

MARBLEHEAD BOARD OF HEALTH

MINUTES, February 11, 2022

Present: Chm. Todd Belfbecker, Helaine Hazlett, Joanne Miller, Andrew Petty, Director

Web-based video conferencing meeting of the Board of Health via Zoom.

Meeting called to order at 1:00pm. The following roll call was taken: Ms. Joanne Miller, present; Mrs. Helaine Hazlett, present; Dr. Todd Belfbecker, present.

Andrew reported that there are currently 120 active cases of COVID-19.

The cases per age group are as follows:

15- 0-4yrs of age	24- 50-59yrs of age
14- 5-11yrs of age	18- 60-69yrs of age
8- 12-19yrs of age	4- 70-79yrs of age
9- 20-29yrs of age	0- 80yrs+of age
10- 30-39yrs of age	
18- 40-49yrs of age	

Andrew read aloud a letter from Dr. David J. Roberts, MD, President of North Shore Medical Center

The following towns have lifted the mask mandate:

Beverly 2/2/22
Manchester 2/3/22
Saugus 2/7/22
Salem 2/8/22
Swampscott 2/8/22 extended to 2/21/22
Lynn 2/9/22
Hamilton 2/9/22
Danvers 2/10/22
Newburyport 1/25/22 extended to 2/24/22
Peabody 2/11/22

MOTION to rescind Town of Marblehead mask mandate as of 12:00am February 12, 2022. On a polled vote the Board voted as follows: Mrs. Helaine Hazlett, in favor; Ms. Joanne Miller, in favor; Dr. Todd Belfbecker, in favor.

MOTION to make a recommendation to wear a mask in a public building through March 8, 2022. On a polled vote the Board voted as follows: Ms. Joanne Miller, in favor; Mrs. Helaine Hazlett, in favor; Dr. Todd Belfbecker, in favor.

Todd opened the meeting to the public comment period on the mask mandate. The following citizens offered comments:

Will Monks – 1 Arlyn Road
Tom McMahon – 1 Gregory Street
Kevin McKernan – 24 Foster Street

Kim Crowley – 21 Roosevelt Avenue

Helaine thanked the community for their patience and respectfulness. Todd concluded by stating that the Board made the right decision having the mask mandate.

MOTION to close meeting. On a polled vote the Board voted as follows: Ms. Helaine Hazlett, in favor; Ms. Joanne Miller, in favor; Dr. Todd Belfbecker, in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 1:34 pm.

Andrea Flaxer
Senior Clerk

List of documents used:
Letter – Dr. Roberts