

PLYMPTON BOARD OF HEALTH	OPEN MEETING NOTES	November 24, 2020	Next Meeting 12/08/20 @ 5:00 PM
Present/Absent	Present/Absent		Place: Deborah Sampson Meeting Room
Chair: Arthur Morin, Jr. P			Guests:
Treasurer: Harry Weikel, Jr. P	Health Agent: Kevin Forgue	A	Chief Steve Silva
Clerk: Brad Cronin P	Administrative Assistant: Cathleen Ferguson	P	Captain Cheryl Davis
			Francis Penney
TOPIC/AGENDA---NAME & ADDRESS			
ASSESSOR'S MAP - BLOCK - LOT	SUBJECT/DISCUSSION	FINDINGS/RECOMMENDATIONS	
Call to Order 5:00 p.m.	Minutes of November 10, 2020	Approved.	
OLD BUSINESS			
Approved Septic Plans			
0 Maple Street (M7-B2-L28)	New Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	
0 Winnetuxet Road (M21-B1-L14A)	New Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	
0 Cedar Street (M15-B1-L9)	New Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed	
12 Brackett Terrace (M22-B1-L29)	Repair of Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	
19 Heather's Path (M24-B1-L20)	New Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	
20 Montello Street (M24-B1-L6)	Upgrade of Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	
165 Palmer Road (M6-B1-L3)	New Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	
122 Main Street (M7-B1-L40)	New Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	
19 Main Street (M4-B3-L6)	New Septic System	Approved plan until 12/23/20.	
72 Prospect Road (M23-B2-L6B)	New Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	
55 Elm Street (M16-B4-L2A)	New Septic System	Plan approved to be installed.	
270 Main Street (M17-B2-L8)	Repair of Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	
96 Lake Street (M2-B1-L10)	Barn bathroom hookup	Plan approved; to be installed.	
40 Lake Street (M2-B2-L22)	Repair of Septic System	Plan approved; to be installed.	

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Approved Plans/Out for Installation		
13 Forest Street (M1-B2-L11)	Repair of Septic System	Waiting for As Built.
64 Prospect Road (M23-B2-L6)	Installation of New Septic System	Waiting for As Built.
68 Prospect Road (M23-B2-L6A)	Installation of New Septic System	Waiting for As Built.
138 Center Street (M11-B2-L14D)	Installation of New Septic System	Waiting for As Built.
Pending Septic Plans		
0 Center Street (M12-B2-L27)	New Septic System	Waiting for plan.
0 West Street (M15-B1-L14)	New Septic System	Waiting for plan
0 Maple Street (M7-B2-L29)	Installation of Septic System	Waiting for plan.
0 Upland Road (M12-B5-L1B)	Installation of Septic System	Waiting for plan.
25 Oak Street (M1-B2-L8)	Upgrade - Replace Septic tank	Waiting for owner to pull permit to upgrade.
0 Elm Street (M17-B1-L11A)	Request for Perc Test	Waiting for plan
36 Parsonage Road (M17-B1-L1)	Repair of Septic system	Waiting for plan
0 Palmer Road (M11-B2-L15)	New Septic System	Waiting for plan
0 West Street (M15-B1-L14)	New Septic System	Waiting for plan.
228 Main Street (M12-B1-L7)	Repair of Septic System	Waiting for plan.
0 Main Street (M12-B1-L8A)	Installation of Septic System	Waiting for plan.
0 Parsonage Road (M17-B4-L12)	Installation of Septic System	Waiting for plan.
0 Center Street (M11-ZB5-L12)	Installation of Septic System	Waiting for plan.
0 West Street (M15-B1-L14A)	Installation of Septic System	Waiting for plan.

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177 Main Street (M12-B4-L11)	Move location and install new septic tank	Received application for permit to abandon current septic tank
		and install new tank in a different location. Board votes 3-0 to
		approve Application # 1267.
OTHER		
<i>Perc Tests</i>		
21 Crescent Street (M12-B3-L6)	Application for Perc Test	
NEW BUSINESS		
19 Main Street (M4-B3-L6)	Owner requests extension of time to install new system.	Owner in to discuss extension of time for septic permit which
		expires December 23, 2020. Zoning Board of Appeals denied
		building permit; owner is revising building permit. Motion made
		and voted 3-0 to extend time for permit for an additional 6
		months (June 23, 2021).
43 West Street (M16-B1-L14)	Illegal apartment and inadequate septic system.	BOH received letter from Building Commissioner that current owner
		has added bedrooms to the garage after being told that this
		building could not be used as a residence. The BOH records
		show that this is a 3 bedroom house with a 3 bedroom system.
		BOH will send letter to owner requesting attendance at
		our next meeting.

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Plympton Library	Request for library activities	BOH received email from Library Director asking
		about new activities. BOH will send letter to Library Director
		recommending that no new activities be scheduled due to the
		current increase in COVID-19 cases.
ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATES	Mail & Bills/Warrants for payment	Reviewed and signed.
	Review of Fee Schedule & Review of I/A Systems	No discussion.
	Administrative Policies and Procedures	No discussion.
	Review of Plympton Title 5 Supplemental Regulations	Health Agent is reviewing changes to regulations.
	Community Paramedicine Program	Fire Chief Silva and Captain Davis appear to update the BOH
		on the status of the Community Paramedicine EMS Program and
		specifically COVID. Fire Department has been able to
		stock up on PPE every couple of weeks. Fire Department is now
		part of MAVEN for infectious disease tracking and contact
		tracing going forward. The Fire Department has also contracted
		with EMS Solutions in Cambridge to do PCR testing in
		Plympton on an as-needed basis (house bound patients) and
		workers in town buildings if an employee tests positive
		to avoid a shutdown of town services. Captain Davis updates
		BOH on MAVEN and Covid-19 contact tracing. Captain Davis
		has been in contact with our CTC person. PFD can do all
		the Covid-19 follow up, except CTC will handle large clusters.
		We will now be able to close out cases on MAVEN and
		update our active cases. Chairman Morin asks that we continue

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		to update in real time the following people:
		Fire Chief, Captain Davis, Police Chief, BOH Chairman, BOH
		Health Agent and BOH Administrative Assistant for COVID
		cases. In the future if the state rolls out a vaccination program
		the Fire Dept. may be involved along with the Emergency
		Dispensing Site we share with Halifax. Paramedics are approved
		by the state to give vaccines.
94 Winnetuxet Road (M20-B2-L1)	Single Family Home with Apartment(s)	Fire Department responded to a call at this address and
		informed the BOH that there appear to be apartments in use
		at this address. Town records show this property is assessed
		as a 3 bedroom house with a 3 bedroom septic system installed
		in 1975, pump records show a 1,000 gallon tank.
		Will send letter to Zoning & Building Departments.
	New Town Building Telephone System	Administrative Assistant shares report on new town building
		phone system. Board agrees to become part of the new system.
41 Crescent Street (M12-B3-L8)	New owner has applied for a building permit for inside work	Town records show this is a 4 bedroom home. As the house was
		built in 1700, there are no records about the current septic
		system. Will ask the Health Agent to follow up.
		Motion made and voted 3-0 to adjourn. Adjourned at 6:44 p.m.