Winchendon Board of Health

109 Front Street Winchendon, MA 01475

Minutes

Regular Meeting Monday January 8, 2024 4th Floor Conference Room

Members Present: Tina Santos, Glenn LaRochelle, Monique Connor

Members Absent: Lionel Cloutier

Others Present: Rose Guitare, MOC Representative

Pledge of Allegiance

Minutes:

Minutes of the December 4, 2023 meeting were presented. Motion to accept minutes Connor/Larochelle 3-0 approved by roll call vote.

85 4th Street:

There is a variance request, however the engineer is not able to attend the meeting. This item will be placed on the March 2024 agenda.

Permits:

Retail Food Permits:

#23107: Nouria Energy Corporation, \$100 fee paid, no notes or violations

#23109: Walgreens, \$100 fee paid, no notes or violations

#23110: Christo's Place, \$100 fee paid, no notes or violations

#23111: A-1 Go Mart, \$100 fee paid, no notes or violations

#23112: Stellar Group LLC, dba Mc Donalds, \$100 fee paid, no notes or violations

#2401: Smith's Country Cheese, \$100 fee paid, no notes or violations

2402: Subway, \$100 fee paid, no notes or violations

2403: CVS, \$100 fee paid, no notes or violations

Motion to approve permits as presented LaRochelle/Connor 3-0 approved by roll call vote.

Tobacco Permits:

T24-01: Nouria Energy Corporation, \$150 fee paid

T24-02: RAB Enterprises, dba Gabby's, \$150 fee paid

T24-03: One Stop Plaza Convenience Store, \$150 fee paid

T24-04: MDHP Corp., dba Mike Mart, \$150 fee paid

T24-05: SKRAJ Inc., dba Williams Package Store. \$150 fee paid

T24-06: Winchendon Wine and Spirits, \$150 fee paid

T24-07: A-1 Go Mart, \$150 fee paid

T24-08: Cumberland Farms, \$150 fee paid

T24-09: Family Dollar, \$150 fee paid

Motion to approve permits as presented LaRochelle/Connor 3-0 approved by roll call vote.

Invoices:

The invoice for Recording Secretary Jenelle Sroczynski for the December 4, 2023 meeting in the amount of \$75.00 was presented. *Motion to approve invoice for Jenelle Sroczynski*, LaRochelle/Connor, 3-0 approved by roll call vote.

New Business:

Ms. Rose Guitare from MOC is in attendance to brief the Board on services offered. MOC now stands for Making Opportunities Happen. MOC services 30 surrounding communities. Programs include youth services, sexual health, mental health, food insecurity, parental support, homelessness, elder services, and fuel assistance. MOC does work closely with Winchendon's CAC for fuel assistance. They are a great resource in the Community and the Board wants to make sure the public is aware of them. Ms. Connor asked if babysitting classes were available, and they are not. She also inquired where shelters are located. They are in Gardner, Westminster, Ayer, and Concord. Mr. Abare would like to coordinate services for the elderly with Winchendon's Senior Center. Mr. LaRochelle asked if there are income requirements for elder programs, and there are eligibility requirements. This information is valuable to the community, and the presentation was greatly appreciated. Flyers will be left at Town Hall for the public.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn Connor/LaRochelle 3-0 approved by roll call vote at 6:30pm.

Vinutes Approved By:

Meeting Adjourned at 6:33 pm.

Respectfully submitted by: Jenelle Sroczynski Board Secretary