

**BOROUGH OF WOODCLIFF LAKE  
BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING MINUTES  
March 19, 2019  
7:30 PM**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Notice of this meeting, in accordance with the "Open Public Meetings Law, 1975, C. "231", was posted at the Borough Hall, and two newspapers, The Record and The Ridgewood News, were notified.

**ROLL CALL**

Josephine Higgins asked for a roll call. Members Josephine Higgins, Michelle Micali, Dr. Mary Clark and Gina Dicostanzo were present. Councilman Corrado Belgiovine, Council Liaison, Board of Health Secretary Debbie Dakin and Linda Quinn were also present. John Frey, Board of Health President, Dr. Steven Sperber, Board of Health Vice President and Ina Palatnek were absent.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

All present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MOTION to approve the Minutes of January 15, 2019 as amended was made by Michelle Micali, second by Gina Dicostanzo and unanimously approved.

**SANITARIAN'S REPORT**

Linda Quinn stated that we are starting up the inspections again in January. Bareburger opened at the Tice Mall. Ms. Quinn stated that she received a call from the Hilton that a customer got a rash after being in the pool. Ms. Quinn visited the Hilton, and everything was fine with the readings of the chemicals. She also checked the logs and they were within the approved levels. The child could have just been sensitive to the chlorine. Linda Quinn stated that the Bristol is looking to switch from a chlorine pool to a salt pool. Dr. Clark asked about chlorine levels in a salt pool and Ms. Quinn replied that they are the same. Josephine Higgins asked what the summons was for regarding Café 123. Linda Quinn replied that they have a lot of cleaning issues and every time she goes there she must give a conditional. This time there were a lot of issues.

The worst thing was that they had tuna fish in a container on the ground and was not on ice. They were also storing items in their hand washing station instead of utilizing it. Ms. Quinn stated that she met with the owner of Café 123 and told him that this cannot continue. There are a lot of repeat violations. Josephine Higgins asked Linda Quinn about 555 Chestnut Ridge Road which references "communicable disease". Ms. Quinn stated that it was a breakout of the flu.

MOTION to approve the Sanitarian's Reports was made by Josephine Higgins, second by Michelle Micali and unanimously approved.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- Cash Receipts Report

Debbie Dakin stated that for the months of January and February we collected \$19,070 for Food Handling licenses and vending machines. There was one marriage license and we took in \$80.00 for transcripts.

Debbie Dakin stated that as of today there have been 387 dog licenses issued and 56 cat licenses issued.

- Various Water Reports

Ms. Higgins went over the water reports and everything seemed to be within range.

- Animal Control Reports

Ms. Higgins went over the Animal Control Reports and there were no questions.

MOTION to approve the Animal Control Reports was made by Michelle Micali, second by Josephine Higgins and unanimously approved.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

Debbie Dakin read a report from Board of Health President John Frey.

- Mayor's Wellness Campaign

Wellness Challenge will again be held as part of the County's CHIP (Community Health Improvement Program). We will again be partnering with Park Ridge. The kick-off event is on Saturday, April 6, 2019 at the Park Ridge train station. The bloodmobile will also be there as we will be requesting blood donations. The Challenge will conclude on Sunday, June 9, 2019 at the Woodcliff lake Run for Education kick-off. Elizabeth Calderone from Parks and Recreation and I

have been meeting weekly with Park Ridge to plan the activities. There will be many businesses providing free or discounted wellness-related services to participants.

- Stigma Free

There will be a meeting at 1:00 PM on Thursday that Elizabeth and I will be attending in Park Ridge to find out more of what Park Ridge is planning and what we could get involved in with this mental health program.

If anyone is interested in these programs, has questions, or wants to get involved, please feel free to contact John Frey.

- Borough Newsletter

The edition coming out in early April will have something about ticks and Lyme disease, the Wellness Challenge, and the monthly screenings we offer. Next newsletter is put together in June, please think of some suggested topics for the summer.

Michelle Micali suggested that we put something in the next newsletter something along the lines of when people get bit by owned dogs. If you get bit, ask the owner of the dog their name, what town they live in and if the dog has its rabies vaccine. There are many people going into the emergency room that were bit by an owned dog. If you get bit by a dog and do not know if they have had their vaccination, you will have to go through the whole series of shots. If people would just ask the owner of the dog for their information, it could have avoided the whole series.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

MOTION to open to the public was made by Josephine Higgins, second by Gina Dicostanzo and unanimously approved.

No comments.

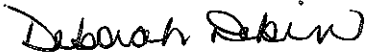
MOTION to close to the public was made by Josephine Higgins, second by Michelle Micali and unanimously approved.

**ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION to adjourn was made by Michelle Micali, second by Gina Dicostanzo and unanimously approved by voice call vote.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Deborah Dakin". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Deborah Dakin, RMC, CMR  
Borough Clerk