

## **Cass County Board of Health Meeting Minutes for November 15, 2017**

**Board Attendance:** Gary Davis, Dr. Chris Ciotta, Cyndi Bricknell, Dr. John Zimmerer, Megan Long

**Public Attendance:** Dr. Dori Ditty (Health Officer), Jeff Stanton, Serenity Alter

**Excused:** Susan Pryor

Meeting was called to order by Chairperson Gary Davis at 7:05. The meeting was at the Cass County Health Department (512 High Street, Logansport, IN 46947).

Motion to approve minutes from previous board meeting was made by Dr. Ciotta and seconded by Dr. Zimmerer. Motion was passed unanimously.

Gary Davis discussed Board of Health member term dates. Terms will expire on December 31, 2017 for Gary Davis and Dr. Zimmerer.

Gary Davis discussed 2018 meeting dates for the Board of Health. The Board of Health meetings will be held at the Cass County Health Department on the following dates:

January 17, 2018

April 18, 2018

June 20, 2018

September 19, 2018

November 14, 2018

Dr. Ditty, Dr. Zimmerer and Cyndi Bricknell discussed possible Physicians that may be interested in joining the Board of Health. Cyndi Bricknell stated that she will do some research to see if any of her Physician peers are interested. Dr. Zimmerer will speak to his co-worker as well.

Laci Hensel, Health Educator, was introduced.

Jeff Stanton discussed changes to the Unsafe Building Ordinance and how the Health Department will assist with these premises. Jeff stated there will be instances the Health Department will be called to assist with unsafe environmental issues. Dr. Zimmerer stated that a spread sheet will need to be updated each time the Health Department is called for assistance in order to record the increase of responsibility placed on the department. Jeff Stanton stated to "stay on top of it and to let him know if it gets too much to handle".

Serenity Alter stated that she will send the scheduled meeting dates to the media.

No public comments were presented.

Cyndi Bricknell motioned to adjourn meeting at 7:31 pm. Motion was seconded by Dr. Zimmerer.