



STONEHAM
Board of Health - Health Department
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John Scullin – Chairperson
Dr. Teresa M. Dean, RN, DNP, MS – Co-Chairperson
Carol O’Loughlin -Secretary

Anthony Chui, Health Director

Minutes
Board of Health
April 23, 2024 at 6:30 pm

Attendees:

Secretary Carol O’Loughlin called meeting to order at 6:30 pm. In attendance were Co-Chairperson Terry Dean, Health Director Anthony Chui, Health Inspector Thomas Bilbilian, Public Health Nurse Heidi Gerostergios, Retired Public Health Nurse Margaret Drummey, Tobacco Coordinator Maureen Buzby, Mr. Frank Gould, Administrative Assistants Denise Breen and Rose Sannella.

Special Guest: Abdirahman D Nur, Owner of 4 Lucy Street

First on Discussion: Reorganization of Board of Health Members, Nicotine Free Generation (Stoneham first to adopt) Melrose to follow and seven (7) other communities would like to pursue the Birthday Bylaw. Thank you to Maureen Buzby for all her great work and dedication. Next on topic, Health Inspector’s Report: 4 Lucy Street - complaints from tenants, Correction letter sent out/issues have been corrected/reinspection needed. Housing Code/Homeowner Mr. D Nur living in illegal basement. Montvale Plaza (Chris Collins Management) issues persisting with dumpsters/illegal dumping and infestations/additional dumpsters needed. Food: Richdale, Ailaa, Liberty Bell and Captain Loui/priorities, high risk including infestations and lack of safety manager/Serv Safe qualifications. Rang still with food consultant/repeat inspection and Fusion still under remodeling. Food Revolution/reviewing documentation for two new vendors. Warrant Article for Town Meeting/one day alcohol for day event and one day permit on public property. Lastly, Bodywork applicant regulations and letter sent out for upcoming pool inspections stating that we have implemented \$50.00 reinspection fee.

NURSE’S REPORT

To: Anthony Chui, Director and Board of Health Member
From: Heidi Gerostergios, MSN, RN, PCCN
Re: 2024 Public Health Nurse’s Report – February 20, 2024 – March 26, 2024

- Ongoing training continues in both MIIS and MAVEN.
- Collaborating with the Substance Use Prevention Coordinator on Opioid Overdose Education and Naloxone Distribution (OEND). Date Set for May 13, 2024 for OEND Presentation at the Stoneham’s Library.
- Pending: Walking to local businesses with the Substance Use Prevention Coordinator to provide OEND to store owners. The Stoneham’s Chamber of Commerce is assisting.
- Completed the 2024 state’s rules and regulations camp webinar.

- Contacting local camps to introduce the new PHN and schedule their inspection visit.

Stoneham Confirmed MAVEN cases from 3/27/24-4/23/24:

- ✓ Tuberculosis – 1 , Calicivirus/Norovirus – 1, Yersinia – 1, Hepatitis C-1

MDPH monitors the case counts of the diseases below but does not require follow-up by the LBOH. The number of cases is most likely higher due to community home testing and under reporting to health care providers.

- ✓ Influenza 20 cases.
- ✓ COVID 8 PCR cases.

Stoneham Probable MAVEN cases from 3/27/24-4/23/24:

- ✓ COVID - 1 PCR case.

HEALTH INSPECTOR'S REPORT

Submitted by: Thomas Bilbilian

FOOD:

- Richdale (4 priorities, risk 1) (Ailaa (6) infestations
- Captain Loui (4)
- Liberty Bell (3/4)
- Rang still with food consultant
- Fusion still under remodeling
- Food Rev

HOUSING:

- Montvale Plaza issues persist (dumpsters, dumping and infestations)
- Complaints: Montvale Ave, George St., Danby Rd. and Franklin St.

BODY ART/BODY WORK:

- New micropigmentation permit & establishment
- New body work applicant

POOLS:

- Letter sent
- New fee

Motion made and seconded to accept Nurse's Report for April

Motion made and seconded to accept Health Inspector's Report for April

Motion made and seconded to nominate Frank Gould as Secretary

Motion made and seconded to nominate Terry Dean as Chairperson

Motion made and seconded to nominate Carol O'Loughlin as Vice Chairperson

Motion made and seconded to accept the Reorganization of Board Members is complete

Motion made and seconded to accept the November 21, 2023 Minutes

Motion made and seconded to adjourn at 7:43 pm. Next meeting set for Tuesday, May 21, 2024 at 6:30 pm.

*Please note that these Minutes were taken from written notes. At the time of meeting on 4/23, our voice recorder was not working properly.

Respectfully submitted,
Rose Sannella
Administrative Assistant

