

IOWA COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH

August 16, 2023

Attendance

Board: Dr. Steven Rippentrop, Tonya Powell, Joan Robinson, and Jodi Matthes
Environmental Health Staff: Sherry Lutz
HD Staff: Lori Sheeler and Emilie Brecht
Public present: Becky Hackett-Leas

Call to Order – Rippentrop called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

Approval of Agenda – Robinson motioned to approve agenda. Motion seconded by Powell. Motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Minutes from June 14, 2023 – Powell motioned to approve the minutes. Matthes seconded. Motion carried.

Environmental Health Update –

FY23 Totals:

50 – septic permits
8 – repair permits
9 – TOT system permits
25 – TOT inspections completed
8 – new well permits
2 – well pluggings (GTC)
32 – water tests (GTC)
2 – tanning inspections
6 – pool inspections

FYTD 24:

17 – septic permits
2 – repair permits
5 – TOT inspections
4 – well permits
3 – water tests (GTC)
2 – nuisance complaints

Guest Speaker – I-Smile Coordinator Becky Hackett-Leas. Iowa County school dental screening requirement report presented.

Health Department Update –

Public Health

- Animal bites, Reportable diseases and VFC Immunizations discussed.

Home Health

- Patient census & new referrals reviewed.
- Private Pay/Sliding Scale census reviewed.

Fiscal Report

- Fiscal Report presented and reviewed.

Action Items

- EMR Expense Review and Approval. Motion to approve expense by Robinson. Seconded by Powell. All in favor, motion carried.
- Approve Drug Free Work Environment Policy. Robinson motioned to approve with corrections. Seconded by Powell. Motion carried.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, September 20, 2023, at 8:30 a.m.

At 10:00 a.m. Robinson motioned to adjourn. Motion seconded by Powell. Motion passed unanimously.