

**TOWN OF FRANKLIN**  
**Board of Health Minutes for October 2, 2019**

**Present at meeting:**

Bridget Sweet, Chairman  
Donald Ranieri, Vice Chairman  
Ciera Maffei, Clerk

David McKearney, Health Director  
Virginia McNeil, Health Agent

**Guests:**

Timothy Cochrane, 10 Longobardi Drive

The Board members reviewed the meeting minutes from their September 11, 2019 meeting. Mr. Ranieri made a motion to accept the minutes; the motion was seconded by Ms. Sweet. They both voted to accept the minutes. Ms Maffei abstained.

**OLD BUSINESS**

- Animal Regulations-Tabled

**NEW BUSINESS**

- **Site Plan Modification, 300 East Central Street.** The applicant, New England Chapel, is changing the use from an existing bowling alley to a religious use. The Board Chair stated no comment necessary since there is no kitchen.
- **Preliminary Subdivision Plan, Olam Estates, 900 Washington Street.** The Board discussed the preliminary plan and stated that the proposed building lots are required to have Title V compliant septic systems.
- **Mosquito-Borne Illness Update.** The Health Director provided an update to the Board. The Norfolk County Mosquito Control has suspended the truck mounted spraying for the season. The number of mosquitoes found in the Town trap has decreased significantly. Ms. Sweet commended the town for being proactive by providing cans of bug repellant at the athletic fields.

**HEALTH DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

The Health Director and Health Agent provided details to the Board regarding activities of the Health Department during the month of September.

The Chair opened the floor for any other new business. Mr. Ranieri stated it was a pleasure to serve on the Board of Health. It was his first time being a Public Servant and he really enjoyed it. Two points he wanted to note in the minutes were:

1. Mr. Ranieri wanted the Board to monitor any new radioactivity business that comes to Franklin.
2. Mr. Ranieri does not want any animal testing in the Town of Franklin.

David McKearney, the Health Director, thanked Mr. Ranieri for his service. Bridget Sweet, the Board Chair, also thanked Mr. Ranieri.

The Board Chair asked if there was any citizens' commentary. There was none.

A motion was made by Ms. Maffei to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Mr. Ranieri and the meeting was voted unanimously to adjourn.

The next Board of Health Meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 6, 2019 at 5:00 pm in Room 205.

Transcribed by: Virginia McNeil, Health Agent