

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

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING OF THE PIONEER VALLEY MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICT

DATE: Thursday December 12th, 2019

TIME: 2:00pm

LOCATION: City of Northampton City Hall – Council Chambers 212 Main Street, Northampton, MA 01060

MEETING AGENDA:

- 1. Call to Order and Attendance
 - a Meeting called to order at 2:06pm, quorum established with Jeanne Galloway, Merridith O'Leary, and Gregory Lewis in attendance.
 - b Carolyn Ness joined at 2:30pm
- 2. Public Comment/Output
 - a No public comment.
- 3. Approval of meeting minutes (vote required)
 - a Meeting minutes of 11/18/2019 meeting were distributed. Motion to approve by Merridith, seconded by Gregory. Approved 3-0.
- 4. NMCA Conference Recap
 - a PVMCD Coordinator Christopher Craig discussed his findings from the annual Northeast Mosquito Control Association conference. The

commission and himself discussed the EEE outbreak as it affected other states, invasive species in nearby Connecticut

- 5. PVMCD updates
 - a The commission reviewed towns that have expressed interest in joining the district.
 - b The commission considered setting up a meeting with DPH to talk about the future ISA as well as considered the PVMCD's ability to provide supplemental service.
 - c A proposal was made to produce educational materials to address the concerns of residents in the Pioneer Valley.
 - d The commission decided all interested towns will be directed to the PVMCD Coordinator.
- 6. Budget Updates
 - a The commission discussed budget projections produced by PVMCD Coordinator Chris Craig and discussed ways to improve them and assure their accuracy.

7. Other Business

- a No other business discussed.
- 8. Date, Time, and Location of Next Commission Meeting
 - a Next meeting will be held January 9th, 2020 at 1pm at Northampton City Hall.
- 9. Adjournment
 - a Motion to adjourn by Gregory, seconded by Carolyn, passed 4-0. Meeting adjourned at 3:45pm

Posted: December 9th, 2019