

**Meeting of Montvale Board of Health
Conference Room #1
12 DePiero Drive, Montvale, NJ 07645
June 3, 2024 /Meeting Time: 7:45pm**

President Cohen called the meeting of the Board of Health to order. Adequate notice of the meeting was provided to *The Record* informing the public of the time and place, according to the Provisions of the Open Public Meeting Law (Chapter 231, P.L. 1975). The Sunshine Law is in effect. Meeting Open to the Public.

Roll Call Attendance (P= Present & A= Absent)

MEMBERS	Jan.	March	May	June	Sept.	Nov.	Dec.
Joyce Cohen	P	P	P	P			
Gail Clark	P	P	P	P			
Monica Danna	P	P	P	P			
Joyce Jacobson	P	P	P	P			
Joel Landzberg	P	P	P	P			
Patricia Lennon	P	P	P	P			

Non- Members: Council Liaison Cudequest (P) & Secretary K. Ciborowski (P)

Contracted Professionals:

Gary Dorsi, Northwest Bergen Regional Health Commission Assistant Health Officer (P)
J. Wendolowski, Hackensack Meridian Health Public Health Nurse (P)
Carol Tyler, Tyco Animal Control Services (A)

Meeting dates (meetings start at 7:45PM): January 8, March 4, May 6, June 3, September 9, November 4 & December 2. Attendance is important, if you are unable to attend, please email the Board's President & Secretary.

The meeting information was posted on the website & Sunshine Law is in effect. Meeting open to the public. President Cohen asked for motion open meeting to the public. J. Jacobson made the motion. P. Lennon seconded the motion. All in favor.

President Cohen asked for a motion to approve the May minutes. M. Danna made a motion to approve the minutes and P. Lennon seconded it. The minutes were approved on a roll call vote. The minutes will be posted on Borough website.

Ellen Elias, Executive Vice President of *Community Engagement and Prevention for Children's Aid and Family Services* spoke to the Board regarding the ongoing opioid crisis. She discussed services provided for clients who have an identified opioid use disorder. She further discussed partnerships with law enforcement and hospitals that help support clients and encourage recovery. Bergen County recently passed a resolution to have Narcan available in case of accidental overdose in all Bergen County public buildings. In the future they would like to have Narcan available in private spaces, such as restaurants and stores.

Public Health Nurse J. Wendolowski from HARP presented her report to members. HARP led a hands only CPR class for Borough of Montvale employees and has been invited back in the fall to present the Stop the Bleed class to Borough employees. They are continuing to work with the Senior Center to provide classes for Montvale's seniors. This includes programs regarding stroke awareness and food safety and nutrition.

President Cohen read a letter from the Hillsdale Board of Health thanking Board Member Dr. Joel Landzberg for speaking to their 50+ club regarding heart disease.

President Cohen proposed changing the Board of Health meeting start time from 7:45pm to 7:00pm starting in January of 2025. President Cohen asked for a motion to approve the 7:00pm start time for 2025. J. Landsberg made a motion to approve change of meeting start time and J. Jacobson seconded it. All in favor.

President Cohen confirmed that the flu clinic is scheduled for October 5, 2024 from 9am-10:30am. The rabies clinic is scheduled November 16, 2024 from 9:30am-11am. She emphasized that publicity for these events is very important.

Reports:

NW Bergen Reg. Health Commission Report: G. Dorsi read the May report.

Registrar & Vital Statistics Report- No report

Tyco Animal Control Report- No report

Child Health Conference Report- No report.

Council Liaison Report- T. Cudequest

Adjournment

Meeting closed to the public. A motion to adjourn at 8:45 pm was made by J. Landsberg, second by P. Lennon. All in favor. Meeting adjourned.