

**MINUTES OF THE LIVESTOCK SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING
December 5, 2019**

PRESENT: Robert DeMarzo (Chair), Paige Graziano (Co-Chair), Elizabeth Bailey, Patrick Roll, Jason Ramsdell, Andrea Kelley and Stephen LeBlanc.

Chair DeMarzo opened the meeting at 6:00 PM

Committee Action Item – Discuss and vote organization of the Subcommittee

The Subcommittee organized officers and voted Robert DeMarzo as Chair, Paige Graziano as Vice-Chair and Robert Adams as Clerk.

Committee Action Item – Review Existing Livestock Regulations

The group started reviewing the regulations. Early discussion indicates the following changes may be in order:

1. General Section C- 24 hour notice should be given to the livestock owner of an inspection unless there has been a complaint or knowledge of unsafe or unhealthy conditions. Language that inspections are typically done November 1 to December 31.
2. The permit application shall notify the applicant that selling eggs requires testing
3. Signs for eggs for sale shall have a permit number on it.
4. Section J: delete “by the Town Health Inspector” and add “by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts inspector.”

There was discussion about additional future areas of research such as lot size vs. setbacks vs. types of livestock. The Health Agent has additional information.

Robert DeMarzo
Chair