

ALLENDALE

Minutes of the Board of Health Special Meeting

February 6th, 2020

ROLL CALL: A special meeting of the Allendale Board of Health was held in the Municipal Building on the above date. The meeting was called to order at 8:00 by Nadine Benoit.

The following members were present: Heidi Askin, Marie Crean, Robin Iversen, Christopher Martin (Absent), Linda Morgan, Susan Toran and Nadine Benoit. Also present was our Sanitarian, Kristin Caperino.

Resolution BOH 2020-01 Notice of Dates for 2020 meetings. Motion to approve Marie Crean and seconded by Robin Toran. All called to approve and Resolution BOH#2020-01 passed. Special Meeting was closed

MEETING OPENED TO THE PUBLIC:

-No one came forward

MEETING CLOSED AT 8:10PM

Minutes of the Board of Health Regular Meeting

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The January, 2020 Minutes were accepted with a motion to approve by Susan Toran and seconded by Linda Morgan.

SECRETARY/REGISTRAR'S REPORT:

Adult Health Clinic – No adult residents attended-Next Clinic 3/6/2020
Child Health Clinic - 1 Child attended
Vital Statistics - 1 Marriage, 0 Deaths, 0 Births
Receipts - \$4085 in Retail Food Licenses, \$10 Death Certificates, totaling \$4095

COMMUNICATIONS/CORRESPONDENCE:

West Bergen Mental Health Brochure-Employee Assistance Program
Annual Report of TB Testing in Schools
2020 Well Child Clinic Agreement with The Borough of Waldwick
Annual Immunization Status Report
Free Rabies Clinic for 2021

HEALTH OFFICER/SANITARY REPORTS:

Kristen reported inspection started again in January.

Allendale Corner Cafe changed owners. The new owners voluntarily closed the store to manage a rodent problem in the basement. An exterminator was brought in and the problem seems to be under control. The Café will be re-inspected.

Blimpies was conditional. Excessive old equipment around. They need to keep up with their cleaning routine. Blimpies will be re-inspected.

Allendale Liquor Store had accumulation of garbage outside their store. The owner will be working with property maintenance to clean up the area.

Aunt Deli's had a complaint that someone saw food in the store. Kristen inspected and found only closed beverages and some spices, which will be discarded.

Food Licenses for 2020 were all issued.

OLD BUSINESS:

Free Rabies Clinic 35 dogs and 13 cats were inoculated

NEW BUSINESS:

Robin and Heidi have reports on the USR/A Coalition. Minutes of the Coalition meeting were sent by Robin via email to the Board members. Nadine suggested that Heidi meet with Middle School principals to discuss their possible involvement in the Coalition. Discussions will center around the possibility of hiring a Wellness Counselor to help middle school students cope with their issues.

Bloodborne Pathogen classes are now online. Nadine reached out to Ron Kistner, Allendale's Administrator to find out who is responsible for the cost of the Hep B vaccine.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Information on the Coronavirus. Nadine suggested that the best source of information for our residents is the CDC.gov website. It is up to date and the most informative about what the Coronavirus actually is. We are low risk in this country; however, we are being very proactive with our education and having a plan. Hospitals are being diligent and isolating patients with symptoms. Hand washing is extremely important and so is getting a flu shot. Any questions, refer residents to <https://www.co.bergen.nj.us/departments-and-services/about-health-services>. Nurses there are the experts in this area.

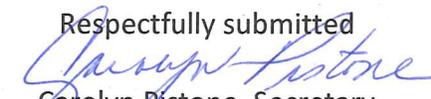
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ADJOURNMENT:

A motion to adjourn was made by Robin Iversen and seconds by Susan Toron. The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted



Carolyn Pistone, Secretary
Allendale Board of Health