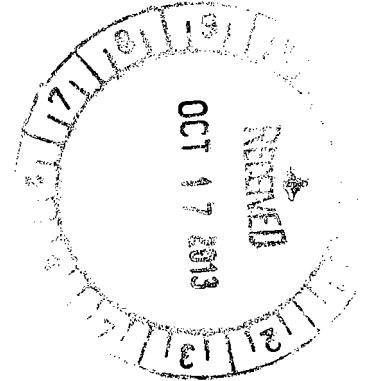




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Minutes of the Meeting April 22, 2013

Present: Keven Desmarais, Maria Ternullo, Lisa Pacheco, Lee Baumgartner, Paul Sadeck,
Chairman

Richard Brown, Town Administrator & Jonathon Silverstein, Town Counsel

Meeting called to order.

Continued hearing regarding Cape Cod Aggregate permit.

Chairman introduced Kate Carvalho and Gerard Martin from the DEP to give the presentation of the well testing that was conducted and the findings.

Mr. Martin explained that they sent out 45 letters to abutters requesting to test their well. Twenty-three homeowners gave permission. The testing of the well water was for the presence of perchlorate. The testing was conducted by looking at the flow of the groundwater and picking the wells that would be most likely effected, they sampled any abutters who requested the test. Monitoring wells located on the quarry site were tested by split sample method. All testing was conducted at the DEP lab. One well was impacted with perchlorate with a concentration of 7. It was retested, and also 14 other wells in the same area were tested. The second tests came back under the limit. Mass DEP is still working on the written final report at this time.

Abutters present: Judith Hannah, 8 Amanda St., Paula Dugan, 168 Bryant St., Berkley, Gerry Lavoie, 1 Leonard Ave. Ed Dugan, 168 Bryant St., Berkley.

Chairman asked if anyone was here regarding this permit and if they had any questions to ask the representatives from DEP. Mr. Martin addressed their questions.

Chairman Sadeck expressed his gratitude for all the hard work Ms. Carvalho and Mr. Martin have done.

Motion made, K. Desmarais to extend the permit to December 31, 2013. Seconded by L. Pacheco. All in favor.

Motion made, K. Desmarais to approve and sign the conditions that have been outlined and agreed upon by all parties. Seconded by, L. Pacheco. All in favor.

Next item on the agenda to approve the minutes for April 26, 2012; May 17, 2012; June 11, 2012. K. Desmarais requested to make changes to the wording of the minutes for April 26th & May 17th.

Motion made, K. Desmarais to approve the minutes of April 26, 2012 with the corrections stated by Mr. Desmarais. Seconded by M. Ternullo. L. Pacheco abstained. Motion carried.

Motion made, K. Desmarais to approve the minutes of May 17, 2012 with the corrections stated by Mr. Desmarais. Seconded by L. Pacheco. All in favor.

Motion made, K. Desmarais to approve the minutes of June 11, 2012. Seconded by L. Pacheco. All in favor.

Motion made, K. Desmarais to approve the Bills Payable. Seconded by M. Ternullo. All in favor.

Discussion of the next meeting date for the spring renewals and the site inspections. Members agreed that on May 11, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. members will meet at the Dunkin Donuts in Assonet and proceed to conduct site inspections. The next meeting will be May 20th, 2013

Motion made, K. Desmarais to adjourn at 6:55 p.m. Seconded by L. Pacheco. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted



Karen J. Robitaille