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MINUTES OF BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING March 3, 2014 Regular Meeting

The Norton Board of Health held a regular meeting on Monday, March 3, 2014, at 6:30 PM in the 2nd Floor Board of Health office. The following members were present: Chairman Steve Corr, Vice-Chairman Robert B. Medeiros, Clerk Diane Battistello and Health Agent Leon J. Dumont. Visitor: James Prosser, General Contractor

Call to order: Chairman Corr called the meeting to order at 6:31

377 Old Colony Road:

James Prosser, the general contractor for the replacement septic system for Old Colony Nursing Home attended the meeting to discuss the septic repair plans. The cold weather will hold up the land clearing process. The target date is the beginning of April. It is estimated to be a 9-week installation process. There needs to be an additional electrical pole installed to run the systems pumps. Agent Dumont will require testing in sections. Chairman Corr will require certification of the Title 5 sand that is being used. The main tanks capacity is 26000 and 10000 pump chamber. Agent's Dumont expects a minimum 2 inspections per week: bottom of tank, stone (1 ½" rather than ¾"). Chairman Corr questioned the availability of double washed stone this time of year. Gallons a day: 7720. Discussion ensued regarding system alternatives (i.e.Cultec chambers). Mr. Processer and Mr. Dumont will contact RIM Engineer regarding this.

Approval of the February 2014 minutes:

The minutes from the February meeting are not ready for the Board of vote on and approval will be postponed until the April meeting.

Consent agenda:

All matters listed under Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by the Board of Health and are enacted by an automatic motion with an automatic second. If discussion is desired, that item is removed for the Consent Agenda and considered separately.

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Old Business:

417 Old Colony Road: There is no new news from the Town Counsel on this case.

Woodland Green: Construction on this septic system is stalled due to the cold weather.

New Business:

Next BOH meeting: Next BOH meeting: April 7, 2014.

Health Agent Monthly Report from February 2014: The Board reviewed the monthly report from Health Agent Dumont.

Assistant Health Agent Monthly Report from February 2014: The Board reviewed the monthly report from Assistant Agent Drayton.

Nurse's Monthly Report from February 2014: The Board reviewed the monthly report from Nurse Palmer.

Inspector of Animals Report from February 2014: The Board reviewed the monthly report from the animal inspector Plante.

Informational:

Health Agent Position: Interviews are being conducted for this position.

Financial Meeting: Agent Dumont will go to the Town's financial meeting on March 12th 7:45.

Shelly Road: Addresses 27 and 29 have a conflict over water on the road. While they think this is a septic issue this could be potentially due to hard pan in the road in a high water table. Agent Dumont will investigate.

Arrowhead Drive: The septic systems reports are coming in fine.

Vote to Adjourn:

Ms. Battistello motioned to adjourn at 7:55 and Chairman Corr seconded it.

Vote 3-0, Approved.

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Γhe meeting adjourned at 7:55.	
Steven H. Corr, E.E., Chairman	Robert B. Medeiros, Vice-Chairman
Diane Batti	istello, Clerk