



Nashoba Associated Boards of Health

Serving the towns of Ashburnham, Ashby, Ayer, Berlin, Bolton, Boxborough, Dunstable, Groton, Harvard, Lancaster, Littleton, Lunenburg, Pepperell, Shirley, Stow, Townsend, and the community of Devens, in partnership with your local elected Board of Health.

The Environmental Division enforces State Sanitary and Environmental Codes, Massachusetts General Laws, and local regulations. The staff of this Division work directly with the local elected Boards of Health in the sixteen towns of Nashoba's region, and with the general public to ensure environmental and public health concerns are addressed. They consult with, advise and carry out the day-to-day work on behalf of the local Boards of Health. Additionally, the staff is available in the Town Hall of member communities and at the office in Ayer to assist the public with questions or concerns they may have.

CONTACT:

- ◆ **Jim Garreffo, RS, CHO; Director of Public Health**
jgarreffo@nashoba.org
978-772-3335, ex. 305
Board of Health Agent/ District Sanitarian for Boxborough, Littleton, Lunenburg, Harvard, & Stow
- ◆ **Ira Grossman, RS**
978-772-3335, ex. 306
Board of Health Agent/District Sanitarian for Groton
- ◆ **Bill Brookings, RS**
978-772-3335 ex. 304
Board of Health Agent/District Sanitarian for Berlin, Bolton, Lancaster & Stow
- ◆ **Bridgette Braley, RS**
978-772-3335 ex. 303
Senior Food Inspector, Board of Health Agent/District Sanitarian for Ayer, Shirley and Dunstable
- ◆ **Kalene Gendron, RS**
978-772-3335 ex. 308
Board of Health Agent/ District Sanitarian for Pepperell and Stow
- ◆ **Rick Metcalf, RS**
978-772-3335 ex. 307
Board of Health Agent/ District Sanitarian for Ashburnham, Ashby, & Townsend

HOURS: Monday-Friday 8-4:30

WHAT SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE?

- Consultation regarding State Sanitary and Environmental Codes, Massachusetts General Laws (housing, sewage disposal systems, restaurants/food service establishments, public pools, bathing beaches, rabies, etc.), and local regulations (wells, rubbish haulers, etc.)
- Enforcement of State Sanitary and Environmental Codes, Massachusetts General Laws, and local regulations as above
- Applications and permitting: see <https://www.nashoba.org/forms>.

WHEN TO CONTACT THE ENVIRONMENTAL DIVISION/ YOUR TOWN HEALTH AGENT?

- If you have questions or concerns about pools, drinking water, wells, septic, bathing beaches, camps, rabies, mosquitoes, ticks, sharps disposal, hazardous waste, stable permits/manure management, solid waste management, complaints about air quality/odor, nuisance control/noisome trades, the safety of a dwelling, food safety or food service establishments within Nashoba's sixteen-town region.

Updated Sept. 2022