



Hudson Board of Health

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MINUTES

November 15, 2021
5pm
Hudson Town Hall
3rd Floor Conference

Board members: Michael Delfino, Christie Vaillancourt, Cassia Monteiro

1. Preliminaries

- a. Call Meeting to Order – Mr. Delfino called the meeting to order at 5pm.

2. Approval of Minutes from 10.18.2021 - Ms. Vaillancourt made a motion to approve the minutes. Mr. Delfino seconded, Ms. Monteiro abstained. The motion passes 2-0-1.

3. Vouchers to be Approved – Ms. Monteiro made a motion to approve all vouchers as a block. Ms. Vaillancourt seconded the motion and it passed 3-0.

- a. **Public Hearing: Tobacco Compliance Violation** – The owner of Quick Stop, 350 Main Street was unable to attend the hearing due to family emergency. Mr. Delfino motioned to table the hearing until the December meeting. Ms. Monteiro seconded and it passed 3-0.

4. Staffing Update

- a. William Murphy, Regional Public Health Inspector – This is a 19.5 hours/week and Mr. Murphy will start 11/30.

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- b. Menizeh Afridi, Epidemiologist – Ms. Manizeh will start on 1/3/2021.
 - c. Pooja Shelke, Epidemiologist – Ms. Shelke will start on 1/22/2021.
 - d. Public Health Nurse - Currently doing interviews and have narrowed it down to two candidates.
- 5. COVID-19 Update** – A COVID booster clinic was held for teachers and staff on November 10th. November 18th, a clinic will be held at Quinn for kids 5+ and adults. Boosters of Moderna and Phizer available as well as flu vaccines for children. The COVID updates are now monthly vs. weekly.

Adjournment

Mr. Delfino motioned to adjourn the meeting 5:15. Ms. Monteiro seconded
and it passed 3-0

Next Meeting: December 13th at 5:30

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