

MONROE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF HEALTH

MARCH 13, 2019

DAVID SCALES, called the meeting of the Monroe Township Board of Health to order. Notice of the meeting was given pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meeting Act. Written notice was sent to two newspapers, the Gloucester County Times and the Sentinel. A copy of the written notice was given to the Township Clerk and posted on the bulletin board.

Salute to the flag.

ROLL CALL

Member	Present	Excused	Absent
Rene Pandola	X		
David Scales	X		
Jerry Conte	X		
Barbara Chamberlain	X		
Dan Kozak	X		
Victoria (Vicki) Taylor-Machulsky	X		
Diana Salvadori	X		
Cncl. Marvin Dilks		X	
Jennifer Toal		X	
Valerie Hodges	X		
Sherrie Kennedy	X		

NO PUBLIC PRESENT:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

JERRY CONTE made a motion to approve the minutes from the February 13th, 2019 meeting of the Monroe Township Board of Health. The motion was seconded by **DIANA SALVADORI**.

DAVID SCALES: The total cash settlement for February of 2019 was \$2,542.42.

REPORTS:

VICKI MACHULSKY: Stated that there is only 8 more Rabies Clinics to go. All Townships get 1 and Gloucester County sent out a thank you to all of the places that had them and they did want to make sure that everyone knows that anyone living in Gloucester County can go to any Rabies Clinic in the County.

VICKI MACHULSKY: Stated that the 2018 minutes are now on the Township website just in case anyone wants to review any of them.

VICKI MACHULSKY: Stated that she updated and gave everyone a list of the Board of Health members. Vicki stated the Board is allowed to create and adopt ordinances and that according to the Local Government Epic Clause we are required to fill out a Financial Disclosure Statement. She said you can fill it out online and if you have any problems or questions you can come in and see her and she will take care of it for you. She said we normally get that notice in April.

VICKI MACHULSKY: Stated that the Greyhound Angels reached out to her and told her that she was having a hard time finding an Engineering Firm for the new septic that she needs to have put in on the property and the Pinelands stated that she has done this, this and this. She then stated that they did find an Engineering firm and they are scheduling to have the Wetlands designated. **DAN KOZAK** went on to describe what it meant to designate property. There was a brief discussion about this topic.

VICKI MACHULSKY: Stated that we heard from our new Solicitor and basically he said he reviewed the Trap Neuter and Release program and that the Township has reviewed their proposal and they are satisfied with the current ordinance as written and is not interested in implementing a Trap Neuter and Release program. Vicki stated that everyone is for the Trap Neuter and Release program but as far as a person in a development saying I want a colony, Vicki stated that Mark from Animal Control put it best when he said that we have a good Animal Control Ordinance which anybody who wants to have a colony would have to go to the Board of Health and apply for a variance. She went on to explain about another resident that had a lot of cats she was taking care of and because of the situation the fee was waived for the variance and she was able to find all of the cats homes. There was a discussion in reference to the Cat Colony proposal.

PUBLIC PRESENT:

PETER HODGES: Introduced himself as a member of the Williamstown Middle School Student Council and was addressing the issues with the water fountain on the 2nd floor of the Middle School tasting like metal. Members of the board thanked him for his concern and instructed him to bring it up at the School Board Meeting as this is a topic for them to address. **DIANA SALVADORI** stated that the water was tested and it passed. There was a brief discussion about this matter.

DAVID SCALES: Said he had nothing to report but that he agrees with Rene in reference to the Cat Colony program and that the Board has worked too hard getting all of our Ordinances in place. There was a discussion in reference to this topic.

DAN KOZAK: Nothing to report.

JENNIFER TOAL: Not Present.

RENE PANDOLA: Nothing to report.

JERRY CONTE: Nothing to report.

DIANA SALVADORI: Nothing to report.

BARBARA CHAMBERLAIN: Nothing to report.

MARVIN DILKS: Not Present.

VALERIE HODGES: Nothing to report.

SHERRIE KENNEDY: Nothing to report.

DAVID SCALES: With no further business to discuss, **DAVID SCALES** asked for a motion to adjourn and **BARBARA CHAMBERLAIN** made a motion to adjourn the Monroe Township Board of Health meeting of March 13, 2019 the motion was seconded by **DIANA SALVADORI**. All were in favor and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Charlotte Rudolph
Clerk Transcriber

These minutes are an extract from the meeting that was held on the above date and are not a verbatim account or to be construed as an official transcript of the proceedings.

Approved as submitted _____ Date _____

Approved as corrected _____ Date _____