

**BOROUGH OF MOUNT ARLINGTON
BOARD OF HEALTH
Regular Meeting Minutes
November 18, 2019
6:30 PM**

1. Call Meeting to Order

In Mrs. O'Reilly-Stanzilis absence, Mrs. Tuorinsky called the November 18, 2019 Board of Health meeting to order at 6:30PM.

2. Adequate Notice of this meeting was advertised in the Daily Record and the Roxbury Register. Notice is posted on the Bulletin Board in the Lobby of the Borough Hall.

3. Flag Salute

Mrs. Tuorinsky led the flag salute.

4. Roll Call

Beth BaRoss, Linda Tuorinsky, Roy Morance and Ken Kappy were present as was Derrick Webb. Sheila Studint, Laura O'Reilly-Stanzilis, Patti DiGeronimo, and Andrew Cangiano were absent

5. Presentations

A. None

6. Approval of Minutes

A. September 9, 2019 Regular Meeting Minutes

Motion to Approve: Mr. Kappy

Second: Mr. Morance

All in Favor: Aye

None Opposed

Motion Approved

7. Approval of Sanitarian's and Nursing Report

A. September and October 2019

Mr. Webb reviewed the September and October 2019 Sanitarians and Nursing Report. The following highlights were noted:

- On October 6, 2019 a dog bit the owner and the owner's daughter. ACO officer Nelson was able to remove the dog from the home. At the owner's request and expense, the dog was euthanized.

- Mr. Webb reported that on behalf of the NJ Environmental Health Association he attended a NJ Energy Master Plan meeting whose goal is to achieve 100% clean energy use by 2050. One of the issues discussed was the pros and cons of electric cars including the benefits of carbon admissions reductions. Mr. Webb went on to note that one of the issues with electric cars is the availability of charging stations. Unlike the east and west coasts, rural America has few if any charging stations.
- Mr. Webb attended his fifth meeting with the State Health Department committee reviewing the proposed changes to the NJ State Food Code Chapter 24. The committee expects to adopt the FDA Food Code by the end of 2020.
- Mr. Webb was a guest speaker at the Principals of Public Health Course for Rutgers University where he shared his Public Health experience and knowledge.
- Mr. Webb noted two retail food establishment inspections resulted in Conditional Satisfactory ratings. Franks Pizza was cited for housekeeping issues, but has been re-inspected and now has a satisfactory rating. Pizza Express was cited for handling issues, which are more critical, but they have also been re-inspected and have a satisfactory rating.
- A successful pre-operational inspection was performed at The Bagel Place next to the Dollar Tree.
- A complaint was received regarding cleaning supplies in the Quick Check bathrooms. An inspection was performed: cleaning supplies are properly labeled and stored.
- The Child Health Clinic was held: six children attended with two from Mount Arlington.
- Flu Clinics were held during the Mount Arlington Seniors meeting, the Health Fair and at the Senior Living facility. Ninety-one influenza vaccinations were administered. Vaccinations are readily available at Wal Mart and Rite Aid so the numbers of vaccinations administered at our clinic dropped somewhat.
- Mr. Kappy asked about the vaping issues and the status in our area. Mr. Webb reported that we have not had an issue in his jurisdiction. Mr. Webb went on to report the governor has issued recommendation regarding vaping strategies. The Mount Olive Board of Health is working with colleagues to see what they have been doing and what works and what does not work. Some suggestions including banning vaping flavors or banning vaping all together. One thing being considered in Mount Olive is that an E cigarette license must be obtained and the holder of the license may not also have a retail food license. This policy cuts down on the accessibility of vaping products to children. Only a vape shop could distribute vape related products.

Motion to Approve: Mr. Morance

Second: Mrs. Tuorinsky

All in Favor: Aye

None Opposed

Motion Approved

8. Resolutions

A. None

9. Correspondence

- A. Sustainable Jersey Newsletters distributed – Multi Dates
- B. NJ Local Boards of Health Fall Newsletter – November 5, 2019
- C. Vector-borne Report Week 38 as of 09.26.19 – September 27, 2019
- D. Five Sustainability Success Stories – September 3, 2019

The board briefly reviewed the correspondence.

10. New Business

- A. Borough Events
 - i. Tree Lighting December 6, 2019

Mrs. Tuorinsky encouraged all to volunteer to help during the Tree Lighting event on December 6, 2019.

11. Old Business

- A. Rabies Clinic Results

Mrs. Tuorinsky reviewed the November 2, 2019 Rabies Clinic results noting a total of 115 animals were vaccinated including 90 dogs and 25 cats

12. Public Comments

None

13. Board Comments

Mrs. BaRoss reminded the board of the NJLBHA Public Health Awards Dinner being held on December 5, 2019 at Pierre's Restaurant in Monmouth Junction. She encouraged our Board of Health members to attend. Mrs. BaRoss reported that Mrs. O'Reilly-Stanzilis is going to nominate Trevor Weigle for one of the awards.

14. Motion to Adjourn

Motion to Approve: Mr. Kappy
Second: Mrs. BaRoss
All in Favor: Aye
None Opposed
Motion Approved

Beth Dwyer
Board of Health Administrator
Approved: February 10, 2020

CC: website