



# TOWN OF DIGHTON

Board of Health  
979 Somerset Avenue  
Dighton MA. 02715  
Regular Meeting  
July 30, 2014

## **Call to Order:**

Chairman Thomas Pires called the meeting to order at 6:33 P.M.

## **Present:**

Thomas Pires, Dean Cronin and Patrick Menges

## **Pledge of Allegiance:**

Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited by all.

## **Approval of Minutes:**

Motion Patrick Menges seconded Dean V. Cronin to approve the regular meeting minutes of July 16, 2014 as prepared by the Administrative Assistant of the Board of Health.

All in Favor

Aye

Motion carries

## **Correspondence:**

Thomas Pires read the "Whole Foods Market" Recalls.

Dean Cronin read the "T.Y.X. Companies" Recalls

Patrick Menges read the "Tasty Peach Slices" Recalls

**Chairman Thomas Pires recommended anyone worried about the Ebola outbreak should visit the [cdc.gov](http://cdc.gov) for all relevant information.**

## **Announcements:**

The announcements were read.

## **Old Business:**

**Tobacco 21 Campaign:** There was a brief discussion about the initiative to raise the legal smoking age to 21. A letter from the Bristol County Tobacco coordinator, Marilyn Edge was read and it was announced that at the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Dighton Board of Health, August 13,

2104, the Board would consider and act upon written input from area businesses that hold Tobacco and Nicotine Delivery Sales permits.

**Inspectors Reports:**

**Health Inspector, Kevin Bernardo:** stated that new Food Permits are now being issued and inspections will resume after the first of August.

**Building Commissioner, James Aguiar:** stated there are a couple properties in Town that he currently has concerns with:

**400 Lincoln Ave:** The Carriage House is in disrepair and if not repaired by the new owner the building will need to be razed. The commissioner asked the Board to consider allowing the highway Department to mow the lawn and remove the trash and debris. It was noted that the power and gas to the property have been cut.

**2022 Somerset Avenue:** The Building Commissioner explained that he has tried to gain entrance to the property and could not. It was noted that the animals and trailer were back on the property. He respectfully requested that a warrant be issued to gain access to the property so that a cease and desist for unloading sewerage could be issued.

**Motion Patrick Menges seconded, Dean Cronin to have town Counsel apply for a Contempt Citation for Violation of Court Order that required him to remove the trailer.**

**Public Input: None**

**Motion Dean Cronin seconded Patrick Menges to adjourn the meeting at 6:54 P.M.**

Respectfully Submitted  
Rosalind Grassie

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**Thomas J. Pires**  
Chairman

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**Dean V. Cronin**

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**Patrick W. Menges**