Edgartown Board of Health Minutes of October 8, 2013

Harold T. Zadeh, Chair

Kathie N. Case

Kevin L. Searle

The meeting was called to order at 6:00PM. Payrolls and permits were signed. The Minutes of September 10, 2013 were approved as written. The agenda listed item posted for Kevin Selby at 6:10PM was withdrawn by Mr. Selby prior to the meeting.

Correspondence

The Board reviewed a cease and desist order issued by L. Jason, for property located at #1 Holly Bear Lane regarding on-going zoning issues. If all violations listed are not corrected within thirty days a complaint will be filed in superior court. No action was taken by the Board at this time.

Zoning Board of Appeals public hearing notice was reviewed for Lee & Suzanne Feldman for installation of an in-ground pool at # 25 Thaxter Lane. Notice for the review of a special permit issued to Vintage MV/Coffee Culture MV was discussed, with no action necessary.

The Board discussed the MV Food and Wine Festival grand tasting event scheduled for Saturday, October 18th to be held under a tent in the Mayhew Lane parking lot. A list of vendors and their food items to be served was reviewed. Mention was made to the number of mainland participants who will attend along with a majority of Edgartown establishments. Agent Poole and Chair. Zadeh will provide food inspections services prior to event with a ticket opening time of 2PM.

A notice was received for the up-coming dental clinic held at the Senior Center on Friday, October 25th from 8:30am to 3:00pm. This is a free BOH sponsored event for seniors who lack regular dental care with services provided by Vineyard Smiles. Registration is in advance due no later than Monday, October 21st.

The Board conducted a review of draft regulations for restricting the sale of tobacco and nicotine delivery products. The current regulations do not include e-cigarettes, blunt wraps; roll your own machines, requirements for cessation, new signage and cigar sales. Mention was made to include a retail permit cap for the coming year. This would not allow any new permits if a cap of the existing number are adopted. A discussion took place concerning a ban of sales in educational and any health care institution which would include pharmacies. A this time a motion was made and unanimously approved to post a hearing to restrict the sale of tobacco and nicotine delivery products for Tuesday, October 22, at 5:45PM.

Agents Report

An update was provided regarding the annual All Island Flu clinic to be held on Saturday, October 26th from 9am to 12noon. This year there will be only a drive-thru program with two locations listed for Waban Park in Oak Bluffs and the West Tisbury School.

Information was provided to the Board concerning the installation of a temporary onsite septic system to serve the Shifter guest house located off Pocha Rd. extension. Agent Poole added a full application for the two structures will be presented by George Sourati, PE at a later date. No action was taken by the Board at this time. The Board approved the one day food permit for the Wild Food Challenge to be held on Monday, October 14, at the MV Rod and Gun Club.

Agent Poole informed the Board of a recent home inspection conducted on behalf of the tenant for property located at # 8 Cottonwood Lane. Housing volitions were found which included an over flowing on-site septic. An order to correct all violations associated with the inspection will be sent out with a written timeline and plan for correction.

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

Respectfully submitted, Janet A. Hathaway, Assistant

Approved on: _____

Harold T. Zadeh, Chair.

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