

Board of Health

Date: 10/15/20

Present:

- Jill Domek-GMC
- Stephen Schreiberis - Glendive Schools
- Amanda Brown- MentalHealth
- Timber Dempewolf
- Joe Leal- Medical Officer
- Dennis Zander- Commissioner
- Justin Cross- licensed establishment
- Naome Wright
- Brant Gordon
- Jerry Jimison- City of Glendive
- Brett Irigoin- County Attorney



Staff present:

Guests: Joe Christmore, Allen McRae, Amanda Hopper, Dawson Torres, Peggy Iba, Katie Carrier, HunterHerbaugh, Spencer Johnson, Josh Tipton, Alex Rau, Alicia Dorwart

Agenda Item	Discussion	Follow-up
New Business: Approval of Minutes	None to approve	
COVID-19	<p>Special meeting called to discuss upcoming community events: There are several large events scheduled for the upcoming weekend. Chairman of the Board has called a meeting to discuss if these events should be canceled in light of the significant rise in cases of COVID-19.</p> <p>Hospital beds are limited, urgent care and ER have been seeing an increased number of patients with respiratory symptoms. The hospital does have a surge plan in place. The Health Department is working with a limited number of staff due to quarantines.</p> <p>Regionally hospitals are struggling to have enough beds to take patients. GMC has accepted patients from around the region.</p> <p>Public Comment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It was noted mask compliance has decreased in the community. • Event organizers need to take personal responsibility for enforcing the rules. • Would event organizers be willing to voluntarily postpone events? • Josh review the safety plan in place for AAU football. • An e-mail was received and shared with the board, asking the board to cancel Junkapooza and Harvest Fest from Cindy Larson. 	

- Alicia- expressed concerns about the amount of money that had already been spent on Ladies night and the 45 vendors, for which they would not be able to recoup any costs. She then reviewed the plan in place.
- Peggy reported the Harvest Fest is all outdoors and masks will be provided.
- Joe Chrismore spoke about the NRA event, stating they would lose \$17,000 in food already prepared and stated there should have been a 10-day notice to canceling any event.
- Dawn requested there be a statement to vendors from the BOH.
- Allen reviewed the safety plan and layout for the NRA banquet.
- Katie stated DCC would respect any decision made by the board for the DCC ag banquet.

Dr. Leal motioned to approve the AAU football activity request, seconded by Brett. All were in favor, none opposed.

DCHS Volleyball- Spencer reviewed the plan, noting they would like to see parents at the games. Dr. Leal motioned to accept the volleyball plan seconded by Brett. All were in favor, none opposed.

Junkapalooza- Brett made a motion to accept the event plan with vendors spread out at the Fairgrounds, masks are mandatory and Ladies night to be held in the Exhibit building, seconded by Dr. Leal. All were in favor, none opposed.

DCC Ag day and Banquet
 50-75 participants
 Seminars are inside lecture halls
 Masks required

Brett motioned to accept the DCC Ag day and Banquet event request, seconded by Jill. All were in favor, none opposed.

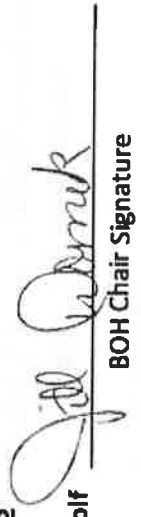
NRA Banquet

Dr. Leal motioned to accept the NRA Banquet as proposed, seconded by Jill. All were in favor, none opposed.

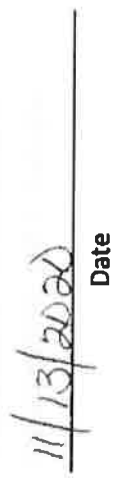
Next meeting - 11-2-20 1:15

Conference Call

Notes by: Timber Dempewolf



BOH Chair Signature



Date