

Town of New Marlborough
Board of Health
Monthly meeting
March 10, 2020

The meeting began at 6:00 PM with all members present, Larry Davis, III, Chairman, Jack Bellinger, Member, Jordan Chretien, Member and Scott Macfarland, Agent.

The Chairman called the meeting to order at 6:15 M. Present also were Mrs. Rebecca Schreiber and Mrs Julia Trumbull.

The minutes of the previous meetings were accepted with minor corrections.

The status of the Mill River Store was discussed. The store has reopened on a very limited basis. Mr.Herrick and Agent Macfarland are in discussion about reopening with no-onsite food preparation or service. Prepackaged goods only with all pertaining permits

Mrs. Schreiber and Mrs. Trumbull expressed their concern about the possible marijuana operations. Which would require the use of much water. They worried that that quantity of water would impact the local aquifers on which the town depends ..Also of concern is the quality of the air when the marijuana blossoms. The Planning Board has yet to come up with their draft of a by-law for the proposed marijuana subject. Until the Board has better paramiters; the Board can not make any decision.

One septic permit was issued for Eric Krueger at 88 Farm View Rd. and an upgrade at 563 Canaaan-Southfeld Rd. .

The carona-virus was discussed. The state and local health officials have ben sending and sharing information and guidance with all citizens on how to protect themselves and their families.

The meeting adjourned at 7:20PM

Respectfully submitted,

Pia. G. Bellinger, Sec.