Park Ridge Board of Health Minutes Virtual Meeting March 18, 2021 7:30 p.m.

The virtual regular meeting of the Board of Health was called to order by Board President 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 President.

## Roll Call

<u>Present:</u> Dr. Lincoln, Ms. Deppert, Dr. Miller, Dr. Valas, Ms. Breslow, Ms. Scheulen and Mr. Spies

Excused: Dr. Weiss

Also Present: Mr. Gautier – Principal Registered Environmental Health Specialist

Councilwoman Epstein, Council Liaison Ms. Tardibuono – Board Secretary

**Public Comment:** There were no members of the public present.

<u>Invoices:</u> Motion to approve the February 2021 invoices was made by Dr. Valas, seconded by Ms. Scheulen and carried by all members. Ms. Deppert abstained from the vote.

NJLBOHA-2021 \$95.00 Hillsdale Child Health Conference-2021 \$250.00

**Approval of Minutes:** Motion to approve the meeting minutes for the February 18, 2021 meeting was made by Dr. Miller, seconded by Ms. Breslow 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 February 2021**: Mr. Gautier went over the submitted report and discussed the following inspections:

<u>Bagels for Life</u> – Previously received a conditional inspection. Re-inspected and they received a satisfactory inspection.

<u>El Azteca</u> – Received a conditional due to food temperature serving and mouse droppings.

<u>Dollar Tree</u> – Received a conditional due to the conditions of the restroom.

<u>El Tajin Mexican Restaurant</u> – Received their approval to open.

<u>B&M Market</u> – Sewage line issues. The line was replaced and an old seepage pit was found and abandoned.

Ms. Deppert asked Mr. Gautier if he could look into the condition of the Lidl parking lot. Ms. Deppert said there is a lot of debris all over the lot.

Ms. Scheulen asked if there was any guide lines for pools. Mr. Gautier said yes, but the guide lines may change before the pool season begins. Mr. Gautier will forward the pool guidance to Ms. Tardibuono and she will forward to the Board.

Dr. Valas asked about the distribution of the Covid vaccine in our area. Mr. Gautier said New Bridge just distributed their 50,000 vaccination and they are currently receiving 1,200 vaccinations a day. To date, 350,000 people have been vaccinated in the county.

Ms. Scheulen left the meeting at 7:42 pm.

Mr. Gautier commented that there is talk about vaccines for the homebound, but nothing is concrete yet.

**Health Consultation Reports:** The Board went over the submitted February 2021 reports.

<u>Water Reports</u>: Christopher O'Leary – The Board went over the submitted February 2021 Coliform water reports. All levels comply.

<u>Immunization Reports</u>: The Board went over the submitted reports from Lollipop Nursery School.

<u>Department of Health Services Animal Control Responses</u>: The Board went over the March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November and December 2020 reports.

**Council Report:** Council woman Epstein had nothing new to report.

**Correspondence:** No correspondences for February 2021.

**Old Business:** No old business to discuss.

**New Business:** No new Business.

**Public Comment:** There were no members of the public present.

**Adjournment:** Motion to adjourn was made by Dr. Valas at 7:45 pm, seconded by Ms. Deppert and carried by all members. The next meeting is scheduled virtually for April 15, 2021 at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

.....Tonya Tardíbuono......

Tonya Tardibuono, BOH Secretary