

Meeting #2 4-16-2020

Minutes of the Dover Board of Health Meeting - April 16, 2020

Participating in the zoom meeting:

Professor Gerald Clarke, Chairman; Stephen Kruskall, M.D., member; Kay Petersen, M.D., member

1. Meeting called to order 11:25 am.
2. Dr. Kruskall expressed concern that his effectiveness and that of the Board in general is being compromised due to possible limited participation as a result of the open meeting law.
3. Professor Clarke stated that the Town Administrator has asked for the use of \$10,000 in available funds from the Water Study ATM article for a consultant to help negotiate a new contract between the Town and Colonial Water Company.
4. The Board will ask for accounting records to verify what funds still remain from the water study.
5. Professor Clarke presented a history of water issues in the town from the 1970's to the present.
6. A discussion of current water issues took place, with the focus on the lack of a reserve fund for maintenance of the town owned water system and the current discount rate for use of the town's water pipes by Colonial Water.
7. The Board will plan to meet with the Town Administrator to discuss the funding request in more detail.
8. Meeting adjourned at 1:15 pm

Karen R. Hayett