

CHATHAM BOROUGH BOARD OF HEALTH  
December 10, 2015                      7:00 p.m.

Minutes

The Chatham Borough Board of Health meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m., in Room 212, middle level, Chatham Municipal Building.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10: 4-6 et seq., adequate notice of this meeting has been provided by including same in the Annual Notice, copies of which were posted on the Municipal Bulletin Board, on the main floor of the Municipal Building, filed in the office of the Borough Clerk, emailed to the Chatham Courier.

Names	Present	Absent
Lisa DeRosa, Chrmn.	X	
Dr. Norman Schaeffer	X	
Rita Marts, R.N.	X	
Mary Ann McCabe		X
Micki Chaput	X	
Kay Kaiser, R.N.	X	
Council Member Holman		X
Lisa Gulla		X
Lucille Boland		X
Tamica Trotman		X
Ben Samara	X	
Liz Holler, Rec. Sec.	X	

Public Comment

No one came forward.

Discussion Items

New Business

Samantha Robinson – Health Educator – New Grant Information

Ms. Robinson, Health Educator for Madison and Chatham, reported to the Board about a grant she had applied for from the Grotta Fund for Senior Care. She noted that it would be helpful to get support from the local senior center. A steering committee will eventually be formed.

Ms. Robinson noted that a pledge will be presented to Madison, making it an “aging-in-place community”.

Mrs. Chaput will give Ms. Robinson a contact name at the Senior Center for the Chathams, to ask for help. Ms. Robinson noted that if the Chathams go through with this grant, they will officially be recognized as an “age-friendly community”.

Ms. Robinson and the Board discussed possible improvements to the town’s transportation, particularly for senior citizens.

Ms. Robinson offered to send the Board a copy of the grant write-up. She noted that Grotta grants like to reach out to high income communities.

R.E.H.S. – Report

Ben Samara

Mr. Samara reported on a dog bite in November on 47 Hillside Ave.

Mr. Samara also reported that the retail food inspections and school inspections in the Borough have been done.

Ordinances for Review

Mrs. DeRosa stated that Ms. Kline, the Borough Clerk, will be giving her a more up-to-date collection of ordinances. The Board can then review the relevant ordinances in the near future.

Miscellaneous

Dr. Schaeffer reminded Board member that the Annual Rabies Clinic will be held on Saturday, January 9, 2016, 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Chatham Borough Firehouse.

At 7:20 p.m. the meeting adjourned.

The next Chatham Borough Board of Health meeting will be held on Thursday, January 14, 2016, 7 p.m., Room 212, middle level, Chatham Municipal Building.

Respectfully submitted:

Liz Holler  
Recording Secretary