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TOWN OF SOUTHBRIDGE
April 14, 2022 6:00 pm BOH MEETING
VETERAN'S ROOM

Agenda #1- Open Meeting-6:02pm

Agenda #2- Roll Call

E. Stephens
N. Duffey
A. Postale
D. Grabowski

Elyse Stephens
N. Duffey
Daniel Grabowski

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Agenda #3- Accept Meeting Minutes

a. March 10, 2022- Motion made by N. Duffey to accept meeting minutes; 2nd by D.

Grabowski;

Roll Call

E. Stephens-yes
D. Grabowski-yes
N. Duffey-yes

Motion passes 3-1 abstain (A. Postale).

Agenda #4- COVID Update

a. Discuss current status and act on anything thereto- A. Pelletier announces due to the recent Omicron variant, the mask mandates for planes, trains and transits has extended its Federal requirement until May 3, 2022.

The Town of Southbridge is currently at a 3.4 positivity rate and surrounding towns such as Dudley, Webster, Oxford, Sturbridge are between 2.9/3.4 positivity rate while the State is at a 2.95. Small trend heading upwards. A. Pelletier to keep the Board posted with weekly updates. In addition, quarantine periods remain the same: exposure and unvaccinated quarantine is 10 days however, can be released after 5 days with a mask. Exposed fully vaccinated no quarantine however must wear a face covering. If tested positive 5 days quarantine and released with a mask if no symptoms.

Member Duffey questions school status in comparison to surrounding towns. A. Pelletier explains he has not completed any comparison with other schools and unfortunately, the numbers won't be accurate due to the take home rapid tests. A. Pelletier states he will contact other local Boards of Health for information on the status of COVID within their schools and report back for the next meeting. A. Pelletier reports he continues to be in contact with the school's nurse, Karen Checka. School numbers are down and students will be provided COVID tests to take home for the summer.

A. Pelletier also reports the Town has been utilizing the shared services grant with Webster known as CMRPC thus paying the COVID contact tracing nurse and epidemiologist out of the CMRPC grant.

Agenda #12- Adjournment- Motion to adjourn made by A. Postale; 2nd by N. Duffey

Roll Call

A. Postale-yes

D. Grabowski-yes

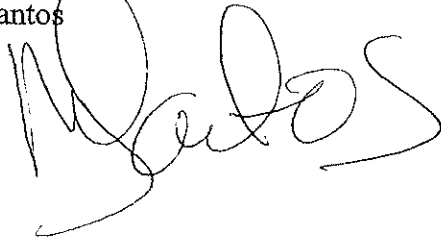
N. Duffey-yes

E. Stephens-yes

Motion passes unanimously of all present. Meeting closed at 6:39pm.

Recording Clerk

M. Santos

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Santos', written in a cursive style.

