Radnor Township Board of Health Meeting Minutes April 19, 2021

Board of Health Members Present: Jane Carabasi, David Simmons, Kathy Durr, Charles Wheeler, Lisa Hamaker, Alex Yannopoulos, Joan Capuzzi

BOC Liaison: Moira Mulroney

Radnor Township Health Officer: Marie Carbonara

Health Inspector:

Student Reps: Soomin Lee, Trisha Priyadarshi

BOH members Absent: none

The meeting (via Zoom) was called to order at 5:30 pm, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes were approved, as corrected, from March 2021 meeting.

I. Health officers report posted to website. Katie Carlomagno, Radnor Twp Health Inspector, has left the township for her new role. Commissioner Mulroney will bring to BOC her position for rehire. The OEM continues to review state and federal guidelines for pandemic related activities. Hosted Radnor Twp activities are reviewed. The township building will opened to the public on March 29. Township staff had been working with Penn Medicine for vaccination.

II. Covid-19 information.

Discussed recent hospitalizations and death rates for COVID-19. Cases have plateaued. Vaccination program is on going in the county. Discussed vaccine hesitant individual groups.

- III. Student Interns, Trisha and Soomin updated the BOH on the status of their project.

 Survey to students is stalled. They were not able to get permission to administer their survey. Trisha and Soomin will complete as much as they can and present to the BOH in June.
- IV. Discussed upcoming formation of Delaware County Health Department. No new updates or actions required at this time. The current BOH will continue to meet the needs of the township residents.
- V. New Business:

- a. Commissioner Mulroney discussed the request to see if any member of the BOH has expertise in working with the township to look at buildings for ADA accessibility. No members are able to offer any expertise.
- b. Discussed the role of BOC liaison to the BOH. Discussed linking OEM activities back to BOH.
- c. Discussed absence of a school district representative to the BOH. Looking to bring in School District information and contacts to BOH.
- d. Will invite speaker to update the BOH on the progress of Delaware County Board of Health activities at May meeting.
- e. Joan Capuzzi will look at BOH mission statement for any enhancements to the document.
- f. Marie asked Joan to also take a look at the Township Animal ordinance, amended in 2013, for any updates.

Announcements: None

Public Participation: None

Please join next Board of Health meeting: Monday May 17, 2021 location TBD