

**TOWN OF GROTON**

Board of Health

173 Main Street

Groton, MA 01450

**BOARD OF HEALTH**

Jason Weber, Chairman

Susan Horowitz, Member

Robert J. Fleischer, Member

Date: Thursday, July 23rd, 2020

Time: 11:00 AM

Location: Virtual Meeting via Zoom

Members Present: Jason Weber, Chairman; Robert J. Fleischer, Member; Dr. Susan Horowitz, Member; Ira Grossman, Nashoba Associated Board of Health Agent

Members Absent:

Others Present:

Robert J. Fleischer called the emergency Board of Health meeting to order at 11:01 a.m.

Bob G - No permit needed from Building

Bob F – concerns – selling of animal meats or food or any slaughtering if any is involved

Dealing with animal and food

IG – no sale of any meat at the property; animals slaughtered and processed; how many people

Karim – slaughtering at Adams farm; get their lamb and go home; 1 day; 13 people

Next day – will be at slaughter house to do cow elsewhere

No burning, no cooking, no nothing

Just family; no traffic

Waste removal is usually not an issue

Face masks

Ig – selling meat from house?

50 lambs slaughtered and processed there at the Groton farm

Special lamb, very specific

Where is slaughtering occurring? Nothing outside

How many cars an hour are you expecting? 25 cars in the am / 25 afternoon / prayer is in the morning

Total 50 cars; in and out, get their lamb and leave; only 2 cousins will remain on site

Bob – assigned time?

14 people from 7-9:30am; 10am leave and enter

It will be assigned – the time of arrival

Becky Pine – a lot of people may come bc they know of you and don’t understand rules, guidelines ahead of time – have people be ready to tell them

Mr. Zadaki - No more than 50 lamb

When they call, let them know already that he is not doing a holiday

Can refer to the FB

Can the 2 cousins let the extra people if they do come that they can’t come

Mr z convinced they will not be here; no one will enter otherwise

Becky – controls you put in place do not get overridden during the day; plan for protecting operations

Next Friday – one day; everyone leave by 5PM

14 every 2 hours

They have to go home to prepare for the holiday anyway

No wife or kids allowed

Ig will speak to mr. z directly re nik

Bob G – 1 day and 1 day only; pick up outside and leaving home; backyard – family will be in backyard

Visitors – will wear mask

50 cars – 25 morning / 25 afternoon / spaced out / schedule

Take place inside the barn – nothing outside

No issues from boh or building dept.

Bob F / Susan – all set

**Robert Fleischer moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:34 p.m. Jason Weber seconded and the motion carried.**

Susan 11:24am; bob seconded

Minutes by Sammie Kul.

GD SCHOOL – ZOOM MEETING AT NOON

**BACK TO SCHOOL PLANNING**

3 plans in person

In person or hybrid; not going with all remote

Room closed / building closed / district gets closed

SAFETY OFFICERS –

Less than 40% of parents will let students take the bus

Main St. campus and Swallow Union for drop off and pickup

Bus will drop off at location closest to the door where the classroom is; 3 or 5 different doors

20% of the parents said they will not be sending their kids back to school

Someone needs to be out on Main St.

Increase in amount of cars

MS SOUTH – parents drive around the school

Stopping at the door this time

Will get # of expected students

Same thing will happen at Boutwell

Hollis st side and the back

8/7/2020 – when parents to let them know whether their kids are coming back and whether they’re using transportation

Discussed alarm system

Inspections

Have Fire Dept come out before furniture is moved

Availability of testing?

If student can’t get a test; 14 days

ANITA FROM DUNSTABLE - Ma.gov website – 8/14 – in the area Lowell – cost free

Dr. C – frequency of positive cases – on state website

# of local cases? What decision should be made?

Maria – dunstable – can jim reach out to Dr. C

Room closed? School closed? Mitigation

Reach out to NABH – best way to do communication

Age demographics / fatalities – ASK JIM AT NASHOBA

HIPPA concerns

Decision is made based on data – what metrix will be used to make dr. c’s decision

Who should she communicate cases to at NABH?

Flu shot clinic – NABH

8/7/2020 – four weeks out