

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE STATE RECLAMATION & MOSQUITO CONTROL BOARD



PIONEER VALLEY MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICT

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Commissioners:

Jeanne Galloway - Chair Aimee M. Petrosky Carolyn S. Ness Gregory R. Lewis Merridith A. O'Leary

Meeting Minutes of the Pioneer Valley Mosquito Control District (PVMCD)

Northampton Town Hall

210 Main Street. Northampton, MA 01060 9/4/2019

Attendance:

Jeanne Galloway (Phone), Aimee M. Petrosky, Merridith A. O'Leary, Carolyn S. Ness, Greg Lewis

Visitor joined by phone: Matt Osborne, DPH

DATE: Wednesday, September 4, 2019

TIME: 3:30 PM

LOCATION: 210 Main Street. Northampton, MA 01060

- 1. **Call to Order:** Meeting was called to order at 3:35 by Jeanne Galloway
- 2. Public Comment/Output:
 - a. No public comment
- 3. Approval of meeting minutes (vote required): Carolyn made a motion to approve the meeting min from 7/15/19, 8/12/2019 and 8/13/2019. Merridith Seconded. Roll Call Vote Aimee- Yes, Merridith- Yes, Carolyn Yes, Greg Abstain, Jeanne Abstain. Motion Passed 3-0-2

4. **PVMCD Updates:**

a. Matt Osborne provided the PVMCD members with an overview of this seasons mosquito activity across the state and in Western Mass.

- i. Matt reported there has been 2 positive mosquitos in East Longmeadow
- ii. His team will be focusing on PV for the remainder of the season
- iii. Messaging from the district is especially important because now is the time many residents are outside enjoying the cooler weather.
- b. Greg requested we make a plan addressing our districts response to member communities and communities who are being effected by EEE to explain what the district offers. Specifically:
 - i. Risk Communication
 - ii. Info Sharing
 - iii. PVMCD's Business plan

5. HR updates:

- a. There were no HR updates at this time
- 6. **Date, time and location of next Commission meeting:** September 9, 2019 2 PM-4:00 PM location **Northampton Town Hall.**
- 7. Adjournment: Action Taken: Merridith made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Carolyn Seconded ROLE CALL VOTE Aimee- Yes, Greg- Yes, Jeanne- Yes, Merridith- Yes Carolyn- Yes. Motion passed 5-0 Meeting adjourned at 4:15PM.