

King County Meeting Proceedings

Board of Health

Metropolitan King County Councilmembers: Julia Patterson, Chair; Kathy Lambert, Vice Chair; Reagan Dunn, Bob Ferguson, Larry Gossett, Pete von Reichbauer

Seattle City Councilmembers: Sally Clark, Nick Licata, Tom Rasmussen Alternate: Richard Conlin

Suburban Elected Members: David Hutchinson, Ava Frisinger Alternate: Dan Sherman

Health Professionals: Ray M. Nicola, MD, MHSA, FACPM, Frankie T. Manning, RN, M.A. and George W. Counts, MD

Staff: Helen Chatalas, Board Administrator (263-8560); Carrie Cihak, Lead Staff (296-0317)

Director, Seattle-King County Department of Public Health: Dr. David Fleming

Room 1001 Council Chambers

December 11, 2008

1:30 PM

SPECIAL MEETING REVISED AGENDA

1. Call to Order

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Vice-chair Hutchinson called the meeting to order at 1:39 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Present: Mr. Ferguson, Ms. Lambert, Ms. Patterson, Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Clark, Mr. Rasmussen, Mr. Hutchinson, Ms. Frisinger, Dr. Nicola, Dr. Counts and Mr. Gossett Excused: Mr. Dunn, Dr. Sherman, Ms. Manning and Mr. Licata

3. Announcement of Any Alternates Serving in Place of Regular Members

There were no alternates attending in place of a regular member of the Board.

4. Approval of Minutes of October 24, 2008

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Boardmember Nicola moved approval of the minutes of October 24, 2008. Boardmember Counts seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

5. <u>Public Comments</u>

Two people appeared and gave public comment: Anita Finch Laura Clinton

6. <u>Chair's Report</u>

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The chair briefed the Board on the Communities Count report.

7. Board Member Updates

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There were boardmember updates.

8. <u>Director's Report</u>

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Dr. Fleming discussed the Communities Count report and the Department of Public Health's participation in the report. He also recommended that everyone get a flu shot.
Dr. Fleming reported that the state budget news is grim, with the state facing an almost \$6 billion deficit. Because health and human services costs at the state are considered discretionary funding, reductions in funding should be anticipated.
Boardmember Counts asked about the HIV/AIDS funding plan. Dr. Fleming noted that the City of Seattle had provided funding in its budget, but that county funding was eliminated.

9. Administrator's Report

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There was no administrator's report.

Briefings

10. BOH Briefing No. 08-B30

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Briefing and Public Hearing on Proposed Environmental Health Fee Increases

Ngozi Oleru, Geraldine Cole and Mark Rowe, Environmental Health Division, briefed the Board on the proposed environmental health fee increases.

Carrie Cihak, Council staff, answered questions of the Board. Dr Fleming answered questions of the Board.

Alan Thompson, King County Auditor's Office, briefed the Board on an audit of environmental health services.

Presented

11. BOH Briefing No. 08-B33

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Briefing on the SR 520 Health Impact Assessment

Ngozi Oleru, Barbara Wright, and Julie West, Environmental Health Division, and Paul Carr, Air Resources Specialist, Puget Sound Clean Air Agency, briefed the Board on the SR 520 health impact assessment and made a PowerPoint presentation. Julie Meredith, Washington State Department of Transportation, answered questions of the Board **Presented**

12. BOH Briefing No. 08-B31

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Briefing on the 2009 Adopted Public Health Budget for King County

Carrie Cihak, Council staff, briefed the Board on the King County 2009 budget. Dr. Fleming answered questions of the Board.

Presented

13. Adjournment

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The meeting was adjourned at 3:47 p.m.

Approved this ______ day of ______.

Clerk's Signature