

Health Board Minutes
May 16, 2023

Members present in person at the Health Department and on Zoom

Members Present:

Linda Bauer
Michael Day
Thomi Elmore
Thomas Martin
Cynthia Rose
Catherine Rountree
James Zimmerly

Staff Present:

Judy Hess
John Kennard
Ernie Reed
Dr. Norman Oestrike, Health Officer

(It was noted after the meeting that the audio failed to record.)

Board chair Thomi Elmore called the meeting to order at 5 pm.

Judy Hess stated that Corey Frost, Jennifer Heller, Seleah Settle and Taylor Hardesty were attending a District 8 conference at French Lick.

Approval of Minutes from May 16, 2023 and Special Meeting April 18, 2023

Motion to approve the minutes from the March 21 meeting passed unanimously.

Motion to approve the special minutes from April 18 meeting passed unanimously.

7805 Elm Drive Appeal

Property owner Robert Turner appealed to the board regarding a Stop Work Order issued by the Cordry Sweetwater Conservancy District. Mr. Turner's permit was tabled until the septic could be located. He hired septic installer Jerry Cleefman to locate the septic system. Mr. Turner appealed to the health board that he be allowed to continue to use the existing septic. The board told Mr. Turner if he removed the 3-season room addition they would allow him to remodel the home at 7805 Elm Drive. Mr. Turner agreed to remove the addition.

Motion to approve the remodel at 7805 Elm Drive passed unanimously.

Health Officer, Norman Oestrike, MD

Dr. Oestrike stated that County Council approved a pay increase for the nursing department.

Front Office- Judy Hess and Taylor Hardesty – Report Mailed

Motion to approve the front office report passed unanimously.

Emergency Preparedness-Corey Frost– Report Mailed

Motion to approve the emergency preparedness report passed unanimously.

Nursing- Seleah Settle – Report Mailed

Motion to approve the nursing report passed unanimously.

Environmental Health –Jennifer Heller, John Kennard, Ernie Reed – Report Mailed

Motion to approve the environmental health reports passed unanimously.

Old Business

Dellinger Property-Elkinsville Cemetery Road

A video surfaced of Kristie Blanchette filming a remodel of her parents property on Elkinsville Cemetery Road. Specifically, the video showed where a kitchen and bathroom would be located. The board decided that since it was filmed before the board required that the structure be reduced within the 12' x 10' specifications of a shed that at this time the video was not relevant.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn meeting at approximately 7 pm passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Norman Oestrike MD". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the letters "N", "O", and "M" being particularly prominent.

Norman Oestrike, MD
Health Officer

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