

Shutesbury Board of Health
December 6, 2023, 7 pm
Virtual meeting

Present: Catherine Hilton, chair; Wm Levine, Norene Pease, Arleen Read, board members.

Minutes of previous meeting accepted.

56 Wendell Road: no action has been taken by the homeowner on account of ill health.

74 Lake Drive: the Board voted unanimously to authorize Cat to issue the septic system and well permits after review by Claudia and Conservation.

Home burial: Garrett wrote up a summary of his research on this issue and the problems of contradictory or exceptionally onerous requirements. The board agreed that Cat will share this summary with the individual who has inquired about it, explaining that we are not yet in a position to take any action on this request.

The Council on Aging, on behalf of a town resident, has asked the Board of Health for suggestions about obtaining a medical advocates for family members. We do not have any suggestions but Cat will ask Megan Tudryn.

Also Cat will contact JCA regarding the plot plan for the Jewish Cemetery.

Norene reported that she has resigned from the MAPHCO Steering Committee and that Garrett has been elected to replace her.

Norene also said she would send information and links about the foundations course in public health, which is required for everyone in a PHE.

Adjourn 7:35