

LARIMER COUNTY | HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT

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BOARD OF HEALTH

Bernard Birnbaum, MD, President

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Mission:

Working to provide everyone in Larimer County the opportunity for a healthy life.

Vision:

Larimer county is a thriving, health-aware community where everyone has access to healthy choices and a healthy environment.

LARIMER COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH – December 10, 2020

The Larimer County Board of Health (BoH) convened their regular meeting at 6:02pm through Zoom virtual platform due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Members Present:

Jennifer Lee

Dr. Bernard Birnbaum

Brian DelGrosso

Janna West Kowalski

Teri Olson

Executive Secretary: Tom Gonzales

County Staff: Andrea Clement-Johnson, Dr. Jared Olson, Phillip Daniel, Katie O'Donnell, Frank Haug, Chris Manley, Jason Eisenbach, Dr. Chris Urbina

Call to Order - Dr. Bernard Birnbaum, Board President, called the meeting to order at 6:02pm.

Public Comment - Public comment was made by the following people: Dr. Tony J. Van Goor, Loveland; Nancy G. Fort Collins.

Approval of November 12th and November 20th, 2020 Minutes

Action - Brian DelGrosso motioned to approve. Janna West-Kowalski seconded.

Motion was unanimously approved.

NEW BUSINESS

Request for Hearing Regarding 2021 EH Fee Schedule

Action - Jennifer Lee motioned to approve. Brian DelGrosso seconded. Teri Olson also seconded.

Motion was unanimously approved.

Proclamation for the Retirement of Teri Olson from the Board of Health

Action - Dr. Bernard Birnbaum motioned to approve. Jennifer Lee seconded. Janna West-Kowalski also seconded.

Motion was unanimously approved.



Approval of Board of Health 2021 Meeting Schedule

Action - Brian DelGrosso motioned to approve. Janna West Kowalski seconded.

UPDATES

COVID-19 Update - Dr. Jared Olson, Population Epidemiologist, reviewed metrics and data trends.

Jason Eisenbach, Manager of the Office of Emergency Preparedness and Response, provided an update on the COVID-19 suppression plan and contact tracing.

Chris Manley, Interim Environmental Health Director, provided an update on education and compliance efforts.

Tom Gonzales, Public Health Director, provided an update on his recent Hospital ICU tour at Medical Center of the Rockies.

Dr. Chris Urbina, Interim Medical Officer, and Andrea Clement-Johnson, Deputy Public Health Director, provided an update on vaccine planning and distribution.

Katie O'Donnell, Office of Communications and Technology Manager, gave an update on communications and outreach.

Director's Update - Tom Gonzales presented the Director's Report.

Dr. Jared Olson, Population Epidemiologist, provided an update on the Healthy Larimer Committee.

Andrea Clement-Johnson, Deputy Public Health Director, provided an update on the Annual Work Plan being developed with the Management Team.

Board Member Updates - No comments were made

The meeting adjourned at 8:03 p.m.