

Hudson Board of Health

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MINUTES

November 1, 2022 5:45 pm Hudson Town Hall 2nd Floor Auditorium

Board Members: Michael Delfino, Cassia Monteiro, Christi Vaillancourt

1. Preliminaries

- a. Call Meeting to Order Ms. Vaillancourt called the meeting to order at 5:46 pm.
- b. **Approval of Minutes from 10.12.2022** Ms. Monteiro motioned to approve the minutes, Ms. Vaillancourt seconded the motion and it passed 2-0. Mr. Delfino abstains from vote as he was not in attendance at 10.12.2022 meeting.
- 2. **Vouchers to be Approved** Mr. Delfino motioned to approve the vouchers, Ms. Vaillancourt seconded the motion and it passed 3-0.
- 3. Vote on Revised RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE PRACTICE OF BODYWORK <u>REGULATION 17-1</u> – Ms. Monteiro motioned to approved revised RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE PRACTICE OF BODYWORK REGULATION 17-1 effective November 2, 2022, contingent upon prospective body work establishment meets with Board of Health. Mr. Delfino seconded the motion and it passed 3-0.

4. Housing Updates:

a. As per the discussion with the Board of Health with regard to 158 Marlboro Street Septic Design, Mr. Poole met with the homeowner of 159 Marlboro Street. He notified him that they would be replacing the septic system at #158 with a new, raised system in the general location of the existing system. Mr. Poole showed homeowner of #159 a copy of the plan and noted that his well was 72 ft from existing pit and the new system would be 85 feet from his well. Based on this discussion, homeowner appeared to be satisfied that the new septic would not be an issue with regard to water quality.

b. Work has begun and possibly completed at 22-24 Lakeside. There have been no complaints or issues at this location.

5. Community Nursing Updates:

- a. We are beginning to report Waste Water data. Wastewater data can also help us track trends in the number of people that have COVID-19 in a community. If the amount of virus in wastewater increases or decreases over several time points, that information shows that cases are either increasing or decreasing in the community. Importantly, wastewater data can provide an early warning about increasing cases since virus will show up in wastewater several days, maybe even a week, before positive test numbers start to increase.
- b. Cases to-date:

• COVID-19: 8 probable, 87 confirmed, 95 in total

Lyme: 2 suspectedHepatitis C: 1 probableTB: 1 ongoing case

6. Past Events:

- a. Two Flu/COVID Clinics, Senior Center and School Personnel. Very successful over 100 vaccinated
- b. Trunk or Treat low turnout but it was the first year.

Adjournment

Ms. Monteiro motioned to adjourn the meeting at 5:58 pm, Mr. Delfino seconded and it passed 3-0.

Next Meeting

Tuesday, December 6th, 2022 at 5:30pm 3rd Floor Conference Room Hudson Town Hall