



Calhoun County Board of Health Meeting Minutes

March 21, 2022

Board of Health

Mark Crawford, Vice-Chair
Vivian Davis
Jeannie Goodrich
Derek King

Health Department

Eric Pessell, Health Officer
Hailey Black
Kevin Green
Victor Jovanovich
Ruth Reese
Brigette Reichenbaugh
Amanda Smith

County

Kelli Scott, County Administrator
Megan Banning, Deputy Controller

Absent

Mary Jo Byrne, Chairperson
Sonja Elder
Rebecca Fleury

Meeting called to order

Crawford called the meeting to order at 9:00am.

Agenda

Davis moved for agenda approval. Goodrich supported. All in favor, motion passed.

Consent Agenda

King moved for approval of the consent agenda. Davis supported. All in favor, motion passed.

Public Comment

No public comment.

Finance Update

Banning presented a financial update. The update included:

- Revenues
- Expenditures
- Budget Committee was selected for FY23

COVID-19 Response Update

Pessell presented a COVID-19 update. The update included summarizing the Health Officer's Report as follows:

- Uptick in variant cases in the UK
- CCPHD will continue to educate and influence those not vaccinated to get vaccinated

- Only two hospitalizations as of today
- The CDC reports that we are now in the Low Risk classification

Health Officer Report

- Exploring option to move the Albion Health Department to the Cram building
 - Hope to increase partnership, expansion, and outreach
- Tick kits were handed out to Board of Health members
 - Environmental Health staff are working with the Boy Scouts to distribute
 - Davis suggested partnering with the South Michigan Food Bank for distributing

Meeting adjourned at 9:17am.

For a copy of the presentation or the Health Officer report, please contact Amanda Smith at 269-969-6477 or via email at asmith@calhouncountymi.gov