

# Muscatine County Board of Health

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William Koellner, Chairman

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Brian Wright

Neva Rettig-Baker

Karen Harper

Dr. Michael Maharry

## MINUTES BOARD OF HEALTH

July 18, 2018

12:00 PM

Muscatine County Chambers/County Administration Building

414 E 3<sup>rd</sup> St

Muscatine, Iowa 52761

Members Present: Bill Koellner, Brian Wright, Michael Maharry  
And Karen Harper

Others Present: Christy Roby Williams, Scott Sauer, Holly Barrett

Visitors Present: Kim Seligman, Vanessa Leza, Vickie Keys-Lydic

Meeting was called to order at 12:00 PM by Koellner.

I. Motion made by Wright to approve minutes from 5/16/2018 meeting. Maharry seconded. All ayes. Motion carried.

II. Koellner request for citizen to speak. None present at the time.

### III. Public Health Report:

- a. Communicable Disease Report- The report was shared with the Board. The 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter's data will be completed at the end of July when June's data is completed.
- b. Cyclospora Infection Advisory in Iowa – Roby Williams to advise the Board with any additional details. If an outbreak would occur, Public Health would assist.
- c. Rabies Prevention Partnership – Roby Williams and Key-Lydic shared with the Board that they have been invited to learn how to partner with animal control. The contact is Nicole Ashby and refers patients to emergency department. Hospital would identify care coordination needs and provide patient education.

### IV. Old Business:

- a. Roby Williams informed the Board that Joint Commission was at the hospital currently. The focus was on VFC vaccine storage and temperature data logger for vaccine freezer. No concerns were noted from the reviewer during the site visit of Public Health.
- b. Koellner discussed Lean Leadership meetings held at Public Health. Public Health has a goal of reaching 25% of the population in the three county areas and exceeded that in 2017. Public Health is evaluating method of tracking the data for 2018.
- c. Community Health Needs Assessment – Roby Williams provided focus group questions to the Board and phone surveys are being provided to community to assess needs in the county. Anticipated needs from Focus Groups to date include drug and alcohol use/treatment, obesity, diabetes and mental health needs.
- d. Koellner asked Public Health about any known updates on fireworks. Roby Williams reported there is no additional information on a change of policy. Wright advised city changed to a limit of use to two days.

V. New Business

- a. Grants to County Well Testing and Plugging Grants – Furnas provided a memo to the Board called Affirmation of Grant Submittal for review. Harper motioned to move to ratify. Maharry seconded. All ayes.
- b. School Dental Audits for 2017-2018 school year – Roby Williams reported off reports submitted to the Iowa Department of Public Health that 90% of records audited were valid as completed by Public Health I-Smile Coordinator, Rikki Hetzler.
- c. Next Board meeting will be on September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 12:00pm.

VI. Koellner motioned to adjourn the meeting at 12:27 pm. Wright motions to approve. Maharry 2nds. All ayes.

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Neva Rettig-Baker, Secretary

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William Koellner, Chairman

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Brian Wright  
Michael Maharry, M.D.  
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