

Town of Lakeville
Board of Health
June 2, 2021

Present were: Chairman Maxim, Member Spratt, and Agent Ed Cullen. Chairman Maxim called the meeting to order at 6:00pm. This was a remote meeting and was recorded by LakeCam.

Local Motion Food Truck - This is a request for a mobile food truck license as well as a residential kitchen license for Kevin and Destiny Smith at 13 Old Powder House Rd. The mobile food truck location will be 350 Bedford Street (Lakeside Landing). Agent Cullen said the food truck license was pretty straight forward and everything checked off. On the residential kitchen license there is a condition that it's mainly used for storage. Assistant Health Inspector Gail Joseph has already inspected the food truck and it's ready for approval. Chairman Maxim asked the food truck owners what their hours of operation would be. The hours of operation will be 11am-7pm five days a week with Sundays and Mondays off.

Upon a motion made by Member Spratt, Chairman Maxim stepped down to second, it was:

Voted: to approve the food establishment license for the mobile food truck at 350 Bedford St., Lakeside Landing.

Unanimous approval.

Chairman Maxim asked Agent Cullen about the residential kitchen. He said that all the paperwork is in and everything checked. Chairman Maxim asked if it would eventually be used for more than storage. Agent Cullen said they would have that option if they choose. Mr. Smith said the kitchen on the truck is pretty equipped so he didn't foresee any cooking needing to be done at the house.

Upon a motion made by Member Spratt, Chairman Maxim stepped down to second, it was:

Voted: to approve the residential kitchen license at 13 Old Powder House Rd.

Unanimous approval.

Recommend to the Board of Selectmen to appoint Edward Cullen as Inspector of Milk for the period of July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022-

Upon a motion made by Member Spratt, Chairman Maxim stepped down to second, it was:

Voted: to recommend to the Board of Selectmen to appoint Edward Cullen as Inspector of Milk for the period of July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022.

Unanimous approval.

Re-appointments of Assistant Board of Health Agents for the period of July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022 - Since Member Poillucci wasn't present, Chairman Maxim thought they should continue all three to the next meeting. Member Spratt asked if the Board of Selectmen had appointed them as special municipal employees so they can have more than one title, they only get paid for one, but they will have more than one title. Agent Cullen said he wasn't sure but would check into this. There was a brief discussion regarding special municipal employees.

Upon a motion made by Member Spratt, Chairman Maxim stepped down to second, it was:

Voted: to continue the re-appointments of Assistant Board of Health Agents for next year to the next meeting which will be June 16th.

Unanimous approval.

Pending Board of Health Agent items - Agent Cullen had no pending items.

Continued discussion regarding water test regulations for septic repair or upgrade - Chairman Maxim said he had asked at the last meeting about trying to wait until the Board met in person and have a public hearing. There was a brief discussion about in person meetings. Chairman Maxim thought that since Member Poillucci was not present they should push the discussion to the meeting on the 16th.

Upon a motion made by Member Spratt, Chairman Maxim stepped down to second, it was:

Voted: to continue the discussion on the water testing regulations for septic repair or upgrade to the next meeting on June 16th.

Unanimous approval.

Review and approve meeting minutes as typed -

- February 3, 2021

Upon a motion made by Member Spratt, Chairman Maxim stepped down to second, it was:

Voted: to approve the Board of Health meeting minutes dated February 3, 2021 as typed.

Unanimous approval.

- 43D Public Hearing Minutes March 18, 2021

Member Spratt said that the Board was not on this meeting, but since the Board of Health had voted at their prior meeting to approve the septic system, he was present at the public hearing to explain it had been approved. He had asked that when the special permit is issued, that they take into account noise. Chairman Maxim said since they weren't at the meeting, he didn't think they need to approve the minutes. Member Spratt said that Member Poillucci was on the meeting at one point because he did make a comment, but it wasn't included in the minutes. Chairman Maxim asked if they could get clarification on this.

Upon a motion made by Member Spratt, Chairman Maxim stepped down to second, it was:

Voted: to continue the 43D public hearing meeting minutes dated March 18, 2021 until the Board's next meeting for further discussion on June 16, 2021.

Unanimous approval.

COVID-19 update - Agent Cullen said overall, Massachusetts is doing very well. The number of cases is dropping. Lakeville was average and is now in the bottom 10 out of 350 communities in Massachusetts. Lakeville has a lower vaccination rate compared to most communities. Massachusetts has an average of about 76% of people over 20 have gotten their first shot, whereas Lakeville is more like 68%, so we're a little behind and it's showing up in the extra cases. The Board encourages everyone, if you know anyone who hasn't been vaccinated, tell them to consult with their doctor to see if it's the right thing for them,

or if they need help getting an appointment, feel free to call the Board of Health or 211. The Board was involved in getting in-home vaccinations a few months ago. At that time, it was difficult criteria for the in-home vaccinations because a lot of people needed them and there was a limited amount of vaccines, that's no longer the case. If someone has trouble leaving their home or getting to an appointment, feel free to call 833-983-0485 or call the Board of Health and we can get you in touch with those people to schedule an in-home vaccination.

Triple E - Agent Cullen said the Plymouth County Mosquito Control has started spraying. They normally spray around 2am to ½-hour before sunrise. Any resident that would like their property sprayed can contact the Plymouth County Mosquito Control. There is a link on the Board of Health website or you can contact us. This is a ground spraying from a pick-up truck, not aerial spraying. They are not doing any aerial spraying right now.

Adjournment (6:27pm) -

Upon a motion made by Member Spratt, Chairman Maxim stepped down to second, it was:

Voted: to adjourn.

Unanimous approval.