

Meeting Minutes: Freehold Township Board of Health

March 10, 2022

Regular Meeting Minutes

Opening

1) Call to Order

The March 10, 2022 regular meeting of the Freehold Township Board of Health was called to order by Vice Chairman, Dr. Fabio Apolito, at 6:32 PM. Board members present included: Lisa Porth, Debbie King, Michael Chudkowski, Dr. Steven Lemberger and Eileen Allen. Absent: Anthony Ammiano, Dr. Alene Opatut, and Chairwoman robin Lemesevski. Also present: Margaret Jahn, Health Officer and Jennifer McAuley, Recording Secretary.

The following statement was read by Dr. Fabio Apolito: "In accordance with the Open Public Meetings Law, c.231, P.L. 1975, this meeting was announced by posting a notice on the bulletin board reserved for that purpose; by mailing such notice to the office of the official newspapers of the Township and by filing such notice with the Township Clerk."

2) Minutes Approval – February 10, 2022

A motion to approve the February 10, 2022 minutes was offered by Lisa Porth, seconded by Eileen Allen, and carried by the Board.

Discussion

3) Freehold Township Covid Report and Updates

Ms. Jahn reviewed the Freehold Township Covid Report, stating that nothing much has changed and there are no cases. The CDC decided that there would be no more universal contact tracing. In fact, they stated that they were adamantly against it and would not do it for this type of disease again. However, the State and schools have decided that they would like to keep contact tracing, reducing the amount of contact tracers down to 200 throughout the state.

4) Permit/Inspection Fees

Ms. Jahn stated that with taking on Manalapan it was time to review and adjust some of the fees associated with anything from Pool permits, to Septic permits, Food Licensing and Inspections, etc. We have not updated these fees for about ten years. She handed out a list of said fees, marking the ones



which would be adjusted upon the approval of the Board. Dr. Apolito made a motion to approve the change in fees, seconded by Mike Chudkowski, and carried by the Board. Ms. Jahn also mentioned she would like to have a permit/inspection fee adopted for Body Art facilities (tattoo parlors, piercings, etc.) since there was never an ordinance put in place for these types of establishments.

5) BOH Dinner

There was a brief discussion regarding the annual Board of Health dinner to take place next month, in place of the Board of Health meeting that would be held on April 14th.

Public Comment

No public comment

Adjournment

With no further business to discuss and no public comment, a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:11 pm was made by Eileen Allen, seconded by Lisa Porth, and carried by the Board.

Jennifer McAuley

Recording Secretary

