

## Town of Mendon Board of Health 20 Main St. Mendon Minutes for October 21, 2015

Chairman Andy Fiske called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Present: Tom Fichtner - BOH Member

Not Present: Alan Greenberg, Vice Chairman

Location – Board of Health Office – 20 Main Street, Mendon, MA 01756

The Board met with members of the Parks' Department along with Bruce Stanas and Mike Szczepan of Republic Services, the town's trash & recycling company. Republic, in continuation of their continued support to our community, was there to present a donation of \$1,000.00 to the Parks' Department. Accepting the donation was A.J. Byrne, one of the Parks Commissioners along with Tom Belland, a longtime Mendon coach in various town sports. A formal presentation took place in the Upper Town Hall, which included a photograph. The Parks Department will utilize the money as needed.

The Board met with Max Carbone (BOH Animal Inspector). Max is resigning as Animal Inspector, as he is moving out of Massachusetts and will no longer be able to fulfill his duties. Max turned over all town-related paperwork. Max did inform the Board that he had personally tried to find a replacement who would be interested in the position. However, no one came forward expressing interest as of yet. The Board was tremendously grateful & thankful for Max's service. The Board recognized his admirable performance of his duties. He presented himself with a high level of positive spirit & genuine passion. The Board wished him much success in his future endeavors. The Board directed Missy (Sr. Administrative Assistant) to contact the Board of Selectmen to inform them of Max's resignation to make them aware of the void this will create with regard to certain animal issues that may arise, particularly dog bites.

Tom made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Andy seconds the motion. Both members agreed. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Approved November 18, 2015