HIGHTSTOWN BOARD OF HEALTH

Minutes from June 12, 2024 Meeting

Board Members Present:

John Laudenberger, DM Deb Napolitano Elizabeth Morley Jennifer Bernal Edyth Duffy (Vice President)

Board Members Excused:

Nancy Distelcamp (President) Skye Gilmartin Brenda Seals (alternate)

Staff Present:

Jill Swanson, Health Officer Karen Rogers

Township Council Liaison Joe Cicalese

Staff Excused:

Geetanjali Jain, Public Health Nurse

Call to Order

Vice President Duffy called the June 12, 2024 meeting to order at 7:36 pm.

Sunshine Law

Adequate Notice of this meeting has been provided as required under Chapter 231, P.L. 1975 with notices being sent and posted.

Public Comment

No public was present to comment.

Approval of Minutes

Vice President Duffy asked for approval of May minutes. Member Morley approved. Member Napolitano seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Health Officer's Report

Jill Swanson presented the Health Officer's Report and it was discussed at length.

Karen Rogers, Part-time Public Health Nurse provided an overview of the Scrub Club Handwashing program the Department is providing for infection control education within the school system.

Old Business

No old business was discussed.

New Business

The Health Department received the NJDOH Influenza honor roll award for the 2023-2024 respiratory season. The Outreach team has begun planning work for the next season for flu clinics and education. The 317 program for vaccination of the uninsured adults will be continued. This program provided vaccines for uninsured adults vaccinations for Covid-19 and Influenza.

<u>Adjournment</u> Member Laudenberger made a motion for adjournment. Member Bernal seconded and the motion passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 8:12 pm.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday September 11, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

Jill Swanson Health Officer