

**TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN
BOARD OF HEALTH**

MINUTES

April 14, 2010

REGULAR MEETING

1. PROCEDURAL

- a. Call to Order –
- b. Flag Salute
- c. Open Public Meetings Act Statement.

STATEMENT: Pursuant to the provisions of the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, adequate notice of this meeting was properly provided by sending a copy of the Notice of Meeting to the Asbury Park Press and the Atlantic City Press. Notice was posted on the bulletin board in the Administration Office.

Roll Call -	Joan Tredy, Chairperson	<u> X </u>
	Carol Lowe Vice-Chairperson	<u> ABS </u>
	Gertrude Arkenberg	<u> X </u>
	Nick Bonamassa	<u> X </u>
	Eveline Knowles	<u> X </u>
	Shawn Denning Alt. #1	<u> X </u>
	Ed Covitz Alt. #2	<u> X </u>

2. ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS

- a. Minutes of Reorganization Meeting held on January 14, 2010.
Motion: Ed Covitz
Second: Eveline Knowles
Abstain: Shawn Denning
Motion Carried: Aye

- b. Minutes of Regular Business Meeting held on January 14, 2010.
Motion: Ed Covitz
Second: Eveline Knowles
Abstain: Shawn Denning
Motion Carried: Aye

c. Activity Report Review– January, February & March 2010

Ed Covitz inquired about replenishing carp at the Waretown Lake. Secretary Giardino will call him with that information.

d. Correspondence – 1st Quarter

No comments on correspondence.

3. OLD BUSINESS

Animal Licensing –

Currently, 869 dogs and 209 cats are licensed. Approximately 176 Final Notices went out certified mail on April 7, 2010.

Rabies Clinic – February 13, 2010 9:30a-11a

166 Dogs and 50 cats were vaccinated. 43 Dogs and 25 cats were licensed that day. The Board of Health members received many compliments on how efficient the Rabies Clinic was run.

4. NEW BUSINESS

The bi-annual dog/cat census will be discussed at the next meeting.

Chairman Tredy discussed underage drinking and invited the members to submit ideas to bring awareness to the public.

Shawn Denning discussed adolescents using opiates versus drinking and how to incorporate kids into anti-drinking/drug programs.

Chairman Tredy stated the Southern Ocean County Coalition Against Substance Abuse will be holding candlelight vigils in every town for adolescents who lost their lives to drinking and drugs.

Shawn Denning offered to attend a School Board Meeting to find ways to bring awareness to the public. Mr. Denning will give a report at the next meeting.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT.

No public comment.

6. BOARD COMMENTS.

No comments from board members.

7. ADJOURNMENT

a. Meeting Adjournment

Motion: Shawn Denning Motion Carried: Aye

Second: Nick Bonamassa

Michele Giardino, Secretary
Township of Ocean Board of Health