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## IOWA COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH

November 15, 2023

### **Attendance**

Board: Dr. Steven Rippentrop, Kevin Heitshusen, Joan Robinson, and Jodi Matthes  
Environmental Health Staff: Sherry Lutz  
HD Staff: Lori Sheeler, Emilie Brecht and Celinda Clubb

**Call to Order** – Rippentrop called the meeting to order at 8:29 a.m.

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

**Approval of Minutes from September 20, 2023** – Heitshusen motioned to approve minutes. Motion seconded by Rippentrop. Motion carried.

### **Environmental Health Update – FY24**

#### Grants to Counties

Well plugging – 2

Water tests – 6

Well permits – 10

Quarterly report submitted 10/11/23

Total FY24 Budget \$50,505 per county

Funding Expended to Date: \$1,045.00

#### Septic Permitting

Permits: 36

Completed Projects: 30

6 from FY23

#### TOT Inspections

10 completed

Nuisance complaints – 4 reported / 2 closed / 2 in process

Classes/training: December 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> – Chapter 69 part 1 & 2

EOM revenue/ expense reports emailed to BOH members

Septic Pumper contract is signed and covers Iowa County through 2026. Yearly inspections performed.

### **Health Department Update –**

#### Director Report

- CHA/CHIP discussed. Adjustments made as suggested.
- Robinson motioned to approve. Heitshusen seconded and approved for BOH support. Motion passed unanimously.

#### 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.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, January 17, 2023, at 8:30 a.m.

At 9:43 a.m. Heitshusen motioned to adjourn. Motion seconded by Robinson. Motion passed unanimously.