

Westhampton Board of Health
Minutes
Meeting of September 6th, 2018
Town Hall Annex
3 South Rd
Westhampton, MA

Present:

Tom P Martin-chair, David Blakesley-member, Valerie Bird- health agent

Others- Amber Kellogg, Michael Kelsey, Barbara Pelissier

Meeting opened at 4:02 PM

Minutes from July meeting unanimously approved.

Amber Kellogg in for sign off on building permit application- signed

Michael Kelsey in to discuss campground inspection as required by DEP. Inspection was completed without BOH knowledge or witness as Town policy requires. VB will contact title 5 inspector to reschedule.

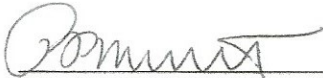
Barbara Pelissier came in with a complaint regarding the spraying of chemicals and health risks on property abutting hers. VB contacted OSHA regarding the spraying. It was suggested Mrs Pelissier contact the Agricultural Commission as Westhampton is a "right to farm" town, and the health risks should be brought to the commissions attention for help and remediation.

VB received a complaint regarding the conditions at 29 Loudville Rd. She will follow up.


The board has concerns regarding 335 NW rd and the issue of someone occupying a garage as a dwelling that may not meet minimum standards of human habitation. No building permits had been obtained to convert a garage into a dwelling. VB will schedule inspection with Tom Quinlan to verify.

Adjourned @ 5:02 PM

Valerie Bird



Tom P Martin



David Blakesley