

**Princeton Regional Commission
Minutes
January 18, 2011**

The regular monthly meeting of the Princeton Regional Health Commission was convened at 7:35pm at the Princeton Borough Hall – East Conference Room.

Members Present– George DiFerdinando, Catherine Hegedus, Laura Kahn, Lindsey Kayman, Charles Rojer, Leon Rosenson,

Liaisons – Bernard Miller

Ms. Kahn chaired the meeting.

Public Comment: No public present.

Certificate of Appreciation to Michael Krevitskie and Sue Nemeth (Commission Members)

Ms. Kahn signed the certificates of appreciation; Mr. Henry indicated that the certificates will be presented to the recipients at the next Township Committee meeting.

Minutes – November 16, 2010

A motion to approve the November 16, 2010 minutes was made by Mr. Rojer and was seconded by Ms. Hegedus.

Monthly Reports/ Health Officer's Report (November - December)

Mr. Henry reported that as of December 12, 2010 the Animal Control Officer started the backup service to Montgomery Township, The Emergency Public Health Mutual Aid agreement with Montgomery Township is still pending.

Mr. Henry explained that Montgomery will be paying for the Animal Control Officers service, and the Mutual Aid agreement would only be in an emergency.

Mr. Henry reported the shared services with Trenton for the Spanish translation via the internet was awaiting approval from DCA.

Medicare has been billed for the Fall Flu Clinic expenses.

The State has scheduled an audit of the Health Department on March 25, 2011.

The County Health Officers' Association discussed the need to hire a doctor a nurse and someone to read the x-rays for the TB services in Mercer County since Capital Health would no longer be the provided.

Mr. Henry met with Diane Landis of Sustainable Princeton and discussed the various aspects of the composting also the use of the grease waste to be used for bio-diesel.

Mr. Henry gave a brief overview of the meeting with the owners of Kalluri Korner and Masala Grill.

2011 Budget

Mr. Henry indicated that the budget was basically the same as the year before with a slight reduction due to the H1N1 money to offset some expenses for this year.

After a lengthy discussion the members of the commission agreed to review the budget and discuss the matter at the next meeting.

Mr. Rosenson enquired what the other sources of fees were for the Health Department collected; Mr. Henry indicated the other fees were collected from the food establishments, swimming pools, septic systems and wells.

Ms. Kahn enquired who inspected the drinking water. Mr. Henry indicated this was done by New Jersey American Water Company.

School Smoking Ordinance Discussion – 1000 foot zone

Mr. Henry indicated that he was approached by the Borough Police Department to ask if the Health Commission would revise the Smoking Ordinance, the request was sent to the attorney and a draft copy of the new smoking ordinance was provided for the Commission to review Mr. Henry also sent the draft Ordinance to the Borough Police for their input.

There being no further business to come before the Commission the meeting was adjourn.