

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Health of the Borough of Moonachie is called to order by President M. Cinque via Zoom on October 3, 2022 at 7:35pm.

M. Cinque called for the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

ROLL CALL: M. Cinque, M. Mezzina, L. Martinez, R. Wende-present
Attorney Juan Moran, Maria Schmitt, Health Inspector-present
Councilwoman Karen Surak, Liaison to Mayor and Council – not present

Secretary stated that notice of the meeting was published in The Record on January 19, 2022, posted in the Municipal Building, and on the Borough website that the meeting would be a remote public meeting over Zoom in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act.

MINUTES

Motion by M. Mezzina, second by L. Martinez to adopt the minutes of the September 12, 2022 meeting.

ROLL CALL: Cinque, Mezzina, Martinez, Wende.
All ayes. So ordered.

COMMUNICATIONS

Bergen County Department of Health Services September 2022
Health Consultation Report September 2022
Bergen County Animal Control August 2022
Registrar of Vital Statistics Report September 2022
Motion by R. Wende, second by M. Mezzina to file communications.
ROLL CALL: Cinque, Mezzina, Martinez, Wende.
All ayes. So ordered.

Report from Health Inspector Maria Schmitt:

Maria mentioned that all inspections are done for the year and the final site inspection was finished. The school was checked for the second time this year, and they are using the same vendor for food which is brought to the school for lunches. Most of the complaints on the report have been abated except for 14 Albert Street. She will have to speak to the Building Department/Construction Official about the property maintenance issues and the home is abandoned.
M. Cinque spoke about receiving a call about the flu vaccines the County was giving out was not the senior high dose.
Maria mentioned that the regular flu vaccine is what the State provides the County. Mentioned she can forward the number for the individual in charge of the flu program if there were more questions.

OLD BUSINESS

Board Membership (1 Member, 1 Alternate)

Secretary mentioned that she spoke with C/Surak after the Board meeting last month and she had not heard back from the Mayor about the individual that was interested in joining the Board.

Rabies Clinic: Scheduled for Wed. November 30, 7-8PM, Civic Center

M. Cinque mentioned that the Vet should be called the week of the Clinic as a reminder.

NEW BUSINESS

Attorney Moran mentioned that he will have the Ordinance for the next meeting in November and the second reading/adoption would be in December.

L. Martinez asked about rabid foxes in the area and out during the day. Maria mentioned that if someone sees a sick fox they can contact the Police Department.

PUBLIC HEARING No one wished to be heard.

Motion by L. Martinez, second by R. Wende to close Public Hearing.

ROLL CALL: Cinque, Mezzina, Martinez, Wende.
All ayes. So ordered.

Motion by M. Mezzina, second by L. Martinez to adjourn the meeting at 7:53pm.

ROLL CALL: Cinque, Mezzina, Martinez, Wende.
All ayes. So ordered.

ATTEST:

Jennifer Cooney, Secretary