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STEPHEN FRANTZ

SHARON HART, Director of Public Health

NOTICE

**BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING
(Hybrid – attend via Zoom Webinar or in person at the South Hadley Library)
&
AGENDA**

October 8, 2024

6:00 p.m.

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To: Board of Health Members

From: Sharon D. Hart, Director of Public Health

Re: A Board of Health Meeting (Hybrid) will be held on Tuesday, October 8, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. at the South Hadley Library.

- 1: Chair to Call the Meeting to Order**
- 2: Acceptance of the Minutes of the September 10, 2024 meeting.**
- 3: Announcements/Open Forum (10 Minutes)**

4: Director's Report

5: New Business:

(a): 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. CredibleMind Overview – Zoom – Scott Dahl

(b): Master Plan – Roles and Goals – Nate Therien, Michelle Theroux
and Daniel Hamel

6: Old Business:

(a): Firearm Injury Protection and Legislation – Update

(b): Update - South Hadley Drug & Alcohol Prevention Coalition – Karen
Walsh Pio

7: Set Next Meeting Date – (TBD) at 6:00 p.m. at South Hadley Public Library

8: Adjourn meeting

****** Please note: Meetings are recorded *******

South Hadley
Board of Health Meeting

Date: 9-10-2024

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Members: Christine McKiernan, Chair: Present Tony Judge, Vice-Chair Virtually
Karen Walsh Pio, Clerk Present Dr. Michael Rosner Present Stephen Frantz Present
Town Residents Joan and Walter Hamilton and Joanna Brown
Building Commissioner Jason Forgue

1. Chair to call the meeting to order @ 6:02 p.m.
2. Acceptance of the meeting minutes of 7-9-2024

Motion: Christine McKiernan 2nd Stephen Frantz

All in favor: Christine McKiernan - aye

Michael Rosner - aye

Karen Walsh Pio- aye

Stephen Frantz - aye

3. Announcements/Open Forum (10 Minutes)-

Stephen Frantz had a statement about studies showing risk for leaving exposed trash for two weeks without pickup. Director Hart states trash proposal with new system is starting next year and sent an email regarding this concern and mentions there were no public health risks at this time.

4. New Business –

- a) North Pole Estates, Chicopee Concrete: Building Commissioner Jason Forgue – Jason provided attendees with an informative session on updates regarding the Chicopee Concrete site, trying to decipher the problems, issues and impacts occurring behind the building. Jason states he requested access July 2nd and has not yet received access. He claims no cause to enter with a bench warrant or without permission and there is no clear evidence of violation. Christine McKiernan will reach out to UMASS about full data collection regarding this issue.

Jason Forgue left at 6:38PM

Joanna Brown left at 6:38PM

- b) Groundwater Protection Draft Regulation- Director Hart states still haven't heard back from the attorney. No updates.
- c) Approval of Amending the March 12,2024 Meeting Minutes- Motion to attach Stephen Frantz's statement about a ceasefire in Gaza and including it as an appendix.

Motion: Christine McKiernan 2nd Stephen Frantz

All in favor: Christine McKiernan - aye

Michael Rosner - aye

Karen Walsh Pio- aye

Stephen Frantz - aye

- 5. Director's Report – Director Hart spoke to the report and provided an update.
(see attached) If anyone has questions to contact her.**

Director Hart identified current messaging regarding the need for current vaccinations that will be displayed on 27 buses in English and Spanish and paid for by the PHE grant.

- 6. Old Business –**

a) Firearm injury Protection and Legislation-update- Postponed.

b) South Hadley Drug & Alcohol Prevention Coalition – Karen Walsh Pio

Karen Walsh Pio speaks about saving the Coalition, As of September 30th the coalition will not be funded and is requesting opioid data from the survey to support it.

Set Next Meeting Date: October 8th at 6:00 p.m. at South Hadley Public Library

Motion to adjourn.

Motion ___ Christine McKiernan ___ 2nd ___ Stephen Frantz ___

All in favor: Christine McKiernan-aye

Stephen Frantz -aye

Michael Rosner – aye

Karen Walsh Pio - aye

Board of Health meeting adjourned: 7:51 p.m.