

MINUTES OF THE APRIL 22, 2020 BOARD OF HEALTH ZOOM REGULAR MEETING



Call to Order:

The April 22, 2020 Regular Meeting of the Board of Health was called to order at 6:43 pm by Chairperson Colleen Labow.

Open Public Meetings Act Announcement:

The Board Secretary made the following announcement: "According to the Open Public Meetings Act, adequate notice of this meeting has been given to the Daily Record. Notice has been posted in the Municipal Building, 204 Flanders-Drakestown Road, Mount Olive Township, New Jersey and notices were sent to those requesting the same."

Roll Call:

Present: Colleen Labow, Mark Kana, Dr. Abrams, Laura Hawkins, Kathleen Olup and

Absent: Dr. Wallack and Dr. Miccio

The Board Chairperson also recognized the Board of Health Secretary, Michele Doucette; Health Officer, Trevor Weigle; Deputy Director/Assistant Health Officer, Derrick Webb; and Attorney, Peter King.

Review of the Minutes:

The minutes of the February 19, 2020 regular and board meeting were approved on a motion by Mark Kana and second by Laura Hawkins; all members present were in favor.

Written Reports & Correspondence:

None

New Business:

The Health Officer presented the 2019 annual "State of the Health of the Municipality Report". In his report the Health Officer highlighted activities, accomplishments and

statistics from each of the departments divisions. He noted the annual report can be found on the department's website.

The Health Officer updated the Board of Health on the pandemic activities such as Covid-19 contact tracing, a daily conference call with OEM, police, fire and other individuals. He noted five nurses from the school district volunteered to help with the case load. He noted starting today long term facilities by executive order need to report daily positive Covid-19 cases and people of isolation.

Deputy Director/Assistant Health Officer updated the Board of Health on the pandemic activities in the environmental division such as the continuation of septic inspections, multidwelling inspections, responding to complaints, collecting water samples and fulfilling OPRA requests. He noted cat and dog licensing, retail food licensing and recreational bathing licensing are being issued. He noted the vital statistics division, animal control division and senior transportation division are still providing services while maintaining social distancing.

Ordinance on First Reading:

None

Ordinance on Second Reading:

None

Resolutions:

None

Unfinished Business:

None

Legal Business:

None

Public Portion:

None

Board Comments:

None

Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm on a motion by Dr. Abrams and second by Laura Hawkins; all members present were in favor.

Colleen Labow Chairperson

I, Michele Doucette, Mount Olive Township Board of Health Secretary, do hereby certify that the foregoing Minutes are a true and correct copy of the Minutes approved at a legally convened meeting of the Mount Olive Township Board of Health duly held on June 24, 2020.

Michele Doucette Board of Health Secretary