

TOWNSHIP OF GREEN BROOK
County of Somerset, State of New Jersey
AGENDA for BOARD OF HEALTH REORGANIZATION AND
REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES
January 28, 2010, 7:30 p.m.

A Regular Business Meeting of the Green Brook Board of Health was held January 28, 2010 at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building, 111 Greenbrook Road.

Secretary Cupit called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

Present on Roll Call were Natalie Farry, Jon Fourre, Bob Longo, Jerry Searfoss, and Health Officer Kevin Sumner and Administrator/Clerk Kelly Cupit were also present.

Ms. Cupit announced that adequate notice of this meeting was posted on the bulletin board in the municipal building, was sent to the newspapers of record and was delivered to persons requesting same as required by law.

Election of Officers

Atul Shah was nominated for the office of President by Jon Fourre, supported by Natalie Farry. Natalie Farry moved to close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Atul Shah for President. Jon Fourre supported the motion. A unanimous ballot was cast for Atul Shah.

Jon Fourre was nominated for the office of Vice President by Natalie Farry, supported by Bob Longo. Natalie Farry moved to close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Jon Fourre as Vice President. Bob Longo supported the motion and a ballot was cast for Jon Fourre, A unanimous ballot was cast for Jon Fourre.

Proposed meeting dates

The Board determined that the 2010 meeting dates would be March 25, May 27, September 23 and December 2 at 7:00pm.

Approval of Minutes

Due to lack of members present to vote on the minutes, the minutes of December 3, 2009 were tabled.

Ms. Cupit gave the Secretary's Report: During the period December 3, 2009 to January 28, 2010 there were 16 deaths, 0 marriages and 1 births, 0 civil unions or domestic partnerships.

New Business

Secretary Cupit elicited nominees as delegates to the Middlebrook Regional Health Commission. Natalie Farry made a motion to keep the slate of delegates the same as 2009, which was seconded by Jerry Searfoss. Jon Fourre and Atul Shah were selected by the Board as Commissioners representing Green Brook, with Bob Longo as Alternate Commissioner.

Mr. Sumner passed out a worksheet with the meeting dates of the entire Commission.

Mr. Sumner gave a brief update of the continuing clinics for H1N1. He reported that the state has seen zero cases of seasonal flu this year. The frequency of the clinics is dropping due to lack of demand. At this point they will be doing 5-10 clinics per month.

Under "Shared Services", Mr. Sumner reports that there is still speculation that Bound Brook is thinking of leaving the Commission. He has some meetings coming up with Bound Brook representatives and hopes to get clarification at that time. Mr. Searfoss mentioned that even if Bound Brook leaves, they have to give a 6 month notice.

The activity reports for the month of December were reviewed and there were questions regarding the cases of pneumonia and the Sunset Diner, both of which were answered by Mr. Sumner.

Cigarville, a new local merchant in town, has received a letter from the Board of Health, indicating that they must cease and desist until they file the proper paperwork (due to permits required for tobacco sale and other requirements for a "sampling" arrangement). Health Officer Sumner will keep the Board informed of this situation as it progresses.

Ms. Cupit asked for public comment and received none.

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m. on motion of Natalie Farry and supported by Bob Longo, all members concurring.

Respectfully submitted,

Kelly G. Cupit