



THE TOWN OF GRANBY
BOARD OF HEALTH MINUTES
October 27, 2020

The regular meeting of the Granby Board of Health was held by conference call/Zoom and opened at 6:30 pm.

Those present were: Dick Bombardier, Lee Lalonde and Herb Abelson, MD

Those in attendance were: Ed Berry, Filipe Cravo, Mike Rose, Krystal Bernier, Barry Bernier, Jeff Rule, Steve Cayer, Nancy Jenks and Ali Jordan-Gagner

1. Board signed the following:
Timesheet for the Clerk and Assistant
Money turnover sheet
Bills for Quill, USPS postage, MHOA dues
Purchasing request was signed for pre-stamped envelopes
Certificate of Compliance for 113 South Street
Certificate of Compliance for 69 West Street
Well permit for 67 South Street
2. The Board reviewed the Title V report for 131 New Ludlow Rd submitted by Greg Everson of Granby Septic Service. The Board received the report as a pass.
3. The Board reviewed the Title V report for 121 Amherst St submitted by Greg Everson of Granby Septic Service. The Board received the report as a pass.
4. The Board reviewed the Title V report for 18 Greenmeadow Ln submitted by Chris Lemek of C. Lemek & Sons. The Board received the report as a pass.
5. Bob Sheehan submitted an application for a disposal system construction permit to replace a d-box and septic tank at 177 Kendall Street. The Board reviewed and approved.
6. Ed Berry submitted an application for a new disposal system construction permit at lot 6 Batchelor St. The plans are for a 3 bedroom home. The Board reviewed the plans. The Board approved the application subject to fill.
7. Filipe Cravo submitted an application for a new disposal system construction permit at the corner of South and East St. The plans are for a 3 bedroom home. The Board reviewed the plans. The Board approved the application subject to fill and a hard copy of the final plans be submitted to the Board.

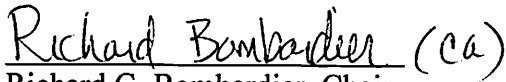
8. Tom Lueu submitted an application for a disposal system construction permit to repair with a complete system replacement at 208 Batchelor St. The review process was not complete. No action was taken.
9. Mike Rose submitted an application for a disposal system construction permit to repair with a complete system replacement at 291 East State St. He also submitted a Local Upgrade Approval for the reduction in separation between the SAS and high ground water from 5 feet to 4 feet. Charlie Kaniecki was the Board's representative. A variance to the Granby regulation of 100' to 70' separation from well to septic tank was requested. The Board reviewed the plans. The Board approved the variance request of 5' to 4' water table separation. The Board also approved the 70' separation from well to septic tank. The Board approved the application subject to receiving the corrected hard copy, fill restrictions and submission of the executed construction /maintenance easement.
10. The Board stated that in order to put an item on the agenda for discussion or set an appointment a written request must be submitted by noon on Friday before the meeting along with a written reason the appointment is being requested.
11. The Board stated that in order to approve a design the design must be completed with all changes, but that making review generated changes after submission of the original, complete design would continue to be acceptable.
12. The Board discussed air ventilation. Dick made a motion, Herb seconded the motion and all were in favor to enact emergency regulations for ventilation as follows:
All permits for new, change of use, significant upgrade, public, commercial or private with employees must include ventilation that will allow minimum air changes of 5 times an hour from fresh air or hepa filters.
13. Krystal Bernier and Barry Bernier were present to discuss turning Something Special Catering into a café. The Board advised them that they needed to submit to the Board the reports from the Building Inspector and the Fire Department. They also need to submit a ventilation report and engineering reports for the septic system.
14. Jeff Rule and Steve Cayer were present to discuss serving food at the American Legion. The Board discussed the ventilation with them. The Board stated that the stove hood might possibly give them what they need for air exchange and they would need a report stating that. They also need to submit engineer drawings of their intended changes to make the American Legion into a restaurant. The Board suggested that they use the Something Special as a template.
15. Andrew Parker was present to discuss the reopening plans for MacDuffie School. The Board discussed ventilation in the gym. Regarding field trips, students should behave in accordance with COVID regulations. The Board voted in favor of going forward with the reopening plan. Andrew Parker will come back with a plan for Thanksgiving break.

16. The Board discussed septic plan reviews. Dick spoke with Sharon Hart. She reviews plans and allows 2 weeks to review. The Board will continue as they are doing but they will continue to search for someone or an engineering company to review plans in the future.
17. Herb stated that he went to Granby Bow and Gun Club on Saturday but there was no event going on, no one was there.
18. The Board discussed sporting events with Nancy Jenks. The school is continuing to practice only while the Town is RED. Granby would have to be in the Red category for three weeks with COVID cases in order to be required to switch to remote. Dick will work on a chart to see if the COVID cases are wide spread. The Board stated that the school could at this point continue to hold practices.
19. The next regular Board of Health meeting will be held on November 10, 2020 via conference call.
20. The Board adjourned the meeting at 8:05 pm.

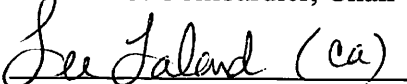
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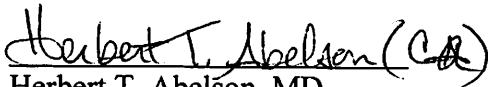
Colleen Aberdale, Board of Health Assistant



Richard G. Bombardier, Chair



Lee Lalonde



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