

## **DOVER WATER RESOURCES COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES - MAY 12, 2021**

Held remotely via zoom

**Present:** Professor Gerald Clarke, Chairman; Carol Lisbon, Greg Kahoun, Justine Kent-Uritam, Ron Myrick, members

**Guests:** Kay Petersen, M.D., Robert Zockoff

1. Meeting called to order 9:00 am
2. Justine made a motion seconded by Ron to approve the meeting minutes of April 14, 2021 as submitted. The motion passed unanimously.
3. Justine reported that the state has now declared a mild drought in the western region and normal conditions in the northeast and southeast regions.
4. Gerald stated that Dover is essentially a micro climate and there is a need to create a weather reporting system for the town. He suggested purchasing approximately a dozen solar powered weather data collection devices to record climate data. They could be purchased from the state and set up at various locations throughout town.
5. After a discussion of the potential benefits and cost, Carol made a motion seconded by Greg to recommend to the Board of Health that it purchase a number of WeatherFlow Tempest Weather System devices and rain gauges for a sum not to exceed \$4000 dollars. The motion passed unanimously.
6. Bob reported that PFAS found in Natick Water was not from the Elm Bank wells. Dover residents who are served by Natick get their water from Elm Bank.
7. Greg Informed the committee that he and Gerald had met with Chris Dwelley and Dave Sullivan to discuss budgeting requirements and procedures for the acquisition of a GIS program with greater capacity. He was informed at that meeting that the town has decided to retain a consultant and that the Water Resources Committee will not have its own license.
8. At 10:12 am it was moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved unanimously.