



Independence Advisory Board of Health Minutes

August 7, 2025 6:00 PM

This meeting will be held virtually via Teams at https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MmFmZGQ3ODAtYTY0MS00NGFkLWlxMGltYTE3MDlhMzYyN2Rm%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22862de864-c0f2-4801-a187-836f98f56db0%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%225436a539-55d6-4468-8763-16ed48ec0e77%22%7d

WELCOME

Dr. Morris called the meeting to order at 6 pm.

Members in attendance: Genesis Rivera, Dr. Larry Legler, Jason White, Dr. Terry Morris, Lori Halsey, and Dr. David Suchman

City staff present: CM Dr. McCandless, Lauren Campbell, and Christina Heinen

Motion was made by Dr. Legler to approve the minutes from the last meeting, 2nd by Dr. Suchman; approved by all at 6:01 pm.

VACANCIES

The board discussed the open vacancies of a medical practitioner and veterinarian. The Board discussed the application by Joseph Keary to join as the medical practitioner and representative of Centerpoint. Dr. Suchman made the motion to recommend Keary, 2nd by Dr. Legler. The motion was approved by all at 6:07 pm.

FALL HEALTH EVENTS

Christina shared that several fall events are planned including car seat installations and checks, International Opioid Overdose Awareness Day events where Narcan will be distributed, and a Points of Dispensing (POD) exercise.

VACCINATIONS

Lauren shared that vaccinations are being offered to uninsured patients for back-to-school vaccinations, and lots of appointments are being booked. Board then discussed childcare immunization audits and the results.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion made by Dr. Legler to adjourn. Approved by all present. Adjourned at 6:22 pm