***BLOOMINGDALE BOROUGH BOARD OF HEALTH***

 ***REGULAR MEETING MINUTES – January 6, 2025***

**Call to Order**

Mary Catalano, Secretary, called the meeting to order at 7:35p.m.

**Roll Call**

Present: M. Catalano, Pilaar, A. Catalano, Bernstein (Alt. #2)

Late: Marco Iglesia, President

Absent: Reynolds, Fallon, Meyers, Tanis

Also present:

Araceli Pintle, Passaic County Health Officer,

Sandy Cameron, Passaic County Public Health Nurse.

**Review and Approval of Minutes** A motion was made to approve the regular meeting minutes of December 2, 2024 by Mr. Catalano. The motion was seconded by Ms. Pilaar and unanimously approved.

**Public Comment (Agenda items)** A motion was made by Ms. Pilaar to open the meeting to public discussion. This motion was seconded by Mr. Catalano and all in favor. There was no public wishing to address the Board, a motion was made by Ms. Pilaar to close the meeting to public discussion. The motion was seconded by Mr. Catalano and all voted in favor.

**Acceptance of Reports** After review and discussion of the November reports, a motion was made by Mr. Catalano with a second by Ms. Catalano to accept the reports and the Health Department Reports were unanimously approved.

**Unfinished Business**

New Ordinances-

Ordinances will be reviewed by the borough attorney. No updates on review to date.

New Ordinances include:

Certified Food manager to replace food handler training requirement

Late Fees for Delinquent Renewals of All License Types

Reinspection fees for regulated establishments

Retail Electronic Smoking Devices and Psychoactive Substances Establishment

Massage Establishments

**New Business**  A motion was made by M. Catalano and seconded by A. Catalano to table nominations and elections until next regular meeting.

PCDHS representatives discussed updates since the start of health department shared services on 1/1/25.

Health Educator will reach out to schools to set up programs.

Rabies Clinic will need syringes. These were provided by PCDHS at the recent clinic however going forward Bloomingdale Borough will need to supply.

PCDHS would like town event dates for the year as they will try to attend these public events.

Health Officer A. Pintle provided an update from Mark Mora, REHS.

One septic inspection was completed.

Mark will review with the borough Administrative Assistant how to triage calls that come in for the Health Department.

Nurses Report:

Sandy Cameron discussed she will be seeing a family for home visit.

Vaccination clinic dates discussed. Flyers will be sent with dates.

Hearing and vision screening dates- January 13, April 13, July 14, and October 6. Call ahead for an appointment on these dates.

Every Wednesday pre college vaccines are done.

Will come to town to do one health screening clinic/month. Need to set up dates and place.

Flu clinic 55+ and Covid can be arranged as well.

Meeting with Bloomingdale Health Center this week for infection protocols.

Board of Health members discussed informing the public on change of Health Department service provider and the health services they will be offering. Will discuss with Council Liaison D. Hudson on promoting the changes to the Health Department provider and upcoming programs offered.

**Public Discussion** A motion was made by Ms. Catalano to open the meeting to public discussion. This motion was seconded by Ms. Pilaar and all in favor. There was no public wishing to address the Board, a motion was made by Mr. Catalano to close the meeting to public discussion. The motion was seconded by Ms. Pilaar and all voted in favor.

**Adjournment**

A motion was made by Ms. Catalano to adjourn the meeting at 8:28p.m. This motion was seconded by Mr. Catalano and all voted in favor.

Next regular meeting February 3, 2025, at 7:30 @ Borough Council Chambers

Approved: 2/3/2025

Respectfully submitted by:

Mary Catalano, Secretary- Board of Health