

City of Milwaukee

200 E. Wells Street Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

Meeting Minutes

BOARD OF HEALTH

Ruthie Burich-Weatherly, Caroline Gomez-Tom, Bria Grant, Ald. Chantia Lewis, Dr. Ian Martin, Julia Means, Ericka Sinclair, Domonique Weathers, and Wujie Zhang

Thursday, October 7, 2021

5:30 PM

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1. Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 5:40 pm

2. Roll call

Present: Ruthie Burich-Weatherly, Caroline Gomez-Tom, Bria Grant, Ald. Chantia Lewis, Julia Means, Ericka Sinclair, Dr. Ian Martin, Dr. Domonique Weathers and Wujie Zhang

3. Approval of meeting minutes from September 2, 2021

Motion was called to approve the minutes for September and October at next month's meeting.

- 4. Welcome and Introduction of Dr. Domonique Weathers, new board member.
- 5. Communication from MHD Health Commissioner, Kirsten Johnson.

210143 Communication relating to those documents submitted to the Board of Health for its meetings in 2021.

Commissioner Johnson presented an update on MHD's response to the COVID-19 Pandemic including current vaccination rates, case burden, and plans to continue incentivizing and making the vaccines widely accessible.

6. STI Update

Deputy Commissioner Dr. Paradis of Medical Services presented a STI update on MHD's plan in 2021-22 to focus on stabilizing the workforce, increase capacity for client's served, data-driven decision making and implementation of the EHR system

Standing Agenda Items:

- 7. Discussion of DHS 140 certification
- 8. Lead Program
- 9. Strategic Planning
- 10. Milwaukee Health Department branch collaboration updates

BOH members were assigned a branch of MHD to create collaborations.

- 11. Future agenda items
- 12. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 7:37 pm

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