices.

A letter addressed to the Dredge Committee was discussed by the Board. It outlined the recent discovery of a broken monitoring well pipe at the former landfill which was damaged when work was conducted on the adjoining Fisherman's Depot lot. Once the repair is complete, the bill will be forwarded to the Committee for payment.

Agent Poole reported on a recent housing inspection conducted at # 14 Puwal Lane, owned by S. Kusnitz. Violations listed included lack of proper smoke detectors, structural elements, egress obstructions and the lack of proper screens. An order to correct was issued with copies sent to the building and fire departments. No additional action was taken by the Board at this time.

An update was provided on the recent meeting of the REPC (regional emergency planning committee). The Island wide group will meet on a regular basis in an effort to re-organize and establish a working relationship with other emergency committees.

There being no further business before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 7:10PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Janet A. Hathaway, Assistant

Approved on: __9/9/2014

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