

Minutes
Menard County Board of Health
May 1, 2024 6:15 p.m.

Present: David Bagot, R.Ph.
Jeff Fore
Dr. Kylea Tibbs-Hnizdo
J.D. Stewart
John Ridley, MHCDS, Director of Public Health
Carol Graham

Excused: Brianne Satorius
Dianne Markley
Dr. Miller

Guest: none

I. Call to Order:

President Dave Bagot called the meeting to order at 6:22 p.m.

II. Approval of Minutes:

A motion to approve the minutes of the February 7, 2024 meeting was made by Dr. Tibbs-Hnizdo, seconded by Jeff Fore, passed unanimously.

III. Menard Activities:

John reported a few of his staff, including himself, were at the community event held at Broadgauge yesterday evening. He stated they met a lot of community members and contacts that will be helpful in the future. 127 vaccinations, 33 food inspections and 5 private sewage inspections were performed in Menard County since February 7th of 2024.

IV. Menard RN Update:

John told the members the nurse that was hired for Menard County resigned. An interview was conducted yesterday with another potential candidate for the position. Dave communicated that it would be beneficial to have a nurse at the clinic 5 days a week.

V. Medical Mobile Unit Update:

John said the medical mobile unit should be arriving next week. It will then go to ACE Sign Company to be wrapped. Hope to have it available for use in June.

VI. New Business:

John revealed a new syringe program that was received. A container, similar to a post office box, but red, will be placed in the foyer at the Menard Clinic. This will be a receptacle for the public in Menard County to dispose of their used syringes. Staff will monitor it and call for our disposal company to come out and pick it up as needed.

VII. Unfinished Business:

None

VIII. Next meeting:

Next scheduled meeting will be August 7, 2024

IX. Public comment:

None

X. Adjournment:

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:42 p.m. was made by Dr. Tibbs-Hnizdo, seconded by Jeff Fore, passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by:

Carol Graham

Executive Assistant to the Director