

Shutesbury Board of Health
July 2, 2025, 7 pm
Virtual meeting

Present: Catherine Hilton, chair; Norene Pease, Arleen Read, Garrett Simonsen, board members; Kathleen Timpson, guest.

Revised minutes of previous meeting accepted.

Kathleen Timpson reported that the building inspector said no permit was needed to put up a shed on a gravel pad. The Timpsons researched the required setbacks and will comply with them.

Other discussion:

The district will meet tomorrow for the first time since Claudia's resignation. Cat has discussed with Megan Tudryn a possible change in the way the collaborative operates, in which member towns could contribute to the collaborative to hire staff. If this is possible, Shutesbury could withdraw from the district through a vote at Annual Town Meeting.

Meanwhile, Cat will update the BOH website to reflect the fact that Claudia is no longer working for us. Noreen suggested that a few paragraphs Cat posted to NextDoor regarding water testing could be added as well.

The owners of 26 Farrar Road requested information about submitting an application for septic system repair. This is holding up a sale so the board may have a brief extra meeting to expedite this once the application is received and reviewed.

Arleen confirmed that Morse Hill camp has met all requirements. Cat will check to see if they got an actual permit from us and issue one if not.

Garrett will represent us at the MAPHCO meeting next week.

Adjourn 7:20