**MINUTES
BOARD OF HEALTH
CALLAHAN ROOM, TOWN HALL
September 10, 2018
4:00 P.M.**

**Members present:** Drew Finn, Vice Chair
Alyce Kendrick

**Health Agent:** Edward Fahey

**Also present:** Brittany Miller, Recording Secretary
 Brian Duval, Building Inspector
 Bryan Millard
 Michael Deep
 Alfred Roy III, 215 Dalton Division Rd.

**Members excused/ absent:** Richard O’Brien, Chairman
Edward Gero
Daniel Doyle

Mr. Finn opened the meeting at 4:03 p.m.

**INFORMATIONAL MEETING:**

**Continuing Issues:**

* **Michael Deep Property – Trailer Park Septic System**
Mr. Deep gives background information of their issue: that the sand which did not pass a year ago was denied liability by the sand owner. He and Mr. Millard explained the things delaying their operation – he states that the lawyers’ vacation has put a hold on things lately; as well as the trucking costs being more expensive; however they will now be retrieving the sand replacement themselves. They hope to begin testing each load of sand they pick up from Hinsdale, MA by October 1st. Mr. Fahey recommends temporary fencing around the ponding many are concerned of.
* **215 Dalton Division Rd. Lodging House Inspection**Mr. Duval speaks of his preliminary inspection at 215 Dalton Division. He is still waiting on a report of the fire detector installation, as he hasn’t heard from the owner of the property, Deborah Totillo, yet.
Resident Alfred Roy seeks movement of the matter by attending this meeting and voicing complaints. Mr. Roy states that “there were threatening notes in the bathroom about over-flowing trash”. As well as electricity outage that allegedly lasted 4 days while the owner said it lasted 2 days, causing Mr. Roy to get violently sick when he ate out of his freezer. He adds that the window screens he uses were sliced; and that the building once had a drug overdose. At this point he and the Board are waiting on a court date to push health code violations.

**New Business:**

* **West Nile Virus**Mr. Fahey shares that the state tested positive for West Nile with 6 human cases so far. Discussion on things to do to protect against it include spraying, however we wouldn’t want to this season with the cold weather setting in which naturally keeps mosquitoes away.
* **Mecca Flu**Mr. Finn raises awareness of the Mecca flu epidemic and would like to ask Mr. Doyle further questions about it next meeting. He would like to inquire if our vaccine covers this particular strain. Alyce advises getting the vaccine regardless.

**Adjourn:**The meeting was adjourned at 4:26 p.m.
A.K. made the motion to adjourn, D.F. seconded; this was unanimous.

Respectfully submitted,

Brittany Miller
Recording Secretary

*The next regularly scheduled meeting will be October 8th, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*