

STARKE COUNTY HEALTH BOARD MEETING

MAY 23, 2024

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: DONNA BAILEY, ANGIE BANKS, CARRIE BENOIT, ANGIE FLAGG, DEB HANSEN

ALSO ATTENDING: FRANK LYNCH

NOT PRESENT: RITA BERGER

MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:30 PM.

MOTION WAS MADE BY CARRIE BENOIT TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES. 2ND BY DEB HANSEN. ALL IN FAVOR, NONE OPPOSED.

STAFF REPORTS WERE DISCUSSED WITH NO ISSUES. INFORMED BOARD OF PT NURSE HIRE AND TRAINING UNDERWAY AND HOW THIS WILL HELP WITH NEW PROGRAMS AND STRENGTHEN OTHERS.

BUDGETS DISCUSSED FOR 2025. MOBILE INTEGRATED HEALTH STILL BEING WORKED ON WITH EMS DIRECTOR AND OTHER FUNDING IDEAS. AEDs TO NJSP SCHOOLS, EQUIPMENT UPGRADES FOR HEADSTART FOR HEARING SCREENING AND HEMOGLOBIN CHECK. INFORMATION IDOH IS REQUIRING FOR THE 2025 BUDGET. VAXCARE EXPLAINED AND DISCUSSED. ADVERTISING FOR IMMUNIZATIONS, FOOD, ETC. HEALTH AND SAFETY FAIR FUNDING DISCUSSED, AS WELL AS OTHER ITEMS.

FOOD INSPECTIONS ARE GOING WELL. HOPING TO INCREASE HEALTH DEPT PRESENCE RELATED TO RETAIL FOOD.

LEAD ASSESSMENT HAS BEGUN WITH ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIALIST.

NEXT MEETING SET FOR JULY 25, 2024

MOTION TO ADJOURN BY ANGIE B., 2ND BY DONNA B.