

# **BOARD OF HEALTH**

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Meeting Minutes July 16, 2019 5:30 PM

Location: Town Hall Conference Room B

## • Call to Order:

Jay Murphy, Michael Delfino, Christy Vaillancourt, Kelli Calo and DJ Wilson.

## • Election of Officers:

Mr. Murphy motioned to elect Christie Vaillancourt as Chair. The motion was seconded by Mr. Delfino and carried 3-0. Ms. Vaillancourt motioned to elect Mr. Delfino as Vice-Chair. The motion was seconded by Mr. Murphy and carried 3-0.

## Vouchers to be Approved:

Mr. Murphy motioned to accept all vouchers. The motion was seconded by Mr. Delfino and carried 3-0.

## • Minutes to be Approved:

**June 18, 2019-** Mr. Delfino motioned to approve the Minutes. The motion was seconded by Mr. Murphy and carried 3-0.

## • New Business

**DFC Grant:** The Department applied for a \$125,000 grant for Drug Free Communities. The awards will be made in September or October.

Flavor Tobacco Ban Discussion: DJ Wilson from MMA Tobacco Control presented information on municipalities that have restricted tobacco and vape products to adult-only "retail tobacco stores". Somerville is one municipality that is being sued due to banning mint, menthol and wintergreen to adult only stores. DJ Wilson and Kelli Calo will work to draft a regulation for Hudson. Two residents spoke about the dangers of use of vaping products.

**RSC Update:** Kelli Calo, Tom Moses, Steve Sharek (RSC Chair) and Patricia Fay (Town Accountant) will meet with Hudson Light and Power to discuss billing for trash pickup. The RSC has chosen 2-64 gallon totes which will be picked up weekly. They have 3 more meetings before they make a recommendation to the Board of Health and Board of Selectmen. There will be a public hearing on 9/10/2019.

• **Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 6:25 PM.