

**CLARK COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH
MINUTES OF APRIL 25, 2018**

The Board convened in the Councilors' Hearing Room, 6th Floor, Public Service Center, 1300 Franklin Street, Vancouver, Washington. Board members Marc Boldt, Jeanne E. Stewart, Julie Olson, John Blom, and Eileen Quiring present.

8:30 A.M.

RECEPTION FOR PUBLIC HEALTH COMMUNITY AWARD NOMINEES

8:45 A.M.

PRESENTATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMUNITY AWARDS

The Board of Health presented honorable mention certificates to: *Bloodworks Northwest, Clark County Breastfeeding Coalition, Complementary & Alternative Medicine Practitioners, Jonathan Hokama with Vancouver Run, Grub & Chug Club, Kachina Inman with Healthy Living Collaborative, Leontina Liebe with Camas High School, Teresia Hazen with Legacy Health Healing Garden Program and Unite! Washougal*. The individual award was presented to *Jan wichert* for her work in establishing the Bridgeview Education & Employment Resource Center, which offers low-income families streamlined accessibility of resources to more members of Clark County Communities. The organization award was presented to *Clark County Food Bank* for extensive growth in program breadth, clients served, partnerships established, and lives touched.

9:00 A.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Councilors led the Pledge of Allegiance.

CONSENT AGENDA

ACTION: Moved by Councilor Stewart to **APPROVE** minutes for March 28, 2018. Councilor Olson seconded the motion. All aye/motion carried.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

None

PUBLIC HEALTH IN ACTION

The Power of Partnerships: Building a safe and resilient community together

Dr. Alan Melnick, Public Health Director, presented, with the assistance of Cindy Myers, Program Coordinator for Chronic Disease Prevention, and guest speakers from Vancouver Public Schools, AMR and coordinator for Safe Kids Coalition, and Professor of Nursing. Together they discussed working together in Clark County.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Flu Update

Dr. Melnick referenced a graph which showed that the flu line is currently below 10% threshold, potentially signaling the close of flu season.

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COMMENTS FROM THE BOARD

Councilor Blom spoke to the Vancouver Run, Grub, & Chug Club, who was not able to make the awards ceremony.

Meeting adjourned

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BOARD OF HEALTH



Marc Boldt, Chair



Jeanne E. Stewart, Board Member



Julie Olson, Board Member




John Blom, Board Member



Eileen Quiring, Board Member

ATTEST:



Rebecca Messinger, Clerk of the Board

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Please Note: The Board of Health minutes are action minutes. Digital recordings can be provided upon request.