



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
STATE RECLAMATION AND MOSQUITO CONTROL BOARD



PIONEER VALLEY MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICT

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Notice of a Public Meeting of the Pioneer Valley Mosquito Control District Commission

Date: Monday, June 14th 2021

Time: 2:00pm

Location: Virtual (due to the COVID-19 Pandemic) – Public welcome to join at: meet.google.com/spu-exsp-saz or by phone at: +1 475-441-4602 (PIN: 380624426)

1. Call to Order and Attendance
 - a Meeting opened at 2:00pm.
 - b Aimee Petrosky, Greg Lewis, Jeanne Galloway, and Carolyn Ness in attendance. PVMCD Coordinator Chris Craig in attendance.
 - c Aimee assumed the role of chair for this meeting.
2. Public Comment/Output
 - a No public comment.
3. Approval of meeting minutes (vote required)
 - a Motion to approve the previous meeting’s minutes by Jeanne with a second from Greg. Passed 3-0.
4. June 2021 Surveillance Updates
 - a Chris provided updates regarding the beginning of 2021 surveillance season. Operations were continuing as planned with few obstacles and mosquito catches were being sent to DPH.
5. Earmark Letter Discussion
 - a The process of writing an earmark letter was a topic of discussion in response to the growing need for funds for financially restricted towns and PVMCD one-time expenditures. The completion of a letter draft is planned to be ready for the July meeting.
6. Other Business

- a The issue of towns voting to join the PVMCD at a \$3000 price point was discussed and what service may be provided at that price.
 - b The commission discussed the future of delegating work between commissioners equitably as well as potential solutions for collaborating on projects in meetings.
- 7. Date, Time, and Location of Next Commission Meeting
 - a Next meeting will be held on 7/12/21 at 2pm virtually.
- 8. Adjournment
 - a Motion adjourn by Greg, second by Carolyn. Passed 4-0.