

WANAQUE BOARD OF HEALTH
November 17, 2010

This is the Regular Meeting of the Wanaque Board of Health held on Wednesday, November 17, 2010, in the Municipal Building, and called to order by President Frank Riccardelli at 7:35 p.m.

President Riccardelli read the following Sunshine Law: THIS IS THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE WANAQUE BOARD OF HEALTH. ADEQUATE NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN AND IT HAS BEEN DULY ADVERTISED BY THE PLACEMENT OF A NOTICE IN BOTH THE HERALD NEWS AND SUBURBAN TRENDS AND A NOTICE HAS BEEN POSTED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE BOROUGH OF WANAQUE.

ROLL CALL

Frank Riccardelli, Linda Shafto, Chris Demetriou answered Roll Call. Laura Stiansen, Alice Beam, Maryanne Vuksanic and Amelia Bertelloni were absent.

ALSO PRESENT

Roy Stanley, REHS

MINUTES

On a motion by Member Shafto, seconded by Member Demetriou and on Roll Call Minutes of the September 15, 2010 meeting were accepted.

MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Sept 2010

Health	95.00
Vital Stats	714.00
Dog & Cats	239.00

October 2010

Health	1,325.00
Vital Stats	545.00
Dog & Cats	211.00

FINANCIAL REPORTS

On a motion by Member Shafto seconded by Member Demetriou and on Roll Call, Financial Reports for the months of September and October 2010 were accepted.

HEALTH OFFICERS REPORT

Roy Stanley mentioned he routinely inspects the food establishments, most of them are in compliance. A folder of the inspections and complaints were made available to the members for anyone to look through.

Chris Chapman send his reports on the DeLaurentis and Selim properties. Member Riccardelli asked if there was anything new regarding the properties. Roy said Chris has been discussing the DeLaurentis' property with the state. He said the state did not want to come back to the site to inspect it again. They want Lisa DeLaurentis to produce records of the animals kept by her because that is required by the law and she hasn't done so yet. It's an ongoing thing.

NURSES' REPORT

A Child Health clinic will be held on Friday, November 19th. Clinics have been cut back to every other month but Bernie stated she has to have a clinic in November because of the number of people that have to be immunized. Bernie stated she doesn't have enough money. The Doctor volunteered to work one clinic in August and we can't expect that on a routine basis. Toys for Tots, Thanksgiving Baskets and Christmas Baskets are now coming up, it's never ending. Member Riccardelli asked if we could get funding from New Jersey Family Care. Bernie said sometimes there are grants but she doesn't have time to look for them. She also said she has family care come to her clinics and sign people up. There was some discussion regarding Family Care. Bernie said we run our clinics because a lot of people do not have insurance and they need access to health care. So they come here to get free vaccines that we get from the state.

We had two major flu clinics. One at the Wanaque Reserve, and one at the First Aid Squad. Tetanus, Tdap, flu and pneumonia were given. Bernie said she's trying to get everything processed as soon as she could. She said there are a lot more people now who need social services. She had a food program today. There was a discussion regarding the expired food people are submitting. Bernie said when she sent out flyers she specifically stated in bold letters no expired dates. Roy Stanley said that could be a food hazard.

Member Demeteriou asked if the new satellite office would help Bernie. She said they are referring people to her. They are still learning their way around. She needs to go down and speak to the social worker when she finds time. She has sent some people down there.

Bernie talked about speaking to the principal at the Wanaque School regarding bed bugs. The principal said she had a meeting at the Save Our Sisters Shelter and Sandy Ramos said they had sprayed and did everything they could do. Roy Stanley questioned who had sprayed. SOS is licensed by the state as a shelter. Roy said he inspects the kitchen. Member Demeteriou asked if there is an infestation of bug beds what is the procedure. Roy said it varies depending on the concentration of bed bugs and what the issue is. New Jersey is introducing a legislation that if any bed bugs are found in any residence it's the owner's obligation to have the premises treated by a licensed pest control. Member Demeteriou asked if Roy could deem the place inhabitable for people to live in. Roy said no because bed bugs do not carry disease, it's not a sanitary issue it's a hygienic issue. Roy said he would put the building owner on notice to treat the premises. There was a further discussion about bed bugs and the procedures a licensed pest control operator would perform. Member Demeteriou asked why the school was calling regarding the bed bugs. Bernie said the principal wanted some advise as to how to handle the whole situation. Bernie gave her two websites. One was an entomologist out of Lawrenceville, Jeffrey White, that Roy referred her to and bed bugs central.com. She also said to check CDC.gov because they have a lot of information on protocol and maintenance that she might want to download so

if parents come in she can give them information from a proper source. Roy will go check the source so it doesn't spread.

DISCUSSION

None

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion by Member Shafto seconded by Member Demetriou, and on Roll Call, meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Terry Smerklo, Secretary