

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Health of the Borough of Moonachie is called to order by President M. Cinque via Zoom on September 12, 2022 at 7:36pm.

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 adopt the minutes of the June 13, 2022 meeting.

ROLL CALL: Cinque, Mezzina, Martinez, Wende.

All ayes. So ordered.

### COMMUNICATIONS

Bergen County Department of Health Services	June- August 2022
Health Consultation Report	June-August 2022
Bergen County Animal Control	June, July 2022
Registrar of Vital Statistics Report	April - August 2022

Motion by R. Wende, second by L. Martinez to file communications.

ROLL CALL: Cinque, Mezzina, Martinez, Wende.

All ayes. So ordered.

### Report from Health Inspector Maria Schmitt:

Since report 26 Helen Drive was cleaned up, Metro had to cut and clean, they were unable to located tenant. El Tango has done some clean up, need to do more but they are working with Maria. There is 1 site inspection left at Arigato and other locations are done for the year.

M. Cinque asked about El Tango being closed. Maria mentioned that there were closed due to the owner going away and they came back and did some renovations, and left debris. But they have been cooperating with her on cleaning up.

M. Cinque asked about the chickens on Sova Place on the report. Maria mentioned that the chickens and rooster were removed, a neighbor complained about the noise. Moonachie has an ordinance that states chickens are not allowed to be kept.

M. Cinque asked about the pool complaint. Maria mentioned that the issue was resolved and is fine now.

### OLD BUSINESS

Board Membership (1 Member, 1 Alternate)

Secretary mentioned that she did not hear back from the Mayor and Council. There were only meeting once a month over the summer.

Dog Licenses issued: 172 Last year: 184

### NEW BUSINESS

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

Secretary mentioned that the date was confirmed with Dr. Beeber.

Senior Flu Clinic: Scheduled (tentative) for Fri. September 30 12-2PM, Civic Center

M. Cinque asked about the date of the clinic. Secretary mentioned that dates were given to the County and this was the date that they were available. The clinic may have to be moved due to the HVAC Project at the Civic Center. The project has not started yet and there is no start date.

Secretary spoke to the Mayor and will get the date when he receives it from the architect. M. Cinque asked when the next Senior Meeting is. Secretary mentioned that the next meeting is September 21, and the Mayor will let the Seniors know the date and to sign up and that the location may have to be changed to the Municipal Building.

**PUBLIC HEARING** No one wished to be heard.

Motion by M. Mezzina, second by R. Wende to close Public Hearing.

ROLL CALL: Cinque, Mezzina, Martinez, Wende.

All ayes. So ordered.

Motion by L. Martinez, second by M. Mezzina to adjourn the meeting at 7:47pm.

ROLL CALL: Cinque, Mezzina, Martinez, Wende.

All ayes. So ordered.

ATTEST:

Jennifer Cooney, Secretary