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Board of Health – Meeting Minutes
June 14, 2017

Members:

• Present: Dr. William Doyle (Elected), Chair. (June, 2020)
• Present: Steven Adam. (June, 2019)
• Present: Nicole Zabko, Successor Qualified.
• Present: Tammy Mosher. (June, 2018)

Also Present:
Greg Lewis – Public Health EP Planner FRCOG

1) Meeting Called to Order @ 5:30

2) Emergency Preparation: closed POD’s - Greg Lewis
   - Closed PODS, old agreement was too long and too daunting. Not binding – more of a note:
     GL has talked with Charlene Manor – mutual benefit – will decrease EDS throughout- helps site to not
     have to bring everyone to EDS: Goal to keep people out of EDS.
     FC- long-term care centers that we can tap into- they have medical staff.
     - More partnerships in time of emergency. The better off you are.

   GL- motivation is to make things easier for Greenfield.
   Doyle- drill down; what is assistance from MAPHCO? GL is only staff person.
   Doyle? Tabletop? Why are we not focusing on drills
   GL- I will focus on that; this next fiscal year, there will be a focus on drills; CDC has added assembly drill
   NZ- Flow at Greenfield High School way better than middle school
   GL- public safety is willing partners; meds will be delivered by state; BOH would use EOC to request Medical
   counter measures.
   - People with mobility issues prohibit an efficient EDS
   - People can collect their households
   Doyle- what about shelters?
   GL- Shelter planning happens at multi level, plus outside agencies (ex. Red cross); Regional shelters are now
   standing- up (Greenfield/Montague)
   - Dust of plan – EDS in Fall
   MOA Agreement- if BOH agrees; GL would start outreach to organization.
Charlene Manor; Greenfield Gardens, GHA
-Only thing today – is approval of template
TM- long term care should be 1st to be approached
-Decrease Staff Mobility of folks in rehab
TM- GVN associations, Overlook
Doyle- can you give examples: 1) anthrax 2) bacterial tularemia 3) technology/gene, crisper machine can manipulate genetics
Doyle- Faith in Greg helps with support
SA- Motion to approve PODs MOA with edits
GL- will meet with new director asap and then will come back to BOH with EDS mini-drill timeline
Doyle- wants to visit High School.

3) Cancer incidence DPH report for Greenfield
TM- does it include children?
NZ- I think so, but I will double check
Doyle- Nothing jumps out
- no significant/ outrageous increase in cancer

4) Review of Regulations to Consider

5) Updates
A) NE- TM- Tapestry needs brick and mortar with expenses; BOH very disappointed
Doyle- what they are doing now is bothersome, how is interaction occurring? Follow through? How are assessments happening? Mayor is against; Doyle-Salvation Army property.
B) ---
C) HD- Doyle wants to talk with Board of Health

6) Meeting adjourned at 7:37

Respectfully Submitted,

Approved: BOH Chair Dr. William Doyle

Date

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