

Minutes

HEALTH and SAFETY COMMITTEE

Wednesday, June 20 @ 2:30 p.m.

Town Office Building

In attendance: C. lino, H. Wright, D. Berry, Don McDougall, J. Clegg, E. Disbrow,
Health Director Maura Esposito

1. The meeting was called to order at 2:32 p.m.
2. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.
3. Howard Wright made a motion, seconded by Jeannette Clegg to approve the minutes of last meeting held March 21, 2012. Vote: all in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.
4. Visitors: Concerning Items on the Agenda (none)
5. Old Business: CPR training: Don McDougall reported that 4 more staff members have been certified. A final training session will be held for additional staff in the coming months.
6. New Business:
 - a. Town Hall Water Quality Update: Director of Health Maura Esposito reported on water quality at Town Hall property. We will be reducing our monitoring of sodium in the water to once a year. We will continue to post warnings in the town buildings, although we are no longer required to do so, owing to the relatively low levels of sodium contamination.
 - b. Statewide Exercise: Don McDougall briefed committee on upcoming Statewide Emergency Response Exercise (July 28th -31st).
7. Chair Comments: Catherine lino reported on the Electrical Safety training provided to town public works crew (and Chester public works). Warren Rogers, from CL&P, gave

an excellent presentation and left 2 DVDs available for staff viewing. Don McDougall added that generator safety is another related topic worthy of promotion. Committee will submit an article to the Killingworth Krier over the summer. Catherine lino also acknowledged the appointment of newest committee member Elizabeth Doyle Disbrow.

8. General Comments: Maura Esposito commented on promoting Cooling Centers to residents during heat waves. Don McDougall reported on status/inventory of AED's.
9. At 3:10, Don Berry moved to adjourn. Harold Wright seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted

Elizabeth Doyle Disbrow

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