

SALT LAKE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH
October 5, 2023 – 7:30 AM
County Government Center, N2-800
AGENDA

Board members may attend the meeting electronically through WebEx

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BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Pimmie Lopez
Kalina Duncan
Mayor Mike Weichers
Stacy Bank, MD
Kencee Graves, MD
Michele Corigliano

Mayor Marcus Stevenson
Dan Eckersley
Councilmember Ann Granato
Mimi Shen
Jake Fitisemanu

EXCUSED/ABSENT:

Rylee Curtis
Mollie Nordgren

Dan Poulson, DDS

GUESTS/STAFF:

Tom Hudachko, Special Projects
Jeanette Montano, EDO
Stephanie Hart, EDO
Angela Dunn, Director
Erin Litvack, Deputy Mayor
Kami Peterson, CS
Ahmer Afroz, UAF Legacy Health
Steven Van Maren
Jessica Huynh, CS

Stacia Sidlow, Deputy Dist. Atty.
Zack Stovall, EDO
Nicholas Rupp, PIO
Ron Lund, EH Director
Katherine Fife, Human Service
Jeff Smart, CH
Heather Edwards, EDO
Lee Cherie Booth, CS
Jona Nusink Curry, CS

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at approximately 7:30 AM by Michelle Corigliano, Chair of the Salt Lake County Board of Health.

CITIZEN PUBLIC COMMENT:

Comments are limited to 3 minutes unless otherwise approved by the Salt Lake County Board of Health. Sandy City resident, Steven Van Maren, gave a public comment concerning animals in stores close to food areas. He will email his specific concern and the Board will respond.

MINUTES:

Michele Corigliano, Chair, asked if there was a motion to approve the minutes from the September 7, 2023, Board of Health meeting. *A motion was made by Mayor Marcus Stevenson, seconded by Mayor Mike Weichers, to approve the minutes from the September 7, 2023, Board of Health meeting.* The motion passed unanimously, showing that all Board members present voted “Aye.”

CHAIR'S REPORT:

Michelle Corigliano, Chair, mentioned that the Meet & Greet with the County Council was on September 19th at the Midvale Senior Center. It was a success.

Michele Corigliano also introduced Jake Fitisemanu, the newest member of the Board.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

Dr. Angela Dunn gave the Director's report.

Dr. Dunn let the Board know about the Department's proactive outreach to the populations at highest risk for respiratory illness complications. The Health Department has been working on identifying messaging and outreach through trusted leaders.

Dr. Dunn informed the Board there is an increase in hospitalizations due to Covid. Visits to the ER due to Covid-like symptoms are also increasing. RSV, Covid and Flu all have vaccines available. The Health Department is prioritizing the Flu and Covid vaccine. The Covid vaccine is also commercially available at pharmacies or providers' offices.

Dr. Dunn also expressed appreciation for those who attended the Meet & Greet. One theme that came up during collaborative discussions was prioritizing mental health and what the Health Department's role could be.

Dr. Dunn reviewed a recent Health Department Payroll audit as well as the Department's response to the audit. For more detailed information, please see a hardcopy of the handouts included in the Board of Health meeting file folder.

UAF LEGACY HEALTH UPDATE:

Through the Health Department budget, the Utah AIDS Foundation, now Legacy Health, was awarded a 2-million-dollar funding stream to renovate their physical space into a clinical space. Ahmer Afroz, Chief Executive Officer, gave an update on UAF Legacy Health's progress.

Ahmer presented using a PowerPoint presentation, slides included:

- Project Update
- Mission and Vision
- Expansion
- The Vision
- Timeline
- Impact
- Budget Update
- Construction Update
- Photos (7)

Michele Corigliano, Chair, adjourned the meeting at approximately 8:20 AM.