

**Minutes of**  
**Board of Health's LIVESTOCK COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**19DEC2020**

1. Review of last meeting's minutes
  - a. Discussion of the committee's deliberative process
  - b. Minutes approved
2. Review & Discussion of existing livestock regulations in Town @ Board of Health Office
  - a. Buildings
  - b. Discussion of Setbacks from lot's boundaries, cesspool, wetlands
    - i. Schematics of different lot sizes
    - ii. Existing Zoning Laws of Pembroke
    - iii. Setbacks from lot's boundaries, cesspool, house, and other bodies
    - iv. Quantities and types of livestock possible in different scenarios
    - v. Nature of contemporary violations and complaints
    - vi. Bees and rarer livestock
    - vii. Fences and paddocks
3. Continuation of Discussion (#2) @ Upstairs Meeting Room
  - a. Fencing
    - i. Types of fences for different livestock
      1. Importance of knowing implications of proposed bylaws
        - a. Respecting abutters' rights
        - b. Right To Farm
    - ii. Grandfathering
      1. Enabled via existing Town permit ?
    - iii. State Laws
      1. Viral contaminations, other situations
    - iv. Lot Sizes
      1. General examples of existing farming operations in Town
      2. Abutter Complaints with regard to lot sizes
    - v. How to formulate and record proposal with regard to Animal Containment
      1. Setbacks and other ideas of wording
      2. Existing Farms
  - b. Definition of Farming
    - i. 61A State Exempt Farming
      1. Minimum acreage
  - c. Poultry
    - i. Kinds to be noted
      1. Guinea Hens
      2. Peacocks
    - ii. State minimum sizes regulated for Housing & Runs

1. Cubic feet per bird in housing
    2. Run size
  - iii. Roosters
    1. Uses
      - a. Breeding
      - b. Protection
    2. Noise Complaints
    3. Other Town Regulations
      - a. To be researched
  - iv. Non-Domesticated Water Fowl
    1. Bylaws
4. New Business
  - a. Public Forums & Surveys
    - i. Ideas
    - ii. Topics
5. Future Meetings
  - a. Thursday 09JAN2020
  - b. Every two weeks
6. Meeting Adjourned