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FREMONT COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING
March 29, 2022

The Fremont County Board of Health Meeting for February was held on Tuesday, March 29, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. in the Fremont County Administration building, 615 Macon Avenue, Room 208, Cañon City, Colorado. The following Board members were in attendance:

Dwayne McFall – Commissioner
Kevin Grantham – Commissioner
Debbie Bell – Commissioner

Staff Present:

Brenda Jackson – County Attorney
Sunny Bryant – County Manager/Finance Director
Kayla Marler – Public Health Director
Amy Jamison – Environmental Health Officer
Debbie Ulrich – Minutes Secretary

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Meeting was called to Order by Commissioner Grantham at 2:00 p.m. Roll call followed.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Grantham called for approval of the February 22, 2022 Minutes; Commissioner McFall made a Motion to approve the January Minutes; Commissioner Bell seconded the Motion. Call for vote: All Ayes. Minutes are approved.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Commissioner Grantham called for any changes or additions to the Agenda. Amy would like to add more Chemical Toilet requests to New Business.

Commissioner Bell made a Motion to approve the Agenda with the addition of additional Chemical Toilet requests.. Commissioner McFall seconded the Motion. Call for vote; All Ayes. Agenda is approved.

CITIZENS NOT ON THE AGENDA – TIME TO ADDRESS THE BOARD

None.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Amy presented the request from Ary for the use of a Chemical Toilet. Wyatt Sanders put in a letter regarding this request. This is CUP 22-01 for an expansion. Commissioner Bell made a Motion to approve the use of a Chemical Toilet. Commissioner McFall seconded the Motion. Call for vote; all Ayes. Motion is approved.

John Sinks is requesting a Chemical Toilet permit – TUP 22-006 for Rocky Mountain Trails for May 21 – 22. Commissioner McFall made a Motion to approve the use of a Chemical Toilet for May 21– May 22. Commissioner Bell seconded the Motion. Motion is approved.

Penrose Parade has requested the use of a Chemical Toilet on October 1st. Commissioner McFall made a Motion to approve the use of a Chemical Toilet for the Penrose Parade. Commissioner Bell seconded the Motion. Call for Vote; all Ayes. Motion is approved.

George Pennington has requested a Chemical Toilet permit for CORCS at 2000 County Road 112 in Florence. Commissioner Bell made a Motion to approve the Chemical Toilet permit for CORCS. Commissioner McFall seconded the Motion. Call for Vote; all Ayes, Motion is approved.

Hillclimb Racing has requested the use of a Chemical Toilet during two events. May 20 – 22 and then again on Sept. 16 – 18. TUP 22-003 and 22-004, Temple Canyon, County Road 3. Commissioner Bell made a Motion to approve the Request for a Chemical Toilet to be used for Hillclimb Racing. Commissioner McFall seconded the Motion. Call for Vote; all Ayes. Motion is approved.

Kayla discussed the MOU with Peer Empowerment Recovery Community Service (PERCS) 2022. This is an MOU between FCDPHE and PERCS and would be paying them \$9200 to get the testimonies of addicts and then producing videos for social media and posters for advertising. Pam at FCDPHE will be working with PERCS. Commissioner McFall made a Motion to approve signing the MOU with PERCS. Commissioner Bell seconded the Motion. Call for Vote; all Ayes. Motion is passed to sign the MOU.

Kayla also needs approval for the CDPHE Master Task Order contract between the State of Colorado and FCDPHE. Commissioner Bell made a Motion to Approve the Contract between CDPHE and FCDPHE. Commissioner McFall seconded the Motion. Call for vote; all Ayes. Motion is passed.

Kayla is requesting a letter of support for the Prevention Vending Machine. It will provide Narcan to those in need.

The State is now requesting all of the different funding sources that pay the Director 70% of her time. They used the figures from each Grant that funds Kayla’s salary.

DIRECTORS REPORTS

Environmental Health Report

Amy Jamison, Environmental Health Officer reported on the following items:

New Establishments

Amy reported that there are several new establishments. They are: 1) Husky Burger 2) Emergency Treats 3) Ms. Jan’s Cotton Candy – this is a temporary event set up at Mountain View Park. 4) Natural Grocer’s - Amy has done a plan review and a walk through. They are hoping to open around April 13th. 5) Amy did a walk through of Dally’s Bar and Grill (formerly Michelle’s in Penrose) 6) Plan review for Yummy Thai this will be located in the old D.Q. building, and 7) The Market – Amy did a walk through and a pre-op is scheduled for March 31, 2022 and then opening on April 2, 2022. This was formerly known as PJ’s Hitching Post.

Inspections, Re-inspections and Interventions

Amy did a Food Safety training for Florence Care Home at their request. Amy also completed 15 routine RFE’s, three preoperational, one reinspection of Big D’s, one school, one childcare, four walk through/consultative visits. Amy was also given an opportunity to shadow the State Childcare Inspector earlier in the month of March.

Complaints

No complaints for March.

Trainings

The State offered trainings on Rabies workshop, Animal bites training, investigating Hantavirus, Plague and Tularemia. There was also an Inspector Bootcamp that focused on body language, cultural awareness and Pest control.

Commissioner Bell made a Motion to accept the Environmental Health report. Commissioner McFall seconded the Motion. Call for vote; all Ayes. Environmental Health report is accepted.

Public Health Director

Kayla Marler, Public Health Director reported on the following subjects.

Staffing

FCDPHE has a new employee, Hannah Club. She will be working in the Tobacco Prevention Program. Kayla stated that they are now fully staffed. Kayla also noted that they are still busy with vaccinations.

Coronavirus – Covid-19

The South Region Epidemiology Quarterly Report is still showing that the numbers being reported by the State includes the DOC numbers. The FCDPHE is still requiring/wanting the public to wear masks when coming in to their offices.

HB 1142

Kayla also reported that she had worked with Pam Hamby on HB 1142. Pam works on Opioid Prevention, which is the OOPS program. HB 1142 was killed on the floor in first committee. Pam was very appreciative of all of Kayla's help.

Commissioner McFall made a Motion to accept the Public Health Directors report. Commissioner Bell seconded the Motion. Call for Vote; All Ayes. The Public Health report is accepted.

Meeting is adjourned at 2:45