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WEST NEWBURY BOARD OF HEALTH
381 Main Street, Town Office Building
West Newbury, MA

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MINUTES

October 26, 2021 at 4:30pm

BOARD: Robert Janes-Chairman, Thomas Fahey-Member
HEALTH AGENT: Paul Sevigny
ADMIN ASS'T: Jane Krafton
ABSENT: Blake Seale-Member

I. BUSINESS:

- Reviewed September 28, 2021 minutes. **APPROVED 2-0-0**
- Steele Landfill update. The 7 private wells located within the 500 feet of the landfill are now on a three-year testing schedule. Testing the groundwater and the gas line vents are both scheduled to happen within the next couple of weeks. Health Agent will touch base with DPW in regards to cutting the grass one more time this year.
- Covid update. Town website now has a "Covid-19 Update" button on the homepage for residents to access the latest information. Health Agent stated that the Mass. Dept of Education has extended the mask mandate in schools to January 15, 2022. Also, Health Agent is working on possible vaccination clinics for the younger population once vaccination is officially approved.
- J. Krafton request October 28, November 1, 23 & 24 vacation days. **APPROVED 2-0-0**

II. APPOINTMENTS:

- 4:45pm: N/A

III. SEPTIC PLANS:

- Middle Street, #21-25 Jeff Smith, **TABLED**. Well location is in violation of the local well regulations and would need a variance. However, the submitted plans do comply with the local septic regulations. Board members and Health Agent agreed that the well regs need to be updated. Krafton will schedule a public hearing ASAP in order to amend the current well regulations.
- 159 Main Street, #21-29 OP Real Estate LLC, ELS **APPROVED 2-0-0, Tight Tank**

IV. FYI: No Action Needed

- Amendment to the Personnel Policy dated 11/15/21.

Next Meeting November 9, 2021
Meeting adjourned 5:40 pm