

Hudson Board of Health

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MINUTES

February 15, 2022 5:30pm Hudson Town Hall 2nd Floor Auditorium

Board members: Michael Delfino, Christie Vaillancourt, Cassia Monteiro

New Business

1. Preliminaries

- a. Call Meeting to Order Mr. Delfino called the meeting to order at 5:30pm.
- Approval of Minutes from 1.18.2022 Ms. Vaillancourt motioned to approve the minutes, Ms. Monteiro seconded the motion and it passed 3-0.
- **3.** Vouchers to be Approved Ms. Monteiro motioned to approve the vouchers, Ms. Vaillancourt seconded the motion and it passed 3-0.
- 4. Tobacco Inspector Ms. Calo informed the Board that Ms. Mishel Caisapanta is a new tobacco inspector that has been added to the region. Ms. Vaillancourt motioned to appoint Ms. Caisapanta as a Tobacco Inspector for the town of Hudson, Ms. Monteiro seconded and it passed 3-0.
- Annual Report Ms. Calo prepared the report and submitted to the Board for review. Ms. Monteiro made a motion to approve the annual report, Ms Vaillancourt seconded the motion and it passed 3-0.
- 6. COVID-19 Update
 - Municipal building mask discussion Ms. Vaillancourt made a motion to end the municipal mask mandate effective immediately, Ms. Monteiro seconded and the motion passed 3-0.

- Municipal-wide mask discussion The Board discussed their opinions of a municipalwide mask mandate. No motion or vote was made.
- c. COVID-19– Ms. Calo informed the Board a clinic was held at Hudson High School on February 12. There were 360 slots available for both pediatric and adult vaccines. Approximately 70 people were vaccinated. Ms. Calo also informed the Board that there were 10 additional cases of COVID the week prior, and in comparison, there were 633 new cases the first week of January.
- Staffing Update Ms. Calo informed the Board three new staff members were hired under two grants. Ms. Calo also informed the Board of her resignation.
 - a. Thalita Campelo: Health Communications Specialist- Start date 3/21/22 (MWHF Grant)
 - b. Edilane Silva: Regional Communication Health Agent- Start date 2/28/22 (MWHF Grant)
 - c. Bailey Iannucci: PT Regional Public Health Nurse- Start date 2/14 (CI/CT Grant)
 - d. Kelli Calo: Director of Public and Community Health- Resignation effective 4/8/2022

Adjournment

Ms. Monteiro made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:46pm, Ms. Vaillancourt seconded and it passed 3-0.

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March 15, 2022