

Hudson Board of Health

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MINUTES

March 7th, 2023 5:30 pm Hudson Town Hall 3rd Floor Conference Room

Board Members: Michael Delfino, Cassia Monteiro, Christi Vaillancourt

1. Preliminaries

- a. Call Meeting to Order Ms. Vaillancourt called the meeting to order at 5:31 pm.
- b. **Approval of Minutes from 1.10.2023** Mr. Delfino motioned to approve the minutes, Ms. Monteiro seconded the motion and the motion passed 3-0.
- 2. **Vouchers to be Approved** Ms. Vaillancourt motioned to approve the vouchers, Ms. Monteiro seconded the motion and the motion passed 3-0.
- 3. Temescal Wellness Hudson Annual Report:
 - a. Per the Massachusetts Cannabis Control Commission Section 5.12.7, Temescal Wellness submitted to the Health Department an annual report, including copies of all current applicable state licenses for the center and demonstrated continued compliance with the conditions of this special permit.
 - b. We will ensure that *Native Sun Cannabis Dispensary* submits such a report.
 - c. The original contracts are coming to an end and they will be renegotiating.
- 4. Community Nursing Updates:
- a. Covid cases continue to be on the decline. 9 Probable's 38 Confirmed

b. Additional infectious disease numbers

• TB: 2 confirmed

• Influenza: 2 Confirmed

5. Past Events:

- a. We celebrated *February Heart Health Month* by offering multiple blood pressure clinics and giving away heart themed goodies. These clinics took place at Town Hall, Hudson Housing Authority locations (Glenn Road and Brigham Circle). Hudson's Town Nurse also conducts regular monthly blood pressure checks throughout the year at Peter's Grove and the Hudson Senior Center.
- b. February is also *Dental Health Month.* Restoration Smiles: Adult & Pediatric Dentistry was to present at the Hudson Library but this was postponed due to inclement weather. New date TBD.

6. Future Events:

- a. Still waiting for a Physician to sign off so we can place the order for vaccines. We've been approved by the State of Massachusetts and we have proper refrigeration in place to store supply.
- b. The Hudson Town Nurse is planning a Health Fair to take place at Hudson High School on April 4th which will be open to the entire community. Hudson's Social Worker will also be present.
- c. Hudson Health Department is taking part in OLRH Racial Equity 101 Training which is tied into *The Public Health Excellence Grant*. Training is to take place this Wednesday, March 8th. Board Members were invited to take the training as well and Ms. Monteiro offered to attend a future training date.

Adjournment

Ms. Monteiro motioned to adjourn the meeting at 5:48 pm, Ms. Vaillancourt seconded and it passed 3-0.

Next Meeting

Monday, April 3rd 2023 at 5:30pm 3rd Floor Conference Room Hudson Town Hall