

**MINUTES OF THE
MENDHAM BOROUGH BOARD OF HEALTH
April 5, 2017**

CALL TO ORDER:

The regular meeting of the Board of Health of the Borough of Mendham was called to order at the Bowers Building at 7:05 pm.

STATEMENT OF ADEQUATE NOTICE:

“Adequate notice of this meeting of the Board of Health of the Borough of Mendham was posted on the Phoenix House and Bowers Building bulletin board and published in the Observer Tribune. No requests for mailing have been received.”

ATTENDANCE:

Paula D’Amato –Absent	Helen Cleary - Present
Maureen Walker – Present	Penny Andrus - Present
Vanessa Freire — Present	Nathalie Masse-Present

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Mrs. Walker made a motion to approve the minutes for the February 1, 2017 meeting. Mrs. Cleary seconded the motion. The Board all voted in favor.

SANITARIAN’S REPORT:

Ms. Freire, distributed and reviewed the Health Officer’s Report for the month of February and March 2017. A copy is on file in the Board of Health Office. Motion to approve was made by Mrs. Walker, seconded by Mrs. Masse.

OLD BUSINESS:

The Board welcomed Nathalie Masse as our newest member.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Council discussed the Resolution BH: 10:17 that deals with lead evaluation related activities. Ms. Freire reported that there has been a lead poisoning incident in Bernardsville. Through remediation ie, new windows, removal of all old leaded paints, the two year old has shown significant improvement. Ms. Freire was assisted by a Branchburg lead assessor. Bernards Township Board of Health does not employ a certified lead assessor. However, Ms. Freire will be attending a course in December to be certified as a lead assessor. Ms. Freire anticipates that lead poisoning incidents will increase in the future. The blood lead levels have been decreased from 10 to 5. If a person registers a 5 or above, remediation will be required per Resolution BH: 10:17.

The Council reviewed the letter and pictures regarding the malfunctioning septic system at Daytop. A lengthy discussion followed. It was suggested that a time constraint be put on Daytop for making immediate repairs. Ms. Freire assured us that she would follow up to make sure that Daytop has, indeed, begun steps to rectify the health hazard situation. The Borough Council has been made aware of the situation.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no other business, a motion to adjourn at 7:37 was made by Mrs. Walker and seconded by Mrs. Cleary.