

September 15, 2022 7:33 p.m.

The regular meeting of the Board of Health was called to order by Board President Dr. Lincoln at the above time and date. The Compliance Statement as required by the Open Public Meetings Act, P.L. 1975, and Chapter 231 was read by the Board Secretary.

**Roll Call**

**Present:** Dr. Lincoln, Ms. Deppert, Dr. Miller, Ms. Scheulen, Mr. Spies (7:35pm) and Dr. Valas

**Excused:** Ms. Breslow

**Absent:** Dr. Weiss

**Also Present:** Ms. Caperino – Principal Registered Environmental Health Specialist  
Ms. Janeiro – Board Secretary

**Approval of Invoices:** Motion to approve the invoices from May - August 2022 was made by Ms. Scheulen, seconded by Ms. Deppert, and carried by all members.

**Approval of Minutes:** Motion to approve the meeting minutes for the May 19, 2022 meeting was made by Ms. Scheulen, seconded by Dr. Valas, and carried by all members eligible to vote.

**Reports:** The following activity reports are on file in the Borough Board of Health Office.

**REHS Monthly Reports for May – August 2022:** Ms. Caperino went over the submitted report.

Ms. Caperino spoke about the following items....

- All pools were open and closed for the 2022 summer season.
- Not many summer dog bites or rabid animals in Park Ridge.
- We had one issue with a dog bite. A family was watching a friend's dog that lived in Englewood, and it bit their dog. Unfortunately, the dog later passed away from its injuries.
- B& M Market - Opened their outside seating and grill.
- Peppercorns – Food borne outbreak was unfounded.
- Park Ridge Diner – Complaint of bug in food not valid.
- Site inspections will be starting back up this fall.
- Overall it was a quiet summer with complaints.

**Health Consultation Reports:** The Board went over the May - August 2022 reports.

**Animal Control Response Reports:** The Board went over the April - July 2022 reports.

**Dog License Reports:** The Board went over the January - August 2022 reports.

**Council Liaison Report:** Councilwoman Epstein was not in attendance.

**Correspondence:** The Board spoke about the following correspondence.

GTA Environmental Services, Inc. – Park Ridge Delta 122 Kinderkamack Road.

**Old Business:** No old business was discussed.

**New Business:** Dr. Valas inquired about the noise pollution letter received by a resident over the summer. Ms. Janeiro told the Board that the Mayor and Council have looked into this matter.

Ms. Deppert asked if the Board of Health meetings are staying virtual. Dr. Lincoln said, since the meetings are convenient for all, the meetings will stay on zoom for now. Then after the fall this matter can be revisited

**Public Comment:** No members of the public were present.

**Adjournment:** Motion to adjourn was made by Ms. Deppert at 7:44 pm, seconded by Dr. Valas, and carried by all members. The next meeting is scheduled virtually for October 20, 2022 at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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Tonya Tardibuono, BOH Secretary