

MARBLEHEAD BOARD OF HEALTH

MINUTES, August 11, 2022

Present: Chm. Todd Belfbecker, Helaine Hazlett, Joanne Miller, Andrew Petty, Director

Web-based video conferencing meeting of the Board of Health via Zoom.

Meeting called to order at 1:00 pm. The following roll call was taken: Ms. Joanne Miller present; Mrs. Helaine Hazlett, present; Dr. Todd Belfbecker, present.

MOTION to delegate the responses to the Open Meeting Law Complaints filed by Allen Waller and Mark Pelletier on 7/15/22 to town counsel. On a polled vote the Board voted as follows: Ms. Joanne Miller, in favor; Mrs. Helaine Hazlett, in favor; Dr. Todd Belfbecker, in favor.

Andrew discussed the fire that took place at the transfer station in the yard waste area on Monday, August 1st. The fire began after the transfer station was closed for the day approximately 3:40pm – 4pm. Marblehead fire department along with the assistance of the Peabody fire department had the fire under control by 8pm. Mayer Tree Service was called in with heavy equipment to assist. They were on site until 3am and returned at 7am to continue with the cleanup. DEP visited the site on Wednesday, August 10th and stated not concerned about damage to the cap. Helaine commended all the hard work from Andrew, fire department and the transfer station employees. She was grateful that the firefighters were able to contain the fire from spreading to the nearby homes. Andrew concluded by stating he appreciated the cooperation with Mayer Tree Service.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, August 23rd at 7:30pm.

MOTION to close meeting. On a polled vote the Board voted as follows: Ms. Joanne Miller, in favor; Mrs. Helaine Hazlett, in favor; Dr. Todd Belfbecker, in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 1:06 pm.

Andrea Flaxer
Senior Clerk