

ALLENDALE

Minutes of the Board of health

February 2, 2012

ROLL CALL: A regular meeting of the Allendale Board of Health was held in the Municipal Building on the above date. The meeting was called to order at 8 p.m. by Robin Iversen, President.

The following members were present: Robin Iversen, Donna Fichera, Linda Morgan, Nadine Benoit, Maria Crean, Christopher Martin and Bruce Beck. Also present was Linda Quinn. Our attending guests were Mayor Vince Barra, Amy Wilczynski and Liz White.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The January 2012 Minutes were accepted with a motion to approve by Bruce Beck and seconded by Linda Morgan.

SECRETARY/REGISTRAR'S REPORT

Adult Health Clinic – Two residents attended.

Child Health Clinic – No children attended.

Vital Statistics – 10 Deaths, 1 Marriage, Birth Certificates have not been received as yet.

Receipts - \$56.00 in marriage licenses, \$1,960.00 in retail food licenses, \$140.00 in certified copies, totaling \$2,156.00.

Board of Health monies collected in 2011 was \$8,924.00 of which \$275.00 was collected by the State for marriage licenses which leaves \$8,649.00.

COMMUNICATIONS/CORRESPONDENCE

-The Inter-local contract with Waldwick for our Well Baby Clinic has been signed.

HEALTH OFFICER/SANITARY REPORTS

-Reinspected the Allendale Nursing Home and Atrium with regard to the intestinal virus outbreak. The Atrium had kitchen workers with the virus but the nursing home did not. However, same has been resolved.

-Masa Sushi had repeat violations because they have not been using gloves during

food preparation and have been to Court twice because of this. The kitchen workers are being sent to the food handler's course once again.

-The Whitney will be putting in their outdoor pool and showers by the clubhouse. Plans have been submitted and construction will begin in the Spring.

-Food samples taken from Bernie's Bagels and Allendale Eats were satisfactory.

-Inspected Allendale Bar & Grill and Masa Sushi. Masa was much improved over the last inspection. I am still working to have them repaint the restaurant because of all the chipped paint. However, he did paint the entire kitchen and made a lot of necessary improvements.

-Received a call from a potential renter at 24 W. Crescent who asked if someone could come over and check for mold. When I inspected I found water damage and there was some mold in the corners of the rooms and inside the closets. I issued a report stating that there was mold like substance in the house. However, it must be tested before it can be confirmed as mold.

-Inspected Northern Highlands and found them to be satisfactory. The school in Allendale are inspected at least twice a year.

-Inspected the paint chips at the lake.

-Louie's Place had a few cleaning violations which were abated and Blimpie's was satisfactory as usual.

-Released dog from quarantine who bit his owner.

OLD/NEW BUSINESS

-Donna Fichera took her Oath of Office and will serve another term on the Board of Health.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

-The Board of Health welcomed Mayor Vince Barra, Councilwomen Amy Wilczynski and Liz White to our meeting to establish open communication between Mayor/Council and our Board. In addition, the Board also would like to establish communication with other parts of the government, including the Office of Emergency Management, which would enable us all to interface with one another.

The paint chips at the Lake were brought to my attention and our lab had them tested. Since we contract with the County, we have the privilege of conferring with them and obtaining information, direction, and their expertise.

After our discussion, a meeting will be scheduled for Mayor Barra, President Iversen and Councilwoman Wilczynski to meet with the County experts.

The Mayor and Council will have an open place on our agenda at our monthly Board of Health meetings.

OPENED TO THE PUBLIC

-No one came forward.

A motion to adjourn was made by Christopher Martin and seconded by Linda Morgan. The meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jean Manus, Secretary
Allendale Board of Health