



MINUTES OF BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING OF CITY OF CUDAHY	Page 1 of 2	
	Meeting Date - Tuesday:	March 24, 2015
	Held at Health Department:	Library Room
	Address: Cudahy Municipal Building	
	5050 South Lake Drive Cudahy, WI 53110	

ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 5:48 PM by Board Chair Carol Wantuch.

Board of Health Member Attendance	Present	Absent Excused	Absent
Patricia Borkowski	yes		
Lynn Damitz			yes
Katie Gajeski, Health Officer	yes		
Aldersperson Mary Schissel	yes		
Dr. Robert Shampo			yes
Dr. David Sherman, Medical Advisor	yes		
Crystal Silkwood, School Board Member	yes		
Carol Wantuch, Board Chair	yes		
Neal White, Secretary	yes		

Also present: Cheryl Orlando, Public Health Nurse, of the Cudahy Health Department

OPENING STATEMENT

The proper opening statement was read.

APPROVE MINUTES

Moved by Dr. Sherman, seconded by Aldersperson Mary Schissel to approve the minutes of the January 27th, 2015 meeting.
 Motion unanimously carried.

PRESENTATION

Public Health Nurse Chery Orlando presented a very comprehensive plan developed by the Healthiest Cudahy Collaboration (HCC) and the Healthy Growth and Development Task Force.

This plan, its' goals and objectives were outlined by her with emphasis on promoting breastfeeding and providing for Cudahy children, especially those that may have exceptional needs.

Events of interest in the near future:

1. 'Light It Up Blue' for the month of April
2. Presentation by former Green Bay Packer, Leroy Butler, on 'Bullying' at the Cudahy High School on April 27, 2015
3. 'Autism Awareness and Child Development' events taking place in April

In presenting the 'Physical Activity and Nutrition Plan', it was noted that 67% of Cudahy residents identified themselves as being overweight. The goals and objectives are to bring this number down and increase healthy food choices for citizens.

The 'Farmers' Stand' will continue in front of City Hall and the Cudahy Farmers Market will be on Wednesdays in the library parking lot. This information along with other pertinent information will appear in the city newsletter.

Cheryl Orlando informed the Board of Health that immunizations are in the high 90's percentage in the public schools.

She also stated that the Cudahy Lions' Club has donated a new machine for detecting eye problems in very young children at a cost of \$5,000.00 and it is currently being used at Cudahy schools.

Epi-Pens are now available in all schools.



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Diabetes training is being planned for all school staff. Currently there are 7 students with Diabetes.

Katie Gajeski, Health Officer, pointed out that the plans are living documents and will be changing as necessary.

A very commendable presentation was given by Cheryl Orlando.

HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

2014 Annual Report

It is assumed that all Board Members have read the report. No questions were asked.

140 Review

The Cudahy Health Department is still awaiting the report from the State of Wisconsin. This review was completed in December, 2014.

Tuberculosis (TB)

The worksite investigation at ATI (Ladish) has concluded. All results were negative.

Norovirus

Norovirus was discovered in another long-term facility in Cudahy. The Health Department and facility have remained in contact.

Communicable Disease Funding

This is still not being provided by the State. Due to this, no funds are currently available for Local Health Departments.

E-Cigarettes

A letter has been sent to elected officials expressing our opposition to E-Cigarettes.

Retirement

Cudahy Public Health Nurse, Mary Juleen, is retiring as of June 1st, 2015 after 15 years of service. The job has been posted.

Moved by Crystal Silkwood, seconded by Dr. Sherman to accept the Health Officer's report. Motion unanimously carried.

OTHER BUSINESS

Patricia Borkowski reported that St. Luke's South Shore has raised \$40,000.00 to build an exercise area directly across from the hospital on Lake Drive. They will partner with Milwaukee County and the City of Cudahy on this project.

Dr. Sherman inquired of the status of the birth control pamphlet that was being prepared last year. The Health officer will inquire and investigate this pamphlet.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, May 26th, 2015 at 5:45 PM.

ADJOURN

Moved by Alderperson Schissel, seconded by Patricia Borkowski to adjourn at 6:28 PM. Motion unanimously carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Neal White
Neal White, Secretary