

**TOWN OF DIGHTON
BOARD OF HEALTH
DECEMBER 4, 2013**

Chairman Thomas J. Pires called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM.

Present: Thomas J. Pires, Dean V. Cronin and Patrick W. Menges

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Approval of Minutes

Motion: Dean V. Cronin, seconded: Patrick W. Menges VOTED to approve the meeting minutes of November 20, 2013 – Regular Meeting.

Vote: UNANIMOUS

Correspondence

The Board read food recalls from Jayone Foods and Intevation Food Group.

Announcements were read.

Review/Discuss/Act: Title V Betterment Loan Application Demello, 1515 Cedar Street

The Board received and reviewed the Title V Betterment Loan Application for Demello, 1515 Cedar Street. It was noted that an additional extension to the Order to Correct a failed septic system that was issued on August 1, 2013 to David Demello, 1515 Cedar Street will be required due to weather and obtaining an installer. Motion: Dean V. Cronin, seconded: Patrick W. Menges VOTED to approve the Title V Betterment Loan Application for Demello, 1515 Cedar Street.

Vote: UNANIMOUS

Motion: Dean V. Cronin, seconded: Patrick W. Menges VOTED to approve an additional extension to the Order to Correct a failed septic system that was issued on August 1, 2013.

Vote: UNANIMOUS

Tobacco Hearing: E&Z Enterprises, LLC d/b/a Dighton Mobil

On February 21, 2013 and September 13, 2013, E & Z Enterprises, LLC d/b/a Dighton Mobil, 1995 Winthrop Street, North Dighton was found in violation of Dighton Board of Health Regulation Restrict the Sales of Tobacco Product to Minors. The September 13, 2013 sale was the second offense that carried a \$200.00 fine that was paid on October 11, 2013, and a mandatory Hearing with the Dighton Board of Health.

Store Manager Heather Saab and employee Maria Huchel appeared before the Board as representatives of the establishment. It was noted that each sale was made by a different

employee. A verbal warning was given to one employee and the other employee was relieved of his duties for failure to adhere to tobacco sale requirements. The last citation the established received was in 2009.

Marilyn Edge, Director of Tobacco & Alcohol Prevention Collaborative noted that training is not required but is offered. Ms. Saab noted that she will attend the January 9, 2014 training. It was noted, that there is a \$500.00 fine for a third offense and forfeiture of the Tobacco Sales License.

Motion: Patrick W. Menges, seconded: Dean V. Cronin VOTED to continue the hearing to January 22, 2014 pending attendance of the training.

Vote: UNANIMOUS

Inspectors Reports

Board of Health Agent James Aguiar, Jr. noted that restaurant inspections are ongoing.

Board of Health Agent Kevin Bernardo has completed the housing inspections and is finishing the food inspections.

Public Input

The next scheduled meeting will be on December 18, 2013 at 6:30PM.

Motion: Patrick W. Menges, seconded: Dean V. Cronin VOTED to adjourn at 6:55 PM.

Vote: UNANIMOUS

Respectfully submitted,
Boards of Health
Kerrie J Easterday, Administrative Assistant

Approved by:

