

Byram Township Board of Health Minutes
March 23, 2010

STATEMENT: Accurate notice of this meeting has been published specifying the time and place in compliance with the provisions of the Open Public Meeting Act.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mary Benson, John Cubberly, Ruth Rhodes, Daven Baez, Adolf Steyh, Mimi Toney

ALSO PRESENT: Joan Skillan, Brian Thompson

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: January 26, 2010

	Mary Benson	Emily Crispino	John Cubberly	Ruth Rhodes	Daven Baez	Adolf Steyh	Mimi Toney
By				x			
2nd	x						
Yes			x		x	x	x
No							
Abstain							
Absent		x					

FEE SCHEDULE: January Total to Treasurer \$3680.00
 February Total to Treasurer \$1095.00

DISCUSSIONS:

- 200 feet Notification for Septic Repairs / Replacements Ordinance – Mary Benson wrote up the proposed ordinance. Email was sent to all members on 2/1/10. Cindy will re send the email.
- Careaga Engineering – TWA application is now being processed at the state.
- Forest Lakes Water Company Chairman, Charlie Garland expressed his concerns regarding the Hudson Farm Shooting preserve and the quality of the ground water in Byram Township. The lead shots are leaving lead that will seep into the ground and into the ground water. He explained that once the lead reaches the ground water it will travel approximately 20 inches per year, he estimated that it will definitely affect the quality of the water in Forest Lakes in about 10 to 15 years. He explains that when the lead reaches the water supply in Forest Lakes it will cost them around a million dollars to rectify the problem. He said this is a huge expense and he would like to correct the problem now before they are forced to spend the money to put in the equipment necessary to remove the lead. He was not looking for the BOH to take action; however, wants to voice this concern as well as getting information on other possible avenues to take to stop the lead shots.
- Report(s) from the County. –Joan reported that a complaint came in about 60 Beech Street regarding a failing septic. Went out to inspect and did not find a malfunction. A certificate of compliance was issued for 7 Division Lane West. This property has an alternative system that was installed. NJ Bar and Grill need to install a cement slab under the dumpster, looking to have this completed in April.
- PAC meeting minutes – Mimi reported that FEMA is looking to create a new flood map. The DEP is reviewing the County’s Waste Water Management plan.
- Rabies Clinic Scheduled for Saturday March 27, 2010 from 9-12. Several members of the BOH are planning to volunteer.
- Next Meeting scheduled for April 27, 2010.

ADJORNMENT: There was no further business to discuss; the meeting was adjourned at 8:37pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Cindy Church, Secretary Byram Township Board of Health