LEYDEN BOARD OF HEALTH MINUTES FOR MEETING ON TUESDAY MARCH 7, 2023 AT 7PM

MEETING AT TOWN OFFICES AND WAS POSTED
MEETING STARTED AT 7:02 pm
IN ATTENDANCE. Marcia Miller, Jerry Lund, Elizabeth Kuzdeba
Kurt Schellenberg, FRCOG Health Agent

- 1. Minutes from BOH meeting on Tuesday 1/3/23 were approved with motion from Marcia and second from Beth.
- Co-EMD'S, Jensen and Pomerantz, are developing the Leyden Emergency Management Plan. FRCOG and our board will assess involvement in this process. Due to lack of a proper shelter, the town facilities can only act as a warming/cooling center. This entire process is evolving.
- 3. Opioid settlement funding survey was done and results will be submitted to the FRCOG. Because the abatement fund totals are so small to the less populated Franklin County towns, the FRCOG is hoping the Selectboards will vote to combine the funds for a collaborative project. Jerry has mentioned Narcan boxes outside of town offices. There exist many levels of physical and mental trauma with substance use disorder. Much needs to be done on every level from the town to state government.
- Tobacco regs will resume at a future meeting.
- 5. The BOH budget for FY24 will remain the same. Stipends and expenses were presented to Finance with no increases.
- 6. Free Spirit 50K is tentatively scheduled for 5/21/23. Tom and Laura Raffensperger are the sponsors. Because of lack of records for septic pumping, Beth will address the use of portable toilets in town hall parking lot. Permit for food pantry was approved and it hopefully will start in May. Mold in town buildings could potentially be addressed if Leyden votes for a solar bylaw and the Stretch code to get accepted into Green Community status. The BOH started 2023 with 51 coupons available to subsidize tick testing. We are in good shape there. Water testing of the town buildings is under Selectboard. They will address. EMD's are responsible for rules for warming/cooling center. Information for all of these BOH updates were attached to agenda for 3/7/23. Will be attached here.
- 7. No notifications from state to opt out of mosquito aerial spraying. We do nothing until the state does.
- 8. Next meeting 4/4/23, Tuesday at 7 pm.

Meeting adjourned motion from Marcia, second from Jerry. Agreement from all at 8:35pm. Minutes will be submitted for posting after BOH approval.

Respectfully submitted	
Elizabeth Kuzdeba. Chair	
Approved E Must	Motion 1 Marcia M.
4/4/2023	Motion 2 Bell K.