

BOARD OF HEALTH

Roll call was taken members present were as follows: Chairman – Kaye Shillin, Gary Paape, Chuck Wagner, Gordy Reckelberg, Pat Benes, Kathy Janosky, Shirley Kirchman, Audrey Krautkramer, Public Health Director – Mary Halada, Administrator – Ed Dorner and Public Health Nurse – Cindy Kinnard.

Motion to approve agenda by Gordy Reckelberg seconded by Shirley Kirchman; motion carried.

Motion approve June and July minutes by Chuck Wagner seconded by Gary Paape; motion carried.

Mary Halada gave monthly report to the committee (more information on attached separate page). Mary stated we will receive \$71,419 for 2014 WIC Program which is an increase of \$572.

Audrey Krautkramer made a motion to approve the monthly report; Kathy Janosky seconded it and motion carried.

Mary Halada gave a well testing report to the committee and a discussion followed. The well testing was conducted by Mark Borchardt, Ph.D., USGS Wisconsin Water Science Center. Mary explained that the salmonella test on the well water that was conducted by Mark Borchardt was a PCR test. In order to confirm that Salmonella is present in the well owners' water, the State Department of Public Health recommended a Salmonella culture test be done. The state sent 10 free well testing kits for the Public Health Department to use for well testing E-Coli and Salmonella Bacteria for the individuals that participated in this study. The individuals in this study were anonymous and board of health requested that anyone who participated in this study to contact the Public Health Department.

Letter from the Department of Human Services was passed out to the committee regarding the response to the county resolution passed last month. Copy of the letter added to the minutes for full Board to see.

Travel request are as follows: Cindy Kinnard to Appleton on September 30, 2014 MCH Training; Rachel Bauer to Appleton on September 30, 2014 for Pediatric Feeding Disorder School and Lisa Van Remortel to Wausau on September 30, 2014 for WIC Training. Motion by Gary Paape and seconded by Chuck Wagner to approve travel request. Motion carried.

Shirley Kirchman was reappointed to board of health for a new three year term.

The state has not confirmed the status of the 140 public health department review as to determine the Level of the health department operations.

No overtime report.

No citizen input.

Ed Dorner addressed the committee about looking into the putting the health department under the Human Services Department. If this can be done this would dissolve the board of health. No information from the State as they have been requested to give us information. Ed also told the committee that Cindy Kinnard will be working as public health director/Health Officer on interim basis, not sure how long the interim will last.

Committee will review budget next month. Next meeting date will be September 8, 2014 at 1:00 pm.

Motion to adjourn was made by Gordy Reckelberg and seconded by Chuck Wagner, motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 1:40 pm.

Secretary Pat Benes



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July 24, 2014

Mr. Ron Heuer, Chairman
Kewaunee County Board of Supervisors
810 Lincoln Street
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Dear Chairman Heuer:

Thank you for a copy of the Kewaunee County Board of Supervisors resolution (No. 9-6-14), dated June 17, 2014, titled: *Requesting assistance from the State of Wisconsin Departments of Health Services [DHS], Natural Resources [DNR], and Agriculture [DATCP], in addressing health and environmental impacts to groundwater related to the application of wastes to shallow fractured bedrock landscapes in Kewaunee County.*

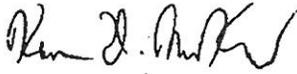
In reviewing the resolution, we have identified your specific requests; to provide resources from DHS, DNR, and DATCP to assist Kewaunee County and Towns with the protection of groundwater quality and for DHS to review and provide a comprehensive scientific literature review on the topic of health impacts to groundwater from the landspreading of agricultural, municipal, industrial, and residential septic system waste.

With respect to providing resources, we will provide you and the board in a couple weeks an outline of our existing roles, activities, staffing, resources and Administrative Rules for each agency related to the land spreading of waste and protection of water quality in Kewaunee County. As you recall from the recent meeting you and few of your board members had with Secretaries Cathy Stepp and Ben Brancel there are difficulties earmarking additional state funding for Kewaunee County without resulting in negatives impacts to funding for other counties.

In regard to your request asking for a DHS literature review, DHS staff have begun internal discussions regarding this relevant and important topic and will enlist the help of DNR and DATCP to determine the best way to conduct and provide the requested literature review. A comprehensive literature review on such a broad topic will likely require a substantial time commitment and possible reallocation of staff workload. However, if suitable literature reviews have been performed elsewhere, it may be possible to fulfill this request by that route.

If you would like to discuss any of these issues in more detail for DHS please contact Karen McKeown at 608-267-2878 or karen.mckeown@wisconsin.gov, for DATCP John Petty at 608-224-4567 or john.petty@wisconsin.gov, and for DNR Russ Rasmussen at 608-267-7651 or russell.rasmussen@wisconsin.gov.

Sincerely,



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Administrator, Water Division
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Well sampling results for KW-1

Test category	Microorganism	Detection	Concentration	Concentration Units
Water quality indicators	Total coliform	Negative		
	<i>E. coli</i>	Negative		
	Pepper mild mottle virus	Negative		
Human-specific microbes	Adenovirus A	Negative		
	Adenovirus B	Negative		
	Adenovirus C,D, F	Negative		
	Enterovirus	Negative		
	Norovirus genogroup I	Negative		
	Norovirus genogroup II	Negative		
	Human polyomavirus	Negative		
Human bacteroides	Negative			
Bovine-specific microbes	Bovine diarrheal virus Type 1	Negative		
	Bovine diarrheal virus Type 2	Negative		
	Bovine rotavirus group A	Negative		
	Bovine coronavirus	Negative		
	Bovine adenovirus	Negative		
	Bovine polyomavirus	Negative		
	Bovine M3 bacteria marker	Negative		
	Bovine bacteroides	Negative		
Bacteria and protozoa found in both humans and cattle	† <i>Salmonella</i> species	Negative		
	<i>Campylobacter jejuni</i>	Positive	11	Genomic copies/liter
	Enterohemorrhagic <i>E. coli</i>	Negative		
	<i>Cryptosporidium parvum</i>	Negative		
	<i>Giardia lamblia</i>	Negative		

**2011 Profile for Kewaunee County
Confirmed Cases of Communicable Diseases**

Disease	Number
Campylobacter Enteritis	10
Giardiasis	0
Hepatitis A	0
Hepatitis B*	<5
Hepatitis NANB/C	5
Legionnaires'	<5
Lyme	<5
Measles	0
N. Meningitis, Meningococcal	0
Meningitis, Bacterial	0
Mumps	0
Pertussis	0
Salmonellosis	<5
Shigellosis	0
Tuberculosis	0
E-Coli, Shiga Toxin-producing (STEC)	0
Babesiosis	0
Cryptosporidiosis	<5
Streptococcus Pneum. Invasive	<5
All Streptococcal Diseases	<5
Blastomycosis	0
Haemophilus influenzae, Invasive	0
Ehrlichiosis/Anaplasmosis	0
Influenza A - Novel	<5
Histoplasmosis	0

Sexually Transmitted Disease	
Chlamydia Trachomatis	37
Gonorrhea	<5
Syphilis	0

*Includes all positive HBsAg test results.

Suggested citation:

Wisconsin Department of Health Services, Division of Public Health, Office of Health Informatics, Health Analytics Section. Public Health Profiles, Wisconsin 2011 (P-45358-11). June 2014.

Notes:

Data of communicable diseases are shown for selected reportable diseases. The 2011 numbers of confirmed cases were obtained from the Bureau of Communicable Diseases and Emergency Response, Division of Public Health. Chapter 252, Wisconsin Statutes, and DHS 145, Wis. Admin. Code, require the surveillance and control of certain communicable diseases.

Completeness of reporting varies by disease. The figures for a county or region refer to reported cases among residents of that county or region, regardless of where the disease was contracted. Specific counts for a year are subject to some slight changes over time as medical tests reveal previously unidentified cases or change previous diagnoses.

The symbol "<5" denotes that the number of reported cases is between 1 and 4. The exact number is suppressed to maintain confidentiality.

**Kewaunee County Public Health Department
Monthly Report
July, 2014**

Total Visits – 4

TB Tests – 12

Immunization Program

Kewaunee – 13

Algoma – 0

Luxemburg – 7

WIC Imm. - 7

Other Imm. – 5

WIC Program

Contracted Caseload – 286

Caseload served – 278

12 Month Average – 272

Lead Testings – 8

Vaccine Total – 32

Blood Pressure Screening Program

Individuals Screened - 2

Client Total – 18

Communicable Diseases

Reported Cases - 9

Confirmed- 9

Complaints

Follow-up - 2

Office Visits:

07/15/2014 Blood Pressure Clinic

07/23/2014 Performed a Car Seat Check

School Visits:

Meetings/Conferences/Activities:

07/01/2014 Attended Health Insurance Committee Meeting

07/02/2014 Performed Ergonomic Assessments at the Register of Probate Office

07/02/2014 Attended Administrative Review Meeting

07/10/2014 Attended WALHDAB (Wisconsin Association of Local health Departments and Boards) Meeting at Liberty Hall in Kimberly

07/11/2014 Attended Mass Fatality Planning Meeting at the EOC (Emergency Operations Center) in Luxemburg

07/14/2014 Attended Board of Health Meeting

07/18/2014 Assisted with United Way Fundraiser in Luxemburg

07/21/2014 Attended Health Insurance Committee Meeting

07/23/2014 Attended MCH (Maternal and Child Health) and Child Abuse Meeting

07/24/2014 Participated in WWWP (Wisconsin Well Women Program) Teleconference

07/29/2014 Assisted with Back Pack Program

07/30/2014 Attended WIC (Women, Infant and Children) Director's Meeting

07/30/2014 Attended CHA (Community Health Assessment) Meeting with the UW-Extension Office

VETERANS SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

August 11, 2014

KEWAUNEE COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES CENTER

The meeting of the Veterans Service Committee was held at the Kewaunee County Public Health and Human Services Center on Monday, August 11, 2014, at 12:00 p.m. All members were present, which included Chairperson Kaye Shillin, Gary Paape, Gordon Reckelberg, Chuck Wagner, Pat Benes and CVSO Joe Aulik.

A motion was made by Chuck Wagner and seconded by Gary Paape to approve the agenda. The motion carried.

A motion was made by Chuck Wagner and seconded by Gary Paape to approve the bills. The motion carried.

CVSO Joe Aulik presented the monthly report and stated there was \$618,447 granted to the veterans of Kewaunee County so far in 2014.

CVSO Joe Aulik had a travel request for himself to go to Oshkosh for the Wisconsin CVSO Training Conference from September 22-26th 2014. Motion was made by Chuck Wagner and seconded by Gary Paape. The motion carried.

There was no overtime reported for the month.

The next committee meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 8, 2014 at 1:00 p.m., at the Kewaunee County Public Health and Human Services Center.

A motion to adjourn was made by Chuck Wagner, with a second by Gordy Reckelberg. The motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Pat Benes, Secretary

